

Before you begin...

You will need the following documents ready to upload before you begin:

Building Foundations Scholarship Applicants:

1. [EMPLOYER VERIFICATION FORM](#) with your current rate of pay and hours/week completed and signed by your most recent employer. [Download a blank Employer Verification Form](#)
2. Family/Group Home/Center OWNERS may submit DHS Subsidy Statement and/or Food Program Statement and/or Schedule C.

This scholarship is for a 3-4 credit course in ECE. This scholarship is not available for graduate coursework.

Associates Degree/CDA Training Scholarship Applicants:

1. [EMPLOYER VERIFICATION FORM](#) with your current rate of pay and hours/week completed and signed by your most recent employer. Download a blank [Employer Verification Form](#)
2. Family/Group Home/Center OWNERS may submit DHS Subsidy Statement and/or Food Program Statement and/or Schedule C.
3. STIPEND APPLICANTS ONLY: Copy of letter or policy prohibiting your employer from participating in sponsorship
4. Proof of application to MiReconnect <https://missg.guarantorsolutions.com/StudentPortal/reconnect> for those that meet the criteria **Reconnect is a scholarship program for Michiganders 25 or older, who don't have a college degree, to pursue an associate degree or skill certificate. Reconnect covers up to the 'in-district' tuition, mandatory fees, and contact hours at any of Michigan's public community colleges. Visit [List of Colleges](#) if you need help figuring out which college to attend.**

CDA Assessment and Renewal Scholarship Applicants (apply to the Council for Professional Recognition BEFORE applying for a TEACH scholarship.) & MIYDA Youth Development Credential Applicants (apply to MIYDA BEFORE applying for a TEACH scholarship.):

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2. Family/Group Home/Center OWNERS may submit DHS Subsidy Statement and/or Food Program Statement and/or Schedule C.
3. FOR CDA ASSESSMENT/RENEWAL: Copy of e-mail received from info@cdacouncil.org indicating you have made it through their application process and are at the point of payment for the assessment or renewal fee.
3. FOR MIYADA: A screen capture of your MI-YDA candidate dashboard showing completion of all credential requirements up to payment.

Bachelor's Degree Scholarship Applicants:

1. [EMPLOYER VERIFICATION FORM](#) with your current rate of pay and hours/week completed and signed by your most recent employer. Download a blank [Employer Verification Form](#)
2. Family/Group Home/Center OWNERS may submit DHS Subsidy Statement and/or Food Program Statement and/or Schedule C.
3. Transcript OR Transfer Credit Evaluation from participating college/university you're currently attending for your degree showing at least 55 credit hours recognized.
4. Program/Major Plan listing degree or program of enrollment.
5. STIPEND APPLICANTS ONLY: Copy of letter or policy prohibiting your employer from participating in sponsorship