

2025-2026 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Morehead City, NC

Applications are due no later than May 31, 2025. Awards will be announced in June.

Directions:

1. Please print or type all information.
2. Attach three letters of recommendation from persons who know your abilities, character, goals, and financial situation. *At least one of these persons must be a pastor, youth leader, Sunday School teacher, or another Church leader at your home Church.*
3. Other recommendations may be from teachers, coaches, supervisors or others who have worked closely with you during the last twelve months.
4. Attach proof of acceptance or continuing enrollment in an accredited institution of higher learning.
5. Attach a copy of your latest transcript showing your current academic standing.
6. Attach a brief (2-3 paragraph) essay explaining why you are seeking this scholarship, your plans for its use, and your goals beyond graduation.

Full name: _____ **Birth date:** _____

Street address: _____

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip Code:** _____

Home telephone: _____ **Cell phone:** _____

Email address: _____

Home Church: _____

Do you plan to work during the academic year? _____ If yes, how many hours a week? _____

List your own places of employment with estimated earnings during the last two years:

Applicant's marital status: ()**Single** ()**Married**

Applicant spouse's name (if applicable) _____

Spouse's occupation: _____ **Employer:** _____

Applicant father's name: _____

His occupation: _____ **His employer:** _____

Applicant mother's name: _____

Her occupation: _____ **Her employer:** _____

Total Family Income per year _____

Number of children in your family: _____

Number in school: Elementary/Middle _____ High School _____ College _____

Your high school and graduation year: _____

Your class rank _____ **in a class of** _____. **Your GPA:** _____

Other scholarships/loans/grants received with dollar amounts: _____

College/University you attend or plan to attend: _____

College major: _____

Projected graduation date: _____

Signed: _____ **Date:** _____

Application checklist:

_____ application form

_____ three letters of recommendation ***one must be from a Pastor, Youth Leader,
Sunday School Teacher or another church leader at
your home Church**

_____ proof of acceptance or enrollment

_____ most recent transcript

_____ essay

_____ application and all requested documentation due by May 31, 2025 to:

Scholarship Committee

First Methodist Church

900 Arendell Street

Morehead City, NC 28557