



2021 JAA SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

I. INFORMATION ABOUT YOU AND YOUR ACTIVITIES

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____ E-mail: _____

Athletic Participation at Handley:

Please describe your athletics participation, by grade and season. Examples: Freshman Basketball; JV Soccer; Outdoor Track & Field; Var. Football Mgr.

<u>Grade</u>	<u>Fall Season</u>	<u>Winter Season</u>	<u>Spring Season</u>
9	_____	_____	_____
10	_____	_____	_____
11	_____	_____	_____
12	_____	_____	_____

If you would like, you may use this space to provide information or explanations about your athletic participation, or you may tell us about athletic accomplishments or honors.

Note: Athletic ability is not a factor in JAA scholarship selection.

Academic Information:

Grade Point Average: _____ (Verified by guidance: _____) REQUIRED

Diploma Program (Advanced or Standard Program of Studies?) _____

List academic awards and/or honors:

Extracurricular Activities:

List the school and community activities in which you have been involved which have been most important to you. Indicate grade level (9-12) and any leadership positions held. Do not include school athletics here.

Employment:

List part-time and summer employment, including employment plans for this coming summer.

II. INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR POST- HIGH SCHOOL PLANS

To what schools (colleges, universities, business schools or trade schools) have you been **ACCEPTED** for admission for the 2021-2022 year and what do you plan on studying?

What is the school that you will most likely attend and what is the yearly cost? The approximate yearly cost of attending a school includes tuition, fees, room and board (if necessary) and personal expenses. This figure can be obtained from the school or from the College Cost Book in Handley's guidance office.

School: _____ Yearly Cost: _____

Please list all scholarships, financial aid packages or loans for which you have applied. Include source and amount, and indicate if you have received any of these (R) or if they are still pending (P).

If you will play Division I or Division II interscholastic sports in college, have you received an offer of an athletic scholarship governed by the NCAA from the school you will attend? _____ **If yes, please describe below and contact JAA Scholarship Chairman Tommy Stine at (540) 974-7821 or Melanie Melester (540) 667-0736 as soon as possible.** Additional information is necessary in order not to jeopardize your NCAA eligibility.

III. INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR FAMILY

Parents/Guardians

Father: _____

Address: _____

Occupation: _____

Employer: _____

Mother: _____

Address: _____

Occupation: _____

Employer: _____

With whom do you live (all persons)? (Indicate names and relationships to you)

Other family members (in addition to you) who will be in college in 2021-2022

<u>Name</u>	<u>College</u>	<u>Year in School</u>	<u>Receiving Aid?</u>
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

IV. ELECTION REGARDING COMPLETION OF SECTION V: FINANCIAL INFORMATION

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

Applicants and their parents may elect to complete or to not complete Section V: Financial Information. Not completing Section V: Financial Information will result in an applicant receiving no consideration for the highest priority criterion (financial need). The application will be considered for scholarships based on the other criteria as stated in the cover sheet. We encourage you to complete Section V: Financial Information, even if you feel your family is unlikely to qualify for a scholarship based on financial need. Completing this section may enhance your likelihood of receiving a scholarship. However, completion of the financial section is not required and, unlike in past years, failure to do so will not disqualify you from consideration.

PLEASE SELECT: I have discussed this decision with my parents/guardian, and after consideration of this issue, we elect as follows:

_____ To complete Section V: Financial Information
(please proceed to the next section)

_____ Not to complete Section V: Financial Information
(please skip to Section VI: Statement of Applicant)

V. FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Did you and your parents/guardian file the “Free Application for Federal Student Aid” (FAFSA)?

_____ YES _____ NO

If Yes, have you received your Student Aid Report (SAR)?

_____ YES _____ NO

If Yes, what is your Expected Family Contribution (EFC) as indicated on your SAR?
(The EFC is the number located in the upper right corner on your SAR.)

\$ _____ **PLEASE GIVE DOLLAR AMOUNT NOT CODE**

Please indicate your total family income (defined for this purpose as your **adjusted gross income** as reported on your **2020** income tax return, **IRS Form 1040, Line 7**. Circle one taxable income range, below:

- | | |
|------------------|-------------------|
| \$0-25,000 | \$100,001-125,000 |
| \$25,001-40,000 | \$125,001-150,000 |
| \$40,001-55,000 | \$150,001-175,000 |
| \$55,001-70,000 | \$175,001-200,000 |
| \$70,001-85,000 | \$200,001 + |
| \$85,001-100,000 | |

Are you participating in any prepaid tuition programs?

_____ YES _____ NO

Will anyone who does not live with you participate in funding your college education?

_____ NO _____ YES

If yes, who?

- _____ PARENT
- _____ GRANDPARENT
- _____ OTHER: _____

Annual amount expected from this source(s)? \$ _____

Have you received a financial aid package from the school you plan to attend? (The financial aid package will list what the school is offering you in Grants, Work Study, and Loans.)

_____ YES _____ NO / NOT YET

If yes, list the type and amount of assistance in your package. If no, please notify your guidance counselor immediately upon notification from the school(s).

Grants: _____

Loans: _____

Work-Study: _____

Have you accepted this package? _____ YES _____ NO

If No, why not? _____

How much assistance do you think you will need in addition to amounts you may have received or will receive from a school, other organizations, your own savings, or your family or other sources?

Is there any other information you wish to provide which might help the Committee better understand your financial situation and your need for assistance?

VII. CERTIFICATIONS OF APPLICANT AND PARENT

The following must be read by you and your parent/guardian. After reading, please sign and date below.

1. We understand that JAA scholarship decisions are made by the Scholarship Committee based on the stated selection criteria and that no student-athlete is guaranteed to receive a JAA Scholarship.
2. We certify that the information provided in this application is true and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.
- 3. We have read thoroughly the instructions in this application and on the cover sheet. We understand the criteria for the scholarships and what scholarships may be used for. We understand the election regarding disclosure of financial information. We understand that all student-athletes submitting an application are expected to attend the Awards Banquet in May unless special circumstances exist which are approved in advance. We understand that if selected to receive a scholarship, the student must send a thank you note to the scholarship donor promptly.**
4. We understand that the JAA will use its best efforts to protect the confidentiality of information contained in the scholarship applications and will destroy all financial data in the applications after scholarships are awarded. In consideration of these assurances of the JAA Scholarship Committee to operate in good faith and with best reasonable efforts, the undersigned waives all claims and releases the JAA and its officers and directors of all liability as a result of any inadvertent breaches of confidentiality.
5. The undersigned acknowledges that in the event a scholarship is awarded to Applicant, such scholarship shall be used within the four-year period following high school graduation, or the award may be deemed forfeited. Before the expiration of such period, the recipient may, by letter directed to the Treasurer of the JAA, elect to defer the application of the scholarship for an additional one-year period.

Signature of Applicant

Date _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date _____

APPLICATIONS DUE IN COUNSELING OFFICE BY 7 p.m. on Tuesday, June 1st.