



Champions for Christ

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Instructions for Scholarship Application – PLEASE READ CAREFULLY!

The "Champions for Christ Foundation" was founded to provide scholarship money to deserving students who have surrendered their lives to full-time Christian service. While we have provided scholarship money to hundreds of students, we consistently have more applications than we have available funds. This means that our board must review the applications carefully, and prayerfully, to determine whom the Lord would have us provide with scholarship help. The following instructions will assist you in completing the application. We strongly suggest that you review the instructions and fill in every line in the application. Leaving any line blank or failing to include all supporting documents will cause your application to be rejected. All board decisions on scholarship funding, are final and there is no appeal process. If your application is rejected, and you feel that you are deserving of a scholarship, we urge you to re-apply for your next term.

Please check our website (www.championsforchrist.us) and make sure that you have the latest CFC application.

Deadlines for Applications: Applications must be RECEIVED by:
Fall Term - July 1 Winter/Spring Term - November 1 Summer Term - April 1

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Personal information in the top section is self-explanatory. Please use your permanent address where you can be contacted year-round. If you live in a dorm while at school, and live with your parents when not at school, use your parent's address. Marital Status - Please use one of the following answers: Married, Single, Divorced, Separated, Remarried.

- 1) Check whether you are working on an undergraduate or graduate degree. Fill in your chosen major. Provide your class information (freshman, sophomore, etc.). Enter the degree sought and your expected graduation date.
- 2) Please fill in the field of service to which you feel the Lord has called you, NOT THE DEGREE SOUGHT.
- 3) Tell us any positions that you have held in churches, as a church member, or as a staff member. This would include positions such as: Sunday School teacher, deacon, choir member, or youth leader.
- 4) Enter the name and address of the college or seminary that you will be attending. Provide your expected costs for books and tuition. Finally, tell us how much aid you are requesting from Champions for Christ. We are looking for a specific dollar amount. Statements such as, "whatever you can give" will result in the rejection of your application.
- 5) Tell us your denomination, home church, pastor's name, address, and phone number. Also, give us the name of the church you are attending while away at school, including city/state/phone.
- 6) If married, give us the name of your spouse and the number of dependent children.
- 7) Give the following financial information: family income and ALL sources of aid. On family income, we are looking for the total income of your family. No one should put "zero" in this space. If you are a legal dependent of your parents, while you are in college, you must include their income as well. If you are receiving aid from your parents toward your tuition, include this amount in your total aid. Also, if you have other siblings in college please indicate.
- 8) Attach your most recent transcript and provide your cumulative grade point average. If you are just beginning college or seminary, provide your most recent high school or undergraduate college transcript. The transcript **MUST** include your name and ID number.

If you have received a "Champions for Christ" scholarship in the past, please check the box at the bottom of page one. Also, provide the date of your last CFC scholarship and the amount that you received. Attach your most recent transcript to your application. As a former recipient of a CFC scholarship, you are not required to complete page two.

If you have never received a "Champions for Christ" scholarship, **you must complete the entire application and provide all requested information.** Even if you have applied for a scholarship and were not granted a scholarship for any reason, we need a complete application with photograph, transcript, and letter of recommendation. We recommend that you maintain a copy of your complete application in case you are denied a scholarship and wish to re-apply in the future.

Page Two - THIS PAGE IS FOR THOSE WHO HAVE NEVER RECEIVED A "CHAMPIONS FOR CHRIST" SCHOLARSHIP.

- 1) Attach a photograph of yourself or of you and your spouse.
- 2) Attach a letter of recommendation from the PASTOR of your home church.
- 3) Personal Statement of Salvation - We are interested in a brief testimony of YOUR salvation experience and YOUR call to the Ministry. Please try to do this within the space provided.
- 4) Statement of Doctrinal Beliefs - We are interested in your personal core beliefs as a Christian. Among these beliefs, we would like to know your views on the Bible and who Jesus is to you personally. Use only the space provided.



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Scholarship Application

Date: _____ Telephone: _____
 Name: _____ Email: _____
 Address: _____ Date of Birth: _____
 _____ Birthplace: _____
 City, State, Zip _____ Marital Status: _____
 Social Security # _____ / _____ / _____ US Citizen: _____

1) Current Student Status: ___ High School ___ Undergraduate ___ Graduate
 Major _____ Class Level _____
 Degree Sought _____ Expected Graduation Date ___/___/___

2) Called Field of Service: _____

3) Positions Held at Church: _____

4) College/School Attending: _____
 Address: _____
 City, State, Zip: _____ Phone (____) _____ - _____
 Date Semester/Term Begins _____ Term Applied For _____
 Cost of Books \$ _____ Cost of Tuition \$ _____
 Amount of aid requested from Champions for Christ \$ _____

5) Church Information:
 Denomination: _____ Home Church: _____
 Pastor's Name: _____ Church Phone: (____) _____ - _____
 Address: _____
 City/State/Zip: _____
 Name of church attending while at school: _____
 City/State _____ Phone (____) _____ - _____

6) Dependents: Name of spouse: _____ Number of dependent children: _____

7) Financial Information:
 Annual income: \$ _____
 Legal Dependent of Parents (Y/N) _____
 Parental aid (Y/N) _____ If YES, number of siblings in college _____
 Other financial aid & sources _____
 _____ Total aid \$ _____

8) Attach a copy of your most recent transcript. Cumulative Grade Point Average _____
 Check here if you have received a "Champions for Christ Scholarship" in the past.
 Date of last scholarship: ___/___/___ Amount \$ _____

