

Carly Faye Foundation Academic Scholarship

The ***Purpose*** of the **Carly Faye Foundation Scholarship** is to provide a scholarship to a graduating senior from Catholic Central High School who intends to pursue a course of study at a university or college and demonstrates hard work and dedication to academia that was characteristic of Carly Delong.

Carly Faye Delong was born on February 4 2002, and from an early age began setting huge goals for herself and then set down a path of hard work and dedication to achieve those goals. No matter the obstacles that were placed in front of her she pushed through with her eyes set firmly on her goals. She dreamed of becoming a pediatric oncologist and planned on attending Stanford University. Academics were a priority but she was not short on enjoying life and being involved in activities outside of academics as well. Carly was diagnosed with acute lymphocytic leukemia on new years eve 2016 and passed away from complications of her chemotherapy on September 23 2017 at the age of 15. Through her treatments she continued her schooling from home as she refused to get behind. She continued to be a part of her volleyball team and attend as many practices and events as she could. She never once believed that she would not be here today. She continued to keep her eyes on her goals and fought an even harder battle to achieve them. She was an inspiration to all that knew her.

Our ***Mission*** at the **Carly Faye Foundation** is to continue the legacy of Carly Faye Delong through scholarships in education and athletics. We will also continue Carly's vision of an in hospital program to provide a "beauty" day for girls battling cancer. Our hope is to continue to inspire others to dream big, work hard, never forget that Carly showed us that some mountains were made to be moved!

Criteria and eligibility

1. Applicant must attend Catholic Central High School.
2. Applicant must be a graduating high school senior in the year of the award.
3. Applicant must have at least a **3.0 grade point average**.
4. Applicant must submit a 1 page essay. (see below)
5. Applicant must submit 2 letters of recommendations from non family member

Application Process:

Applicant must submit the following items:

1. Completed application form (if handwritten, please print legibly)
2. Two (2) letters of recommendations from choice of high school teachers, administrators, counselors, employers, or individual with significant knowledge of applicant's experience and involvement.
3. An official and recent high school transcript with cumulative grade point average and a class standing/rank.
4. Personal Essay. Essay must be at least 1-2 typed pages, double-spaced, 12 pt / Time New Roman font. Essay shall contain no grammatical errors.

Deadline for the application is **April 12, 2019, 5:00 p.m.** Applications postmarked after this date will not be considered.

Please mail OR submit application in person to:

Carly Faye Foundation Academic Scholarship
Catholic Central High School
Guidance Office
1200 E High St
Springfield, Ohio 45505

Carly Faye Foundation Academic Scholarship

Application 2019

Date of Application:

Please **type** or **print** your answers. If application is illegible it will be returned to you.

1.	Last Name:	First Name:
2.	Mailing Address:: Street: _____ City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____	
3.	Daytime Telephone Number: () _____	
4.	Date of Birth: Month Day Year	
5.	Email: _____	
7.	I will be attending the following school in the <u>Fall of 2019</u> : _____ Proof of acceptance or current student enrollment from the above school is required prior to funds being released to the college or university.	
9.	Grade Point Average (GPA): _____ (On a 4.0 scale) Attach proof of GPA. Your most recent official school transcript required.	
10.	Have you taken the ACT exam? Yes No If no, when do you plan to take the exam: _____ SAT exam? Yes No If no, when do you plan to take the exam: _____	
11.	Name & address of parent(s) or legal guardian(s): Use reverse side of application if you need more space. Name (s) _____ Street: _____ City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____ Home phone of parents or legal guardians: _____	
14.	What specialty/major do you plan to major in as you continue your education?	

17.	List your academic honors, community service activities, extracurricular activities, hobbies and outside interests:
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19.	<p>Personal Essay Please answer the following question: What is your biggest dream? And what is the first step or steps you have taken or plan to take to fulfill your dream? What is the biggest adversity you have overcome and what did it teach you? This question must be at least 1-2 pages, typed, double-spaced, and 12 pt /.</p>
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20.	<p>A. The following items must be attached to this application in order for the application to qualify to be reviewed by the scholarship committee. B. Your application will not be considered if these items are not attached to this application. (No exceptions.) C. Circle "YES" or "NO" to be sure you have attached each item as required.</p>		
	YES	NO	Completed application. All questions are answered completely.
	YES	NO	Two (2) Letters of Recommendation.
	YES	NO	Proof of college acceptance or current student enrollment. A <u>copy</u> of your college acceptance letter is required for receipt of funds.
	YES	NO	Most recent <u>official</u> high school transcripts. Photocopies of your transcript are <u>acceptable</u> , if transcript is signed by a guidance counselor or principal.
	YES	NO	Personal Essay. Must be at least 1-2 pages, typed, double-spaced, and 12 pt / Time New Roman font. Please ensure your essay contains no grammatical errors.

STATEMENT OF ACCURACY

I hereby affirm that all the above stated information provided by me is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I also consent that my picture may be taken and used for any purpose deemed necessary to promote the Foundation's scholarship program.

I hereby understand that if chosen as a scholarship recipient, according to Carly Faye Foundation Scholarship policy, I must provide evidence of enrollment/registration at the post-secondary institution of my choice before scholarship funds can be awarded.

Signature of scholarship applicant: _____ Date: _____

Signature of applicant's guardian/ parent: _____ Date: _____



