

St. Stephen United Methodist Church
\$1,000 Scholarship Application

The purpose of the scholarship is to assist a qualified student with his or her first year of tuition at a college or university in order to help reach their career goals. The scholarship will be awarded to a graduating senior from an AISD high school. Payment of the scholarship will be made to the institution.

Selection of the award will be based on the following criteria:

- Completion of a short essay (minimum of 250 words), with the topic of “Why I Should Receive This Scholarship”
- Stating career goals which will be enabled by higher education
- Academic Achievements
- Financial Need
- School activities and/or community activities

While academic achievements are important, as they show an ability to achieve your goals, they are no more important for this scholarship than your demonstrated contributions to the community and aspirations to do so in the future with the help of this scholarship.

Interested students are encouraged to obtain an application from the high school counselor’s office or online. Completed applications may be mailed to St. Stephen United Methodist Church, 1800 W. Randol Mill Rd. Arlington, TX 76012, or may be submitted via email to office@ssumc-arl.org

Final deadline for receiving the application is April 15, 2018

The winner will be announced and presented the scholarship at the St. Stephen United Methodist Church Civic Leader and Scholar Recognition dinner to be held May 4, 2018 at the Shady Valley Country Club, Arlington, Texas.

Questions may be addressed to Richard Crowder via email richardcrowder44@yahoo.com

NOTES:

- a. Incomplete applications cannot be considered.**
- b. Students must graduate in the Spring of 2018**
- c. Students must enroll in a college or university for the Fall semester of 2018 with a minimum of 12 hours in any major.**

1. GENERAL INFORMATION

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone # _____

Soc. Sec. # _____ Date of Birth _____ Sex _____

Father's Name _____ Occupation _____

Mother's Name _____ Occupation _____

Approximate family's annual income _____

What college or university do you plan to attend? _____

Financial Resources (include financial aid, grants, loans, parental help, jobs, etc.) _____

2. HIGH SCHOOL ACADEMIC INFORMATION

What high school do you attend? _____ GPA (4pt scale) _____

AP Courses taken: _____

SAT Scores: _____

ACT Scores: _____

3. EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

List memberships, offices held and school years served in each school organization. _____

List participation in sports, band, clubs, other activities and school years served in each activity.

List community involvement activities, offices, awards, etc. _____

List work experience, duration of employment, and number of hours worked per week while in school.

4. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION (any other info you would like us to consider)

*Attach to this application an essay of 250 words minimum stating “Why you want to go to college and why you should receive this scholarship”

5. CERTIFICATION

I understand that if I am chosen to receive a scholarship, my final approval is contingent upon the completion of my high school requirements prior to September of this year, and enrolling as a full-time (at least 12 semester hours) student at a college or university for the Fall semester of 2018. If I do not meet these requirements, I will relinquish any rights to this scholarship.

Signature of applicant _____

Date _____