

FAITH BAPTIST CHURCH
CHRISTIAN COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP
2023-2024

A college scholarship fund has been set up to encourage young men and women from Faith Baptist Church to pursue education at an evangelical Christian College and to excel for God's glory. Part of this scholarship fund has been provided by an anonymous donor who is committed not only to encourage students through this scholarship, but also to regularly pray for them during the school year. The remainder of the fund represents the interest from gifts and memorials to the Faith Baptist Church Scholarship Fund.

We will award as many grants as income and gifts to the fund permit each year. Consideration will be given to applicants with genuine financial need and preference for the award may be granted to college freshman, to encourage their college career.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS:

1. The applicant must regularly attend Faith Baptist Church.
2. The student must be accepted as a freshman for the fall 2023 semester or be enrolled and in good standing (undergraduate level) at a conservative, evangelical, Christian college.
3. The applicant must give credible testimony of faith in Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior.
4. Two signed letters of recommendation **MUST** be included with the application (non-family and non-Faith staff members).
5. Because consideration is given to applicants with genuine financial need, a statement of financial need is required.
6. The attached application must be legible, completed in full, and all required documentation must be received by the deadline. If any portion is incomplete or missing or the deadline has passed, the application will not be considered. This is solely the applicant's responsibility.

APPLICATION DEADLINE:

The completed 2-page application and additional required documents must be submitted to Sheri McHerron in the office by **Saturday, April 8, 2023**. All completed applications will be forwarded to a separate Scholarship Committee (family members of applicants will not be on this committee).

Your college may offer matching scholarship funds. It is **your responsibility** to check with your college to determine if this qualifies for matching funds, to determine deadlines, and to provide required forms with completed application.

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION INFORMATION:

PLEASE FILL IN THIS FORM COMPLETELY.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Home Phone: _____ Email: _____

Cell Phone: (optional) _____ Age: _____ Birthdate: _____

College Attending (or planning to attend in Fall 2023):

College City and State: _____

College Standing (Fall 2023): Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior

If you are a Senior in High School, what is your GPA? _____

If you are currently attending college, what is your GPA? _____

College Major/Degree Objective:

Briefly state your career goal(s): _____

Major reasons for choosing this college: _____

Are you eligible for Matching Funds from your college? YES NO

Did you complete the FAFSA to receive federal student aid? YES NO

WHAT IS THE COST OF YOUR EDUCATION FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2023-2024?

(PLEASE PROVIDE ESTIMATES – DO NOT LEAVE THESE FIELDS BLANK)

Tuition, Fees, Books: \$ _____

Room and Board: \$ _____

TOTAL COST: \$ _____

How much are your parents able to provide? \$ _____

How much are you able to provide? \$ _____

Amount of loans: \$ _____

Amount of scholarships/grants: \$ _____

All other funding: \$ _____

TOTAL AVAILABLE FUNDING: \$ _____

How do you intend to make up any shortfall of funds?

Briefly state any special circumstances related to your financial need:

CHECK LIST

Submit the following documents, in paper form to the office or via email to sheri@faithcrossroads.org, clearly labeled with your name:

- Two-page application form completed in full (typed or printed clearly in pen) including college plans, financial information, ministry involvement at Faith Baptist, and personal testimony**
- Two signed letters of recommendation from non-family and non-Faith staff members (indicating how they know you, how long have they known you, and why they think you would be a good candidate for this scholarship)**
- Required paperwork for Matching Funds (if eligible for your college) including due date and any specific requirements**
- Resume or list of activities, volunteer work, community service, honors, awards, employment, and interests (OPTIONAL)**
- DEADLINE: SATURDAY, April 8, 2023**

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To download a form, go to the Forms page on the church website (faithcrossroads.org).

Awards will be announced mid-April.