PURSUIT OF EDUCATION
DR. RAMON AMAYA MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Scholarship Opportunities

Ministerio Esperanza de Vida Eterna (MEDVE) has generously established a scholarship fund that provides financial resources to be awarded to graduating high school seniors, undergraduate or graduate students. The value of each scholarship is $500.

Application Procedure

1. Applications will become available at the end of January 2026. Applications may be acquired from the MEDVE website or requested by email at MEDVEScholarship@gmail.com.
2. Completed applications, current school transcript(s), letters of recommendation and statement of faith must be returned to the Scholarship Committee by email at Margaret.Rodriguez@medveministries.org or mailed to MEDVE Scholarship Program, 1414 Village Garden Dr., Missouri City, Texas, 77459 by March 31, 2026.

   It's preferred that applications be typed. Additional paper may be used if more room is needed for any responses. It's most important that your responses are detailed and complete to help the Scholarship Committee better know you.

   Any questions should be directed to the Scholarship Committee chairperson, Margaret Rodriguez.
3. After reviewing all applications, the Scholarship Committee will contact all applicants by mail. The scholarship recipients will be invited to the presentation of awards during a worship service at MEDVE's annual conference (TBA). Recipients will be notified of the award and are expected to attend this presentation. If unable to attend, the student must contact the chairperson of the Scholarship Committee prior to the awards service.
4. This application is for one academic school year, however a student may reapply in following years if qualifications are met. Students may only receive a total of four scholarships.

Personal/Contact Information

Name: _____

Home Address: _____

College Address: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email: _____

Home Church: _____ Pastor: _____

Home Church Address: _____

Church Involvement
Identify areas in which you have been active in your church.

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Leisure/Community Activities
List activities outside of school such as your hobbies, interests, and any community service. Identify any leadership role or responsibilities you may have. Please be specific.

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Qualifications

1. Church membership, academic achievement requirements, extra-curricular activities and school of attendance.
2. Scholarships are for graduating high school seniors, students enrolled in full-time undergraduate or graduate study or a seminary student.
3. Are you a member of MEDVE? ☐ Yes (please explain)_____

   ☐ No (If no, how are you associated with MEDVE?) ____Relative ____ Friend

Academic

Name of High School: _____

Date of Graduation: _____

High School Grade Point Average _____

Name of College: _____ (if enrolled as undergraduate or graduate)

City, State _____

College Status as of Current School Year _____ Circle one:

Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior

Cumulative College Grade Point Average _____* Major _____ Minor _____

Do you plan to attend college as a full-time student for the full school year of 2026?

☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, name of school? _____City, State _____

List any recognition, awards or honors that you have received in school, church, work, or community in the last several years.

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** Please include a copy of your academic transcript from either high school or college, as applicable with your application. If a transcript is not provided, your application will be disqualified.*

Your Faith Journey Essay
Please respond to each prompt/question listed below. Essay must not be longer than three typewritten pages.

1. Give a brief summary of the main events in your life and outline your personal as well as your educational goals.
2. How has the church influenced your life journey of faith?
3. In what ways has your religious background and faith impacted your life? Give specific examples of your personal religious beliefs and attitudes and how they guide you in how you live your daily life.
4. Explain why this scholarship is important to you.

Write a brief introduction of yourself to the committee. This may be part of your faith statement or written as a separate essay, no more than 500 words.

References/Letter of Recommendation
Please give the name, address and phone number of two character references who can attest to your character, personal and educational goals.

Letters of recommendation may be submitted from an active member of the church currently you attend, friend or a community person and one from your pastor. Letters of recommendation should be submitted on your behalf directly to the Pursuit of Education, Dr. Ramon Amaya Memorial Scholarship Committee by the deadline of March 31, 2026.

Name 1: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

How do you know this person? _____

Name 2: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

How do you know this person? _____

If necessary, would you be available to speak to the Scholarship Committee? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Scholarship Application Checklist:

☐ Completed Application

- ☐ School Transcript
- ☐ Recommendation Letters—Names of references
- ☐ Statement of Faith

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Signature (electronic signature allowed) Date

Thank you for applying for the Pursuit of Education,
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