

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

- Provides assistance to help cover the cost of participating in approved school activities (athletics, band, & graduation)
- Available to students in Cranberry, Franklin, Oil City & Valley Grove School Districts
- Program brought to you by the United Way of Venango County



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WHAT IS THE YOUTH ENRICHMENT PROGRAM

The purpose of the Youth Enrichment Program is to provide the opportunity for youth in Venango County's four school districts; Oil City, Franklin, Cranberry, & Valley Grove; to participate in school sanctioned activities (athletics, band, & graduation) by providing assistance to help cover the cost of participating. Working with pre-approved vendors the United Way's Youth Enrichment Program would pay a set amount for equipment/necessary items used to participate in school events.



YOUTH ENRICHMENT PROGRAM GUIDELINES

WHAT DOES THE PROGRAM COVER

The Enrichment Program will help cover the cost of participating in approved school sanctioned activities (ie: athletics, band, & graduation) by paying for items associated with the activity (ie: physicals, instrument, equipment, shoes, uniforms, & cap & gown.)

The Enrichment Program will provide a maximum amount of \$250.00 per youth for the school year.

ALICE Income Chart		
	1 Adult, 1 School-Age Child	2 Adult, 2 School-Age Children
Monthly Total	\$3,933	\$6,448
Annual Total	\$47,196	\$77,376
Hourly Wage	\$23.60	\$38.69

Note: The budgets reflect different costs based on the age of children in the household: full-day care for infants and preschoolers (4-year-old) and after school care for school-age children. To create budgets for additional family types: For an additional infant, increase the total budget by 13 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 12 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

WHO CAN USE THE PROGRAM

The Youth Enrichment Program will assist families at or below the current ALICE income guidelines. Those interested in participating must complete an application & provide income documentation.

HOW THE PROGRAM WORKS

The program will work with preapproved vendors & use preapproved accounts to secure the items necessary to participate. Items must be purchased through the preapproved entities if possible. If the covered cost being requested is for items not available from preapproved entities (physicals, activity fees, etc.), payment will be made directly to provider/vender, with proper documentation.

HOW TO PARTICIPATE

To begin the application process, parents must call 211. Coaches & other school officials that have a student in need may contact the United Way directly at liveunited@unitedwayofvenangocounty.org or 814-676-6545 to begin the application process for that student.

Parents:

CALL 211 TO START THE APPLICATION PROCESS.