

A scholarship fund has been established in memory of Fern Magyar and honor of Frank Magyar by their family to assist first year nursing students at Mercy College of Northwest Ohio (Mercy College), St. Elizabeth Campus, who are in financial need. Fern and Frank Magyar are longtime advocates of higher education as reflected in the accomplishments of their three children. Fern Magyar was an active member of the American Business Women's Association and a scholarship is given by the Association each year in her memory. In 2006 Frank Magyar was declared an honorary Mercy College Youngstown Campus Ambassador, where he is often seen with his Mercy College cap and jacket recruiting new students for the College.

Entering students at the Mercy College St. Elizabeth Campus, who are enrolling in the Associate Degree Program in Nursing, who have at least a 3.0 grade point average, and are in good standing, may apply for the scholarship. Applicants must be a resident of Columbiana, Mahoning, or Trumbull Counties in Ohio. The College's Scholarship Committee selects the recipient. The award is estimated at \$1000.

Funding for the award is from annual contributions received in memory of Fern Magyar and honor of Frank Magyar from their family. The scholarship is to pay for tuition and fees. The funding is to be split equally over two semesters. In the unlikely event the initial intent of the fund can not be fulfilled, the Board of Directors of the Mercy College of Northwest Ohio Foundation may direct the funds to another use, which in their understanding, best meets the intent of the donor.

The criteria for the scholarship are as follows:

- An entering student accepted to the Associate Degree Nursing program at Mercy College, St. Elizabeth Campus,
- Minimum 3.0 GPA and in good standing,
- Financial need,
- Resident of Columbiana, Mahoning, or Trumbull Counties in Ohio,
- Completed application for the scholarship.

Note: There is additional information on the Magyar Family and their charitable intentions available in the Mercy College Advancement Office.