# SCHOLARSHIP PROCESS

Donors have two paths to offer scholarships to our students.

#### MANAGED BY DONOR

## **CREATE**

Donors create an application based on the criteria they desire.

# **POST**

Donors share the application with high school counseling offices.

# **SOLICIT**

Counseling staff will post the scholarship on the school Counseling Department website.

# **SELECT**

Donors review applications and select the student(s) who meets the required criteria.

# **INFORM**

Donors inform the school and student/family of the scholarship award.

# **AWARD**

Donors award scholarship directly to the student's postsecondary institution.



#### MANAGED BY LIA\*

## **CONTRACT**

Donors contract with the <u>Local</u> <u>Impact Alliance</u> to administer their funds and scholarship.
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#### **CRITERIA**

Donors will work with the LIA to identify scholarship criteria based on the desire of the donor.

#### **POST**

The LIA will post the scholarship on their website for eligible students to apply. LIA will work with school counselors to help promote the scholarship.

#### SELECT

If desired, donors can review applications and recommend the student(s) to be awarded to the LIA. If the donor chooses not to participate in the selection process, the LIA Scholarship Committee will review all eligible applications, select a recipient, and inform the donor of the decision.

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