

## SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Through a generous donation by Theodore Habarth, founder of the Maryland Mathematics, Engineering, Science Achievement Program, a scholarship fund was established to assist high school seniors who plan to attend college with a major in mathematics, science, or engineering. This fund provides a one-year, portable, undergraduate scholarship of \$1,000 to selected Maryland MESA students, renewable for three additional years.

Other non-renewable scholarships available through the Maryland MESA Program include: The Julian S. Smith Scholarship; the Maishan S. Nelson Memorial Scholarship (formerly known as the Chesapeake Bay Roost Scholarship); and others provided by local colleges, universities, and industry organizations.

### REQUIREMENTS and GUIDELINES

Students must meet the following minimum requirements in order to be eligible for these awards (each scholarship may contain additional requirements):

- U.S. citizenship.
- High school senior, qualifying for an incentive award (B average or above in Math, Science, and English courses).
- Completed at least one year as a Maryland MESA student prior to the 12<sup>th</sup> grade.
- Taken the S.A.T. with results recorded in the Maryland MESA Central office.
- Accepted to an accredited college or university for the academic year immediately following graduation, with a major in mathematics, engineering, science, or technology.

The attached application must include:

- Biographical sketch (Part 8).
- Letter of recommendation (Part 9).
- College acceptance letter (or proof of registration) AND proof of major (Part 10).

**The deadline for receipt of application is April 1, 2008.**

All applications and questions should be directed to:

Maryland MESA  
The Johns Hopkins University  
Applied Physics Laboratory  
11100 Johns Hopkins Road  
Laurel, MD 20723-6099  
Ph 443-778-5382 / Baltimore  
Ph 240-228-5382 / Washington  
Fx: 443-778-6139 / 240-228-6139

**Part 1. General Info**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Social Security Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Years in Maryland MESA: \_\_\_\_\_ MESA Advisor's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

U.S. Citizen: \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

**Part 2. Contact Information**

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Other Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Part 3. Academic Information**

High School You Currently Attend: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Graduation: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade Average: \_\_\_\_\_ GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

SAT Scores:	_____	Verbal	_____	Math	_____	Total	_____
	_____	Verbal	_____	Math	_____	Total	_____
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**Part 4. Extracurricular Activities and Recognitions**

Extracurricular activities, clubs, organizations, and community groups that you are affiliated with:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

List all awards recieved, offices held, and committees on which you have served:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Part 5. College/University Information**

Colleges or Universities to which you have applied:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Location: \_\_\_\_\_ Accepted? \_\_\_\_\_

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Which do you plan to attend? \_\_\_\_\_

Your Proposed Major: \_\_\_\_\_

Your Primary Career Goal: \_\_\_\_\_

**Part 6. Parent/Guardian Information**

Name of Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Other Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Part 7: References**

Name, address, and phone number of two (2) school, work, or special program references that may be contacted for information on your work or academic performance.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relation to you: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Other Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relation to you: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Other Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Part 8:**

Please attach, on a separate sheet, a short biographical sketch. Please include:  
1) WHY YOU SHOULD RECIEVE A MARYLAND MESA SCHOLARSHIP, and  
2) YOUR VISION OF YOUR FUTURE

**Part 9:**

Attached one (1) Letter of Recommendation from a teacher, counselor, advisor, or school administrator. This letter should be SIGNED and should include the address and phone number of the author.

**Part 10:**

Please attach a copy of your COLLEGE ACCEPTANCE LETTER and PROOF OF MAJOR.

\* All the above attachments must be included in your scholarship application.  
Applications recieved that do not include the required attachments  
will not be considered. \*

I authorize the use and distribution of all information contained in this application and its attachments by members of the Maryland MESA Selection Committee and the Maryland MESA staff. I also authorize any of my references, schools and special programs attended, and employers to furnish information requested by Maryland MESA and hereby release all such persons and organizations from any claim for damages by reason of furnishing such information or records.

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_