### SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS

1. **ELIGIBILITY**—Student must be a high school graduate and/or currently enrolled at Midland College.

2. **INITIAL GPA**—Incoming High School graduates must have a GPA of 3.1 or higher on a 4.0 scale. 
   
   **GPA**—**Current Midland College students must have and maintain an overall GPA of 2.75 or higher.**

3. **ENROLLMENT**—Student must maintain a **minimum** course load of nine credit hours per semester for the duration of the program.

4. **APPLICATIONS**—Students must complete and submit the Students in Philanthropy application and two letters of recommendation to the Midland College Office of Financial Aid. A personal interview by the SIP Coordinator with each qualified applicant will be required. Any late or incomplete applications, those unsigned or without proper attachments, will be deemed ineligible.

5. **COMMITMENT**—Students must make a commitment of one full academic year to the program, beginning with the Fall semester and ending upon completion of the Spring semester. This commitment includes meeting a minimum of one hour weekly at a pre-set time throughout the Students in Philanthropy year.

6. **COMPLIANCE**—Students must comply with the Students in Philanthropy Constitution and all related responsibilities.

7. **COMMUNITY SERVICE**—Students currently receiving the Midland Legacy Scholarship funds may apply Students in Philanthropy involvement toward accumulation of their required hours of community service.

### SCHOLARSHIP GUIDELINES

- **FUND AND RECIPIENT LIMIT**—The Abell-Hanger Foundation and the Helen Greathouse Charitable Trust guarantees eligible students funds up to a $500 scholarship per semester towards tuition, fees and/or books. Scholarships are awarded for up to 20 students selected to participate in Students in Philanthropy. Funds are to be utilized only for the student recipient awarded the scholarship and the express purpose for which the funds are awarded.

- **TIME LIMIT**—Students in Philanthropy is an annual educational leadership program which begins each Fall semester and ends upon completion of the Spring semester. Students must maintain the required GPA and **minimum** nine credit class course load per semester to be eligible for two semesters of the scholarship.

- **COVERAGE LIMITS**—Students are eligible for up to $500 per semester towards tuition, fees and/or books. The scholarship is only applicable for the Fall and Spring semesters; no summer or interim sessions are covered. Funds may not be exceeded or carried forward.

- **MAINTAINING ELIGIBILITY**—Students must maintain a **minimum** of nine credit hours per semester with a 2.75 GPA on a 4.0 scale or better. Students must comply with and fulfill all related responsibilities of Students in Philanthropy guidelines, requirements and Constitution. If a student does not meet these requirements, their membership will be revoked and scholarship forfeited.

- **LOSS OF ELIGIBILITY**—Students will forfeit their scholarships and their membership will be revoked if they do not abide by the Students in Philanthropy guidelines and requirements as specified above.