



# Newaygo County Area **PROMISE ZONE**

Ensuring Educational Opportunities for a Promising Tomorrow

## HOW DOES A STUDENT QUALIFY?

### Residency Requirement:

Student who graduates from a Newaygo County High School or Newaygo County Home School and resides in the NC RESA service area.

### Grade Point Average:

Student must have a minimum graduate grade point average of 2.5 or higher.

### Level of Assistance Prorated:

100% if student attends grades 7-12 in a qualifying school.

### Begin Use of Funds:

Within one year of High School Graduation.

### Time Frame for Completion:

Three years from beginning of scholarship.

### The Last Dollar:

Student must complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) and apply any other scholarships funds received. The Promise will fund the remaining scholarship value.

## WHY IS THE PROMISE IMPORTANT?

- Provides opportunities to all of our children.
- Raises educational attainment.
- Creates a culture of education.
- Increases college readiness and success.

## SCHOLARSHIP VALUE

Scholarships will cover tuition and fees for a two-year award up to the value of the prevailing annual tuition rate of Muskegon Community College.

## ELIGIBLE INSTITUTIONS

**BAKER  
COLLEGE**

**MUSKEGON  
COMMUNITY  
COLLEGE**



For more information:  
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## OUR VISION

*Affording every Newaygo County Area Promise Zone student the opportunity for post-secondary education.*

Email for applications:  
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