



THE OHIO MASONIC  
COMMUNITIES

## Scholarship Program



# Application for the 2025-2026 School Year

The Ohio Masonic Communities Scholarship Program is an endowment established by The Ohio Masonic Communities to provide tuition assistance for eligible full time students working toward a bachelor's, associate's or other undergraduate degree program at an accredited institution. The Ohio Masonic Communities Scholarship Committee is responsible for administering this annual scholarship.

**Submit this application to The Ohio Masonic Communities Scholarship Program.  
Applications must be received no later than 5:00 pm on Friday, April 4, 2025.**

*(Please type or print clearly using ink. Illegible applications will not be accepted.)*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Alternate Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Home address (street): \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

High School Attended: \_\_\_\_\_ High School Graduation date: \_\_\_\_\_

GPA: \_\_\_\_\_ or GED Score: \_\_\_\_\_ Current Year in College: \_\_\_\_\_

**College/University you are planning to attend or currently attending:**

\_\_\_\_\_

Intended major: \_\_\_\_\_

**List any student Masonic memberships (ex. Jobs Daughters, DeMolay) and other Masonic affiliated activities that you currently participate in:**

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian Info: (list the individual(s) who provide you with financial support)**

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Home address (street): \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Ohio Mason: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to applicant:

☐ father   ☐ step-father   ☐ grandfather   ☐ step-grandfather   ☐ self (if applicable)

Membership Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Is/was your parent or guardian disabled or deceased? ☐ Yes   ☐ No

Have you ever applied for the Ohio Masonic Communities scholarship? ☐ Yes   ☐ No

If yes, what year(s)? \_\_\_\_\_

If awarded, what year(s)? \_\_\_\_\_

Use the boxes below as your checklist for a complete application:

**ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA: To be eligible for consideration, the applicant must:**

☐ Have a Masonic membership, or affiliation by establishing that the applicant or the applicant's father, step-father, grandfather, or step-grandfather is in good standing or, was a Mason in good standing at the time of death of a body recognized by the Grand Lodge of F.&A.M. of Ohio including, but not limited to, Blue Lodges and Prince Hall Lodges in Ohio. PREFERENCE WILL BE GIVEN TO APPLICANTS WITH FINANCIAL NEED DUE TO THE PARENT/GUARDIAN'S DEATH OR DISABILITY.

☐ Be pursuing an associates, bachelor or other undergraduate degree program.

☐ Have made satisfactory academic progress in the preceding academic year (if applicable) as indicated by completion of required credit hours and a grade point average of at least 2.5 on a 4.0 scale.

☐ Be at least 16 but not more than 25 years of age at the time of application.

☐ Be accepted to or currently enrolled in a college or university on a full-time basis.

☐ Be a legal Resident of the State of Ohio.

## APPLICATION

### Submit a completed application with the following information:

- ☐ A complete copy of FAFSA for 2025-2026 school year. Please provide entire report.
- ☐ Copy of letter of acceptance or a current proof of enrollment from the college or university;
- ☐ Official transcript showing most recent cumulative grade point average;
- ☐ A brief essay written by the student to answer the following questions:

*What life and educational experiences have had the biggest impact on your goals for college and your future career?*

- ☐ A brief resume of school and community related activities, employment and volunteer work.

### Mail completed application and supporting documents to:

**The Ohio Masonic Communities Scholarship Program  
Attn: Joel Boehmer, The Ohio Masonic Communities  
2655 West National Road  
Springfield, OH 45504**

**DETERMINATION OF SCHOLARSHIP AWARD:** Awards shall be determined by The Ohio Masonic Communities Scholarship Committee, and all decisions of the committee are final.

**DISTRIBUTION OF SCHOLARSHIP AWARD:** The student must be enrolled on a full-time basis at a qualifying institution before any funds from the OMC Scholarship are distributed. All awards will be mailed to the student and payable directly to the school. Any tuition refunds, discounts, or rebates, up to the amount of the annual award, must be returned to the Scholarship Fund.

**MULTIMEDIA RELEASE CONSENT:** I hereby consent irrevocably and in perpetuity to the use and reproduction of any and all multimedia images taken of me at any time by The Ohio Masonic Communities, its employees, agents, representatives, assigns, and licensees, in any form of media whatsoever, which said use may include, but not be limited to, advertising, promotional or trade purposes. This consent is also granted for the use of any printed matter used in conjunction with any multimedia. I hereby waive all rights to approval of the finished product and/or printed matter accompanying its use. I understand and acknowledge that the copyright for, and ownership of, all multimedia images relevant to this document shall be the sole property of The Ohio Masonic Communities and/or its assigns.

I hereby warrant and represent that I am of legal age and of sound mind to execute this document. I further warrant that I have read this document and I understand its contents and implications. I understand that this authorization is voluntary and subject to written revocation at any time by notifying The Ohio Masonic Communities of revocation, in writing, delivered to:

The Ohio Masonic Communities  
Corporate Director, Marketing  
2655 West National Road, Springfield, Ohio 45504

**AGREEMENT:**

My signature below indicates that I have read and agree to the terms and conditions of The Ohio Masonic Communities Scholarship Program outlined in this application.

Student's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's or  
Guardian's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

*Incomplete or late applications are not eligible for consideration*