

Education Committee Scholarship Guidelines

The Education Committee aims to administer scholarships for **Union Grove Baptist Church Members** seeking higher education beyond high school. The Scholarship criteria, per academic year, are as follows:

- Parent and/or Guardian(s), along with student(s), must be active members in good standing at Union Grove Baptist Church.
 - Tithes
 - Time/Talent/Service (Missionary, Choir, Usher, Sunday School, etc.)
- A new student enrolled in a **4-year College/University** is eligible for an award of \$1,400.00, to be disbursed in increments of \$350.00 per year, up to 4 years.
- A new student enrolled in a **2-year Community College** is eligible for an award of \$700.00, to be disbursed in increments of \$350.00 per year, up to 2 years.
- Effective January 1, 2025, **Returning Applicants** will receive an increase for the duration of their scholarship.
- Renewable scholarship disbursements are administered provided that the student submits a **Continuing Education Verification Form** and an **Official Transcript** by the required deadline.
- Students must be in good academic standing with a GPA equivalent to a C average.
- Any break in enrollment will forfeit eligibility for the scholarship.

Scholarship Application Requirements:

1. Must be a recent High School graduate of **more than 1 year**
2. Must submit a **double-spaced** essay of an educational plan of study; describe time/talent/service at Union Grove Baptist Church.
3. Must submit a College/University Letter of Acceptance.
4. Prior scholarship recipients must submit a renewal via the *Continuing Education Verification* form and include a current official transcript
5. Prior scholarship recipients must maintain a GPA equivalent to a C average or above to remain eligible for the scholarship.
6. The scholarship is **contingent** upon continuous enrollment.

Please return your application and requested documentation to one of the members of the Education Committee by email or paper:

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