



LARRY K. SHARPF EDUCATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION

Scholarship Application for 2026

Scholarships are for tuition, fees, ***on campus*** room and board only.

Up to \$20,000 scholarship awarded for year 1 of a 2 or 4 year institution.

Renewable for up to four years of undergraduate study.

All scholarship amounts are calculated on college cost of attendance (tuition, fees, room and board only) minus other grants and scholarships.

Several scholarships will be awarded.

Please complete the application in its entirety.

Incomplete or late applications will not be considered for scholarship awards.

The deadline for this application to be received is:

Postmarked May 4, 2026. No exceptions.

Purpose: The LKS Educational Scholarship Foundation was established in 2018 by Larry K. Sharpf. It enables high school graduates who live in Marion, Benton, Linn or Lane County to continue their education at a state or private school, community college or trade school within the State of Oregon.

Eligibility:

In order to be considered for LKS Scholarship, a candidate must:

- Be currently pursuing an undergraduate degree at a Junior College, State College, Private College or Trade School in the state of Oregon.
- Must have a cumulative High School GPA of 3.5 or higher.
- Annual household income of \$75,000.00 a year or less (must provide last 2 pay stubs and copy of 2024 federal tax return **or** FAFSA documents).
Apply at www.fafsa.gov
- Pass a background check.
- Resident of Oregon and a U.S Citizen.
- Live in Marion, Benton, Linn or Lane County.
- Must take enough credit hours required to be a full-time student.
- LKS scholarships are available to individuals without regard to race, religion, national origin, gender, color, disability or age.
- LKS scholarships are renewable and priority is given to previously awarded recipients for following years (up to 4 years) if college GPA remains a cumulative of 2.75 or higher.
- Students who are receiving institutional, state and federal aid **that exceed the direct cost of tuition, room and board** are excluded from the applicant pool for Foundation scholarships.

Application Process:

- Applications are available on the Larry K. Sharpf Educational Scholarship Foundation website: **LKSScholarship.org** or speak to your counselor.
- Completed Applications for 2026 are due May 4, 2026.
- Scholarship recipients will be announced in June/July 2026 via letter.
- Once notified, the candidate has 3 days to respond and accept the scholarship award. If the selected candidate does not respond within the allotted time, another winner will be chosen.
- Scholarship funds will be mailed directly to the chosen institution in the recipient name. No funds will be released directly to a recipient.
- Funds will not be dispersed until August/September 2026.



APPLICANT INFORMATION

Please type or print your answer in blue or black ink.

Name: _____
(full legal name)

Mailing Address: _____
(include city and zip)

Email: _____

Home Phone: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Date of Birth: _____

SSN: _____

Current High School and Counselors name: _____

Graduation Date: _____

GPA (on a 4.0 scale): _____



QUESTIONS FOR APPLICANT

1. Where are you planning to attend school and what will be the cost of your first year?
How many years do you plan to attend?

2. Where do you plan on living your first year of school? (on campus, apartment, at home?)

3. What areas of study are you interested in? Career goals?

4. What other financial aid will you receive (FAFSA, grants, family, other scholarships)? Please be specific with the source and amount of aid you are receiving.

5. Will you be contributing to any of your college expenses?

6. Tell us anything about yourself that may be a factor in our decision in choosing you for an LKS Scholarship? *(may use additional space if needed)*



APPLICATION CHECKLIST

Please include the following documents with your application.

EVERYTHING must be included to be considered for this scholarship.

Incomplete applications will be disqualified.

Please see your counselor for assistance if needed.

- _____ Completed Application - make sure all information is filled out correctly.
- _____ Proof of college acceptance in which you are seeking a scholarship for.
MUST be on the college letterhead you are planning to attend.
- _____ Your most current **official** High School academic transcript. (photocopies **not** acceptable and it must be in sealed envelope from your high school)
- _____ Two letters of recommendation (on letterhead and sealed) from non-family members. This must be included in your application packet and not sent separately.
- _____ FAFSA documents showing amount of Federal Aid awarded. If you are not receiving State or Federal aid please include copies of last 2 parents paycheck stubs. Parents annual income must be provided to be considered for this scholarship.



STATEMENT OF ACCURACY

I hereby affirm that I have read and understand the conditions of the Larry K. Sharpf Scholarship Educational Foundation. I affirm that all of this application is my work and that all of the information about me is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

I hereby understand that if chosen as a scholarship recipient, I must provide evidence of enrollment/registration at the post-secondary institution of my choice before scholarship funds can be awarded.

Signature of scholarship applicant: _____

Date: _____

REMINDER: The deadline for this application is May 4, 2026.

Mail:

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