



Scholarship Application

School Year? _____ **Summer?** _____ **Both?** _____

Child's Name: _____

Child's Birthdate: _____ Child's Gender: Male _____ Female _____

*Child must be at least 3 years old and up to two years prior to Kindergarten.

Ethnicity: _____

Child lives with: Mother _____ Father _____ Both Parents _____ Guardian _____

Name of Parent or Guardian _____

Address: _____

Telephone: Home _____ Cell _____ Work _____

E-mail Address: _____

Number in Family: _____

Non-residing parent's name and address (optional):

Telephone: Home _____ Cell _____ Work _____

Copies of information needed to complete the application include:

- Proof of child's age
- Proof of address for primary parent/guardian
- Proof of earned household income

*Information will be shared with the child care/early education program you choose to send your child, and may also be reviewed by United Way of Erie County and the Erie Community Foundation.

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*By applying for an EFF Scholarship, once I am approved, I will (agree to the following by initialing to indicate parental/guardian consent):

____ Enroll my child and meet the expectations of a program from a list of qualified programs in Erie County

____ Encourage my child's attendance in the program. The scholarship does not pay for vacations or leave of absences from the scholar's enrolled program.

____ Give a 2 week notice if I choose to exit the Scholarship Program.

____ Inform the EFF Scholarship Director of any change of address or contact information, or circumstance.

____ Agree to participate in the Erie's Future Fund Scholarship program evaluation process, which may include completing surveys, interviews, program child and family assessments, observations, and school assessments, through the fourth grade.

____ Permit Erie's Future Fund to photograph my child by Erie's Future fund staff, for newspaper, and TV/media, internet and/or public display.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Completed applications may be submitted directly to the Erie's Future Fund Scholarship Program by any of the following: email: kimbeers@earlyconnectionserie.org, fax: 814-874-0147 or mail Attention: Erie's Future Fund, 200 West 11th St., Suite 200, Erie, PA 16501

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