## FREEDOM VILLAGE AT BRANDYWINE SCHOLARSHIP FUND, INC.

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## Dear Scholarship Applicant:

In order to be considered for a scholarship award, you must meet the following minimum requirements:

- a. You must have been employed by FVB for at least 5 months during which you have worked at least 200 hours between March 1, 2024, and December 31, 2024.
- b. Employment status must remain through July 31, 2025, with the understanding that you will work a minimum of 20 hours each month between June 1, 2025 and July 31, 2025.
- c. You must be a high school senior, a high school graduate, or must have passed a GED test.
- d. You must be accepted for admission by an accredited college, university, or technical institute.

Copies of official transcripts of your high school record and, if applicable, college or technical institution you may have attended after high school <u>must be attached to your application</u>. Your photo is required, with permission. If you are just starting your higher education, please attach a copy of your letter of acceptance from the applicable college, university, or institute of higher education.

The attached application form must be completed in full. A personal check list is attached to ensure that you have all the required documents. The FVB Scholarship Board may reject your application if it is not fully completed or is not turned in by March 31, 2025. If you have received a prior scholarship from FVSB, you need to submit only one (1) letter of recommendation, preferably from a current faculty member of your school.

The selection of recipients and the amount of any scholarship awarded lie exclusively with the FVB Scholarship Fund Board of Directors. Selection factors include, but are not limited to, scholastic record, financial need, character, leadership, and the results of a personal interview. Filmed interview will be required after the scholarship is awarded.

Scholarship awards are made payable directly to the institute of higher education that you designate. Payments may be made in 2 installments: the first in early August and the second in early December. Awards must be used for the educational year of August 1, 2025, through July 31, 2026.

Your completed application and all attachments must be placed in <u>Resident Mailbox 454 no later than March 31, 2025</u>. It is suggested that you keep a copy of your application for your own records. All information submitted to the Board of Directors will be held in strict confidence.

Please do not hesitate to speak to any Director if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

The Board of Directors

Freedom Village at Brandywine Scholarship Fund, Inc.