



MARK VINCENT PELINI FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP

A scholarship will be awarded by the Mark Vincent Pelini Foundation to one or more graduating seniors from a high school in Ohio's Mahoning Valley to assist financially with postsecondary education. Scholarships will be paid directly to the institution where the recipient is pursuing further education and/or training. *Please submit your complete application package on or before April 13, 2026 to:*

MVPScholarship@gmail.com

or

MVP FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP
C/O MARK VINCENT PELINI FOUNDATION
PO Box 3414
Boardman, Ohio 44513

THE MARK VINCENT PELINI FOUNDATION MISSION

The Mark Vincent Pelini Foundation is made up of a committed group of family, friends, and volunteers dedicated to raising funds to support educational scholarships and programs, athletic programs, and community-driven initiatives as a way to honor the memory of Mark Vincent Pelini.

To learn about the Mark Vincent Pelini Foundation, visit markvincentpelinifoundation.org.

A RENEWABLE SCHOLARSHIP

The Scholarship will be awarded on an objective and nondiscriminatory basis to students who have taken leadership roles in school, home, and or community activities and who have demonstrated outstanding character, a love of learning, a commitment to helping others, and a capacity for future personal and professional success shown by a minimum 2.5 high school GPA. The Scholarship is renewable upon proof of continuing enrollment and satisfactory progress.

MARK VINCENT PELINI SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

INSTRUCTIONS FOR STUDENTS

1. Complete the following scholarship application form. **THE APPLICATION DEADLINE IS April 13, 2026.**
2. In considering the activities, employment, awards, and honors to list in this application, choose the ones that best exemplify your leadership, your love of learning, and your dedication to helping others, in honor of Mark Vincent Pelini.
3. Compose and submit two essays (each 250 to 350 words) on the topics stated in the application.
4. Ask one faculty member, coach, or employer to submit a recommendation on your behalf on or before the application deadline.



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STUDENT BACKGROUND INFORMATION *(all is required)*

STUDENT NAME

Last Name: _____

First Name: _____ Middle Name: _____

Student email address: _____

Student Phone: _____

STUDENT ADDRESS

Street Address Line: _____

City: _____ State: OH Zip: _____

STUDENT'S PARENT(S) OR GUARDIAN(S) *(Provide at least one contact person.)*

FIRST PARENT OR GUARDIAN

Name: _____

Home or Mobile Phone: _____

Email Address: _____

SECOND PARENT OR GUARDIAN

Name: _____

Home or Mobile Phone: _____

Email Address: _____



HIGH SCHOOL NAME: _____

CUMULATIVE GPA: _____

POSTSECONDARY INSTITUTION WHERE STUDENT WILL ATTEND:

Name of Institution: _____

Enrollment Date: _____

Anticipated Program or Major: _____

Address of Institution: _____

Street Address Line: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

CONTACT INFORMATION FOR FINANCIAL AID OFFICER:

Name: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

ACTIVITIES, EMPLOYMENT, AWARDS, AND HONORS *(Please list at least five civic, athletic, social, or employment-related accomplishments, awards, or honors.):*

FIRST ACTIVITY, ETC.: _____

Start and End Dates: _____

Name and Email of Supervisor _____

Description: _____

SECOND ACTIVITY, ETC.: _____

Start and End Dates: _____

Name and Email of Supervisor _____

Description: _____

THIRD ACTIVITY, ETC.: _____

Start and End Dates: _____

Name and Email of Supervisor _____

Description: _____

FOURTH ACTIVITY, ETC.: _____

Start and End Dates: _____

Name and Email of Supervisor _____

Description: _____

FIFTH ACTIVITY, ETC.: _____

Start and End Dates: _____

Name and Email of Supervisor _____

Description: _____

ESSAY TOPICS

Please write essays on each of the following topics on a separate sheet and submit the essays with your application. A typed version is preferred. Each essay should be between 250 and 350 words.

First Essay Topic: What are your academic and career goals, and how will this scholarship help you achieve them?

Second Essay Topic: What does “service” mean to you, and how do you live it out?

I certify that the information in this application is true and that I will be pursuing postsecondary education as a full-time student at a two or four-year college or university or a trade school. I agree that all or some of my application, including photo, essays, and achievements, may be included in publicity regarding the Scholarship and that the Mark Vincent Pelini Foundation may release information about me related to the Scholarship to my guidance counselor, academic advisor, and application evaluators.

Signature of Applicant _____

FOR APPLICANTS UNDER THE AGE OF 18:

Signature of Parent or Guardian _____