



# Eden Scholarship Program

## Rules and Information

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Eden Scholarship committee

# **1. Scholarship Awards and Qualifications/Rules**

## **A) General Scholarship: \$1,000 for the academic year**

### **Eligibility:**

- Currently attends Eden Presbyterian Church or any other church in Oregon & SW Washington area
- Upcoming or current college student with a minimum current GPA of 3.0 out of 4.0

### **Submissions:**

- A letter of recommendation from a youth pastor or teacher for Eden applicants and from a senior pastor of the church if elsewhere
- A letter of personal essay or testimony (1 full page, font size 12)

## **B) Seminary Scholarship: \$1,000 for the academic year**

### **Eligibility:**

- Currently attends Eden Presbyterian Church or any other church in Oregon & SW Washington area
- Upcoming or current seminary student accredited by the Association of Theological

Schools (ATS) & affiliated with PCA; a minimum current GPA of 3.0 out of 4.0

### **Submissions:**

- A letter of recommendation from a pastor or senior pastor of the church
- A letter of personal essay or testimony (1 full page, font size 12)

## **C) Ministry Scholarship: \$2,000 for the academic year for full time, \$1,000 for the academic year for part time.**

### **Eligibility:**

- Currently serves a leadership role in ministry at Eden Presbyterian Church while pursuing education in seminary or music with a minimum current GPA of 3.0 out of 4.0

**Submissions:**

- A letter of recommendation from senior pastor of Eden church
- A letter of personal essay or testimony (1 full page, font size 12)

**D) Community Scholarship: \$1,000 for the academic year****Eligibility:**

- Oregon or SW Washington state resident
- Upcoming or current college student with a minimum current GPA of 3.0 out of 4.0
- Must demonstrate a financial need; a combined total household income of less than \$70,000

**Submissions:**

- A letter of recommendation from a pastor, teacher, or professor for Eden applicant and from a senior pastor of the church if elsewhere
- A letter of personal essay or testimony (1 full page, font size 12)
- A copy of your combined tax return

**E) Missionary Scholarship: \$1,000 for the academic year****Eligibility:**

- Children of current missionaries overseas
- Upcoming or current college student with a minimum current GPA of 3.0 out of 4.0

**Submissions:**

- A letter of recommendation from a pastor, an organization leader from Eden or senior pastor of the church overseas
- A letter of personal essay or testimony (1 full page, font size 12)

<Eligibility Summary Table>

Item	General Scholarship	Seminary Scholarship	Ministry Scholarship	Community Scholarship	Missionary Scholarship
Eligibility	Currently attends Eden Presbyterian Church or any other church in Oregon & SW Washington area	Upcoming or current seminary student accredited by the Association of Theological Schools (ATS) & affiliated with PCA	Currently attends Eden Presbyterian Church while pursuing education in music or ATS affiliated with PCA; involved in church ministry leadership role	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Oregon or SW Washington state resident</li> <li>• Must demonstrate a financial need; a combined total household income of less than \$70,000</li> </ul>	Children of current missionaries
Grade	Upcoming or current college student with a minimum current GPA of 3.0 out of 4.0				
Submission	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A letter of recommendation from a pastor, teacher, professor, an organization leader, or senior pastor of the church.</li> <li>• A letter of personal essay or testimony (1 full page, font size 12)</li> </ul>				
Amount	\$1,000	\$1,000	Fulltime \$2,000 Part-time: \$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000
Year	Current academic year				

## 2. Submission Guidelines

Each year, scholarship applications are accepted from June through mid-July.

Recipients of scholarship will be notified in the beginning of August.

**Timeline:**

- Posting of Scholarship Announcement: June
- Application Period: 6/12-7/12 including receipt of recommendation letter(s)
- Application Evaluation Period: 7/13-7/24 (if necessary, in-person or telephone interview to be included)
- Announcement: Start from 7/25
- Award: 8/7, notification followed by ceremony during Graduation Service at Eden

May be asked to attend Eden Presbyterian Church on the award day; if overseas, Zoom participation may be required

Please submit your application at

<http://www.oregoneden.com/scholarship.htm>