

My Future Fund

Providing a jump start for students and families as they plan and save for college and career training.

Washtenaw Intermediate School District administers the My Future Fund program in collaboration with Washtenaw County Government. The money in My Future Fund Accounts will be held on behalf of students by the Michigan Education Savings Program and managed by TIAA-CREF Tuition Financing, Inc.



What is My Future Fund?

My Future Fund is a program for all 1st-6th grade students who attend a participating Washtenaw County public school. All eligible students will receive an account with free money to jump start their savings for college and career training. The program will also include free financial education and planning support.

All eligible students will receive a free \$25 deposit to start their account. Some students may qualify for an extra \$475 based on their family income.

How do I get a FREE account?

Accounts will automatically be activated for most students throughout the year. Look for more information and a login registration code when your child's account is ready.

Families who want to opt out of the program must complete an opt-out form.

Do I need to share my child's social security number?

No. You do not need to provide a social security number or tax identification number.

What do I need to do?

To access the full benefits of the program, a parent or guardian should complete the short **Release of Information Form** to:

- Allow My Future Fund staff to check if your student qualifies for the extra \$475 deposit, based on family income.
- Receive information about upcoming opportunities and resources.
- Activate My Future Fund account if your student is on your district/school's directory information opt out list.

Find the form online or by contacting the program.



How can we use My Future Fund dollars?

After high school, My Future Fund dollars can be used for a variety of education expenses such as tuition, certain room and board expenses, fees, and the cost of books, supplies and equipment (including computers, internet access fees, software or printers) needed as part of the program at an eligible educational institution.

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