



**WKU OWENSBORO GENERAL STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

*for WKU Owensboro students only*

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ WKU ID#: \_\_\_\_\_

Full Legal Name: \_\_\_\_\_ (Maiden) \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Classification:  Sophomore  Junior  Senior  Graduate Enrollment status:  Full-time  Part-time

Cumulative GPA: \_\_\_\_\_ Hours Completed: \_\_\_\_\_ Major/Program: \_\_\_\_\_

**This fund is available to Western Kentucky University students who attend the Owensboro Regional Campus. Award cycles are for the 2017-2018 Academic Year for this scholarship. Selection of recipients will be determined according to following eligibility requirements:**

1. Applicant is enrolled in a WKU Owensboro degree program and classes.
2. Applicant has earned at least a 2.0 cumulative grade point average out of a 4.0 system.
3. Applicant must submit required essay answering all prompts indicated on this application.
4. All applicants must have a FAFSA on file with WKU for the award term. *Award is based upon prevailing tuition rates to include fees for the course. Financial assistance received from other scholarships, grants, and/or tuition reimbursement will be deducted from tuition before award is applied. Please keep in mind that it can take up to 6 weeks for your FAFSA to process and be sent to WKU. The FAFSA School Code for WKU is #002002.*
5. Applicant may be invited for an informational interview with the Scholarship Fund Committee.

FAFSA completed: No \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ if so, date completed \_\_\_\_\_

Are you currently receiving any financial aid from other sources? No \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_

If **yes**, please explain specifically the amounts and sources received:

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Have you ever faced criminal charges other than a minor traffic violation? No \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_

If **yes**, please explain with dates and outcome:

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An essay is required for this application and should be typed, single-spaced, and no longer than two pages. Please answer all of the following questions on a separate piece of paper:

- A. What is your financial need? Please include information on your reasons for seeking financial assistance. *A current FAFSA must be completed before submitting application or the application cannot be reviewed.*
- B. How are you contributing to the community and exemplifying citizenship qualities?
- C. If awarded the fund, how could you “Pay it Forward” to your community or someone else? **Please explain how you can give back to your community upon graduation by helping others.**

**CONSENT FOR RELEASE OF INFORMATION**

I hereby give my permission to the Scholarship Fund Committee to openly review the information provided. I also authorize the Committee to publicly share my application with any interested community club or organization for the purpose of awarding. I understand that consideration for this award may include a review of sensitive information including but not limited to federal and local aid history, academic history, and/or relevant conduct review.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Please return completed application to: Scholarship Committee  
WKU Owensboro Regional Campus  
4821 New Hartford Road  
Owensboro, KY 42303

**Application Deadlines:**

**November 15<sup>th</sup> for spring semester**  
**August 1<sup>st</sup> for fall semester**

Applications will not be considered after the deadline date.