

Lillian Dickert Gainey Memorial Scholarship 2022-23

PURPOSE: The Lillian Dickert Gainey Memorial Scholarship was established in 1996 to honor the memory of Lil Gainey a teacher, colleague, coach and sponsor for 21 years with the purpose of affording an outstanding foreign language student who has also participated in some form of extracurricular activity from Fort Mill High School the opportunity to continue his/her education after high school.

ELIGIBILITY: To be eligible, a candidate shall be a graduating Fort Mill High School student, which meets the following requirements:

- Have been accepted at an accredited two- or four- year institution of higher learning or technical college;
- Have an overall grade point average of 3.0 or higher;
- Successfully completed at least three years of foreign language studies; and
- Provide a 200-word statement about how your foreign language studies have affected you and how you have benefited.

SELECTION PROCESS: A committee composed of a Fort Mill High School administrator; guidance counselor, foreign language teachers, and one other teacher shall review the applications and select the recipient.

AMOUNT: One \$500 scholarship

APPLICATION: Applicants are to complete the application AND submit a 200-word essay covering: “How have your foreign language studies affected you and how have you benefitted from them?”

DISBURSEMENT: The scholarship check will be made payable and sent directly to the university or college upon receipt of the Student Scholarship Acceptance Form (provided at award notification). Recipient will be announced at the Academic Awards Program in May.

DEADLINE: Application and essay are due to Guidance BY March 1, 2023

Lillian Dickert Gainey Memorial Scholarship Application

Name (print) _____

Address _____

Home Phone # & Cell #'s _____

Email Address _____

Parents' Names _____

School of Study/Curriculum Cluster _____

Grade Point Average _____ SAT/ACT Score _____

Foreign language(s) studied, year, and grade received:

Course Title	Year	Grade received
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Extracurricular Activities (list or attach separately):

University, College or Technical School You Plan to Attend _____

Intended Major _____

Career Plans _____

I, (the applicant) do hereby attest that to the best of my knowledge the information on the application and associated attachments is true and correct.

Signature of Applicant _____ Date _____

Signature of Parent _____ Date _____