

SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE TO RIDGEDALE STUDENTS ONLY

James Emerson Eastman Band Scholarship Fund - \$1000

Scholarship Applicants must

1. Been a member of either the Choir and/or Band at Ridgedale for four years
2. Have at least a 3.0 grade point average
3. Going to either Major or Minor in Music in college

Application – Submit a one page essay discussing your future plans and why the committee should select you as the recipient of this scholarship, a copy of your transcript, and a resume to the office

Application Deadline: April 1, 2024

Esther Fleming Memorial Scholarship - \$500 Scholarship

1. A graduate of Ridgedale High School for the current school year.
2. Major in education
3. Planning to attend Ohio State University - Marion Branch Campus

If no individuals are planning to major in education at the Marion Branch Campus, then the scholarship may be awarded to the son or daughter of a Ridgedale staff member who is majoring in education at another college.

If no student meets these criteria, any student attending OSUM.

Application: Submit a one page essay discussing your future plans and why the committee should select you as the recipient and your transcript.

Application Deadline: April 1, 2024

Laird Memorial Scholarship (Pearl William & Mary Louise) - \$500

Scholarship Ridgedale Graduating Senior

Maintains and promotes high standard of citizenship and scholastic achievement GPA or 3.25 or higher

Demonstrates a financial need

Application: Available in office

Application Deadline: April 1, 2024

Ridgedale Lions MTC Scholarship - \$500 Scholarship

Applicant must be a member of the Ridgedale Class of 2022 attending Marion Technical College during the 2022-2023 School Year

Application: Submit a one page essay discussing your future plans and why the committee should select you as the recipient and your transcript.

Application Deadline: March 31, 2024

Ridgedale Teacher's Association - Scholarship amount varies

Applicant must be pursuing a degree in Education.

Application: available in office

Application Deadline: April 1, 2024

Marti Strzelecki Lions Club - \$1,000 Scholarship

Must be an accredited post secondary educational school, vocational, college or university. The scholarship may be used for tuition, room and board, or books, as needed. The scholarship is non-renewable.

Application: To be determined

Application Deadline: To be determined

Marion Community Foundation Scholarships – Specifically for Ridgedale High School **Application: <https://www.marioncommunityfoundation.org/mcf/Scholarships>**

Completed Application Due – February 13, 2024 at 1:00 PM

The Craig Scholarship Fund

Must be a Ridgedale High school Senior with a 3.25 or better grade point average Relatives of Diane Craig are NOT eligible

Consideration Factors

Demonstrated commitment to their education.

Intended major of sciences, medicine, health, engineering, or education.

Good character, service, citizenship.

Attended Ridgedale all four years.

Charles R Crisler Memorial Scholarship

1. Must have attended Ridgedale High School throughout high school

experience 2. Must have a GPA of 3.25 or better

3. Must be attending Ohio State

4. Not a relative of Barb Greetham, Pat Murphy, Mark Murphy, Alice Poorman, or Rebecca Crisler

Special Consideration for a) Education Major, and/or Financial Need

Adam Johnston Memorial Scholarship Fund

1. Must be a Senior at Ridgedale High School and attended Ridgedale his/her entire Senior Year

2. Be registered to attend an accredited college or university located in Ohio which normally maintains a regular faculty and curriculum and normally has a regularly enrolled body of pupils or students in attendance at the place where its educational activities are regularly carried on for a course of study that will prepare them for a career.

3. Have scored in the upper 50th percentiles of the ACT, SAT or other national standardized test commonly used to select students for the applicant's planned course of study. Have timely prepared and filed the application and accompanying documents designated by the Marion Foundation for this scholarship.

Geraldine M Hedges Memorial Scholarship

Must be a high school senior or graduate at either Ridgedale or Marion Harding High School

Jacob Pfeiffer & Kevin Pfeiffer Memorial Scholarship

1. Must have attended either Pleasant or Ridgedale High School all four

years 2. Must have at least a 3.0 cumulative grade point average

3. Not be a relative of Wendell Pfeiffer

Wesley and Karen Schertzer Memorial Scholarship - \$1,000 Scholarship This scholarship is available for Ridgedale and Pleasant students. The scholarship will be rewarded to a student who maintains and promotes a high standard of social values. The student must maintain a cumulative grade point average of 2.5 or higher.