

Department of Geology Grand Valley State University

APPLICATION FOR GEOLOGY SCHOLARSHIPS

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS AND DEADLINES :

Eligibility Criteria: High school or community college graduates or GVSU geology, geology-chemistry, or earth sciences majors with a 3.0 cumulative grade point average and an interest in and/or aptitude for the earth sciences.

1. Please complete this form and send it to the Chair, Department of Geology, 1 Campus Drive, Grand Valley State University, Allendale, MI 49401.
2. In addition, please arrange to have the following supporting materials sent to the same address:
 - A. Official high school and/or college transcripts
 - B. Two reference forms (enclosed) which are to be completed by two former teachers or professors (at least one in science)
3. A personal visit to the Department or with one of its faculty members or students is welcomed and encouraged.
4. This award is subject to reduction in dollar amount should you be awarded a scholarship under State Competitive Scholarship Program or from any other agency whose award would be cancelled or reduced because of this scholarship.

Please provide (print or type) the following information as completely as possible:

Name: _____ Social Security No. _____
 last name first name middle

Home address: _____
 number & street city state zip telephone

Parent or guardian's name & address: _____
 name
 address

Education: High School _____
 name city diploma year GPA

College _____
 name dates of attendance major GPA

List geology or geology-related courses taken and grades received:

_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Reference Form
Geology Scholarship

Department of Geology
Grand Valley State University
Allendale, MI 49401

1. Name of Applicant _____

At your earliest convenience, please mail this form to:

Chair
Department of Geology
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2. Indicate the population with which the applicant is being compared in this rating:

_____ High school students I have known or taught

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_____ All students, high school or college, I have known or taught

	Exceptional	Upper 5%	Upper 10%	Upper 25%	Upper 50%	No Basis for Judgment
Knowledge of math & science	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ability to work independently	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ability to share & exchange ideas	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Perseverance towards goals	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ability to express self orally	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Ability to express self in writing	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

3. Please indicate the strength of your overall endorsement by placing an "X" along the scale:

Not recommended	Recommended with some reservation	Recommended	Highly Recommended

4. Your written comments about the application will be appreciated.

Referee Name _____ Signature _____

Position _____ Date _____

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