



2017 COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Application Deadline – September 30, 2017

Use only this form when applying.

Read and follow procedures and requirements as written to ensure that your application is reviewed and processed as quickly as possible. All scholarship checks will be mailed directly to the academic institutions.

All applicants must meet the following requirements;

1. Currently registered and active as a Boy Scout or Venture Scout in the Mid-America Council.
2. Current dues-paid active member of the Kit-Ke-Hak-O-Kut Lodge, Order of the Arrow.
3. Enrolled or accepted for the current fall term in college or other qualifying institution of higher learning at the time of application.
4. Complete a separate application for each scholarship you are applying for.
5. Winners are highly encouraged to attend the Lodge OA Winter Banquet in December.

Check one only

___ **Arrowman Scholarship** – A scholarship in the amount of \$400 awarded to one recipient.

___ **Brotherhood Scholarship** – A scholarship in the amount of \$500 awarded to one recipient.

- Must be a Brotherhood member in the Order of the Arrow

___ **Camp Staff Scholarship** – A scholarship in the amount of \$500 awarded to one recipient.

- Must be a Brotherhood or Vigil Honor member in the Order of the Arrow.
- Must be an Eagle Scout at the time of application.
- 2017 Staff member at Camp Cedars or Little Sioux Scout Ranch.

___ **Brotherhood / Eagle Scout Scholarship** – A scholarship in the amount of \$500 awarded to one recipient.

- Must be a Brotherhood member in the Order of the Arrow.
- Must be an Eagle Scout at the time of application.

___ **Vigil Honor / Eagle Scout Scholarship** – A scholarship in the amount of \$500 awarded to one recipient.

- Must be a Vigil Honor member in the Order of the Arrow.
- Must be an Eagle Scout at the time of application.

___ **Chief's Scholarship** – A scholarship in the amount of \$500 awarded to one recipient.

- Must be a Vigil Honor member in the Order of the Arrow.
- Must be an Eagle Scout at the time of application.
- Must have received a religious award while a registered member of the BSA.



Procedure

The scout applying for the scholarship must:

- Complete the application personally.
- Include your name in the upper right corner of each page or attachment.
- Include a letter of recommendation from your high school guidance counselor or Advising Teacher/Educator. (page 5).
- Use a separate sheet for the essay answers (page 6). Please type the question then your response.
- Submit the supplemental information pages (see pages 5 and 6) with your application form to ensure all items are available for review at the same time.
- Include only the requested items per the requirements - no biographies, resumes, or supplementary list of activities.
- Incomplete applications will not be considered.
- Address applications to: OA Scholarships, Attn: OA Staff Adviser, 12401 W. Maple Road, Omaha, NE 68164.
- Applications must be received in the Mid-America Council office by 30 September 2017 to be considered.
- Applications become the property of the Lodge Scholarship Committee.



Applicant Information

Name: _____
(first, middle, last)

BSAID: _____

Address: _____

Phone #: (____) _____ - _____

Email: _____

Parent(s)/Guardian(s): _____

Phone number: (____) _____

Email: _____

Scouting Record

Unit Type: _____ Unit Number: _____ Chapter: _____

Unit Leader: _____
(scoutmaster, adviser, coach)

Phone number: (____) _____

Email: _____

Current BSA rank: _____ Current Unit Leadership Position: _____

Current OA Honor: _____ Current OA Leadership Position: _____

of years in Order of the Arrow: _____

Please list all unit leadership positions you have held (include years):

Please list all Order of the Arrow leadership positions you have held (include years):



Please list all major Scouting Events or Activities you have attended (include year):
(Jubilee, Jamboree, NOAC, OAHA, HA, etc)

Please list all BSA National Awards, including BSA religious awards earned - include year(s):

Please list all outdoor experiences of 5 or more nights (include location and dates):

Have you served in a staff position for any of the following? Indicate number of years;

- Boy Scout Summer Camp Staff - Camp Cedars **
- Cub Day Camp
- Sea Base
- NOAC
- Section/Region event (specify)
- Cub Resident Camp Staff - LSSR **
- NYLT
- Northern Tier
- National Jamboree
- Others (list)
- Tri-State High Adventure Base (T-SHAB) - LSSR **
- Philmont Scout Ranch
- Bechtel Summit
- World Jamboree

** If applying for the 2017 Camp Staff Scholarship - 2017 Camp Director approval is required.

I certify that this scout successfully completed his duties while serving as camp staff for 2017. Date: _____

Camp Director name: _____
Camp Cedars/LSSR/TSHAB

signature _____



SCHOOL INFORMATION

Please attach a recommendation letter from your High School guidance counselor or Advising Teacher/Educator.

Name of school/prepatory school _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Principal Name _____ Phone number (_____) _____

Graduation date: _____ SAT Score _____ or ACT Score _____

Percentile Ranking: _____ GPA (converted to 4.0 scale) _____

Please list all school activities you were involved in during high school, i.e., sports, music, band, school clubs, etc. Include any honors or awards received:

OTHER ACTIVITIES

Please list all activities you have been involved in outside of school and scouting, i.e., church, clubs, other activities, etc. Include any honors or awards received:



CAREER ASPIRATIONS

On a separate piece of paper, please type your answers to the following questions:

1. What has the scouting program meant to you?
2. How has the scouting program influenced your life?
3. What do you hope to do in the next five years?
4. What to you hope to achieve upon completion of your higher education?
5. How will you pay for college?
6. If you are an eagle scout, please provide a detailed description of your Eagle Scout Project.

If I am selected please send the scholarship directly to the following institution:

Institution: _____ Student ID _____

Degree Program: _____

Mailing address for Student Accounts: _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Phone number for Student Accounts (____) _____

Have you received, or do you expect to receive, other financial aid, grants, or scholarships? If so please list:

_____	\$ _____	_____	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____	_____	\$ _____

I authorize the Order of the Arrow Scholarship Selections Committee to request and obtain any additional information it may deem necessary. On my honor as a Scout, all information and statements in this application are true and correct.

Signature of Scout Applicant _____ Date _____

I have read this application and it has my approval.

Signature of Parent/Guardian _____ Date _____

Selection committee use only:

Date Received in Scout Office _____

Amount Granted _____

Date Reviewed by Scholarship Committee _____