

THE EDNA SNEATH HORNOR SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

(Scholarship Managed by the Royal Palm Baptist Association)

Who is Eligible for this scholarship? Students must be a member of a cooperating church who is a member of the Royal Palm Baptist Association. They must be enrolled in /accepted to a four-year Program or pursuing a Bachelor's or Master's Degree. They shall be maintaining a grade point average of 3.5 or higher.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Applications must be typed or completed in blue or black ink.
- To be considered for this scholarship, you must submit a scholarship application in person, or it must be postmarked by **October 5, 2026** for consideration.
- A copy of your acceptance letter to the school of your choosing must accompany your application for you to be considered for this scholarship.
- You **MUST** include with your application: a letter explaining your educational plans and career goals and why you wish to be considered for this scholarship, the Church & Pastor recommendation form, and two personal recommendations (on the supplied forms).
- The scholarship application must be mailed to the address located on the last page of this form.
- Upon notification of your receipt of a scholarship the student will be **required** to submit a written thank you letter for the scholarship. Scholarship funds will not be issued until a thank you letter is received.
- Please direct any questions to the Royal Palm Baptist Association office at (239) 433-2292

PERSONAL DATA

Name: _____
Last First MI

Social Security Number: _____

Permanent Home Address: _____
Street Address City State Zip

Address While In School: _____
Street Address City State Zip

Date of Birth: ____/____/____

Sex: ☐ Male ☐ Female

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

E-mail address: _____

Citizenship Status:

- ☐ U.S. Citizen
☐ Eligible Non-Citizen #A _____
☐ Foreign Student

Marital Status:

- ☐ Single
☐ Married

Church Membership: _____ Date Joined: ____/____/____

STUDENT'S EDUCATIONAL DATA

Have you graduated from High School or received a GED? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, give _____
Name of High School City State

Date of high school graduation: ____/____/____
Month Year

ACT Score _____ SAT Score _____ H.S. GPA _____

Name(s) of all college(s) attended _____

Have you previously earned a bachelor's degree? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Current College Level: ☐ Freshman ☐ Sophomore ☐ Junior ☐ Senior

Current Cumulative GPA: _____

EDUCATION OBJECTIVES

Name of School enrolled in/accepted to: _____

Mailing Address

City

State

Zip

Name of a Contact Person: _____

Date which you enrolled in/began classes: _____

Degree you expect to earn (Ex. Bachelor's): _____

SUPPORTING INFORMATION

Please attach a letter explaining your educational plans, career goals, and why you would like to be considered for this scholarship. The length of this statement is not specified; it should be comprehensive.

Please staple this letter along with your Church & Pastor recommendation form and the two personal recommendation forms to this application.

AWARD AGREEMENT

In the event I am awarded this scholarship, I understand that this scholarship is to be used for institutional expenses at the institution to which I have been accepted and are enrolled. Institutional expenses are defined as tuition, lab fees, and on-campus room and board. I also understand the scholarship funds will be paid directly to the institution.

RELEASE STATEMENT

If you wish to be considered for this scholarship – You must give permission for the staff at Royal Palm Baptist Association and the Scholarship Committee Members of the Royal Palm Baptist Association to have access to your personal and confidential information. Also, they must have your permission for news and public relations releases. The release statement reads as follows:

I hereby authorize the Royal Palm Baptist Association to have access to the information contained in my scholarship application in connection with my eligibility for receipt of a scholarship. Also, I give them permission to release directory information for news and public relations bulletins, should I receive a scholarship. _____ (initial)

CERTIFICATION

By signing this certification statement I, certify that all information on this application is complete and correct.

Signature

Date

Please return completed application to:

Scholarship Application
Royal Palm Baptist Association
5481 Briarcliff Road
Fort Myers FL 33912

PERSONAL RECOMMENDATION FOR SCHOLARSHIP

Applicant's name _____

Recommender's name _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Address _____
Street City State Zip

Employer/Job Title _____

How do you know and how long have you known the Applicant? _____

Has the applicant discussed his/her educational goals with you? ☐Yes ☐No ☐Occasionally

Please evaluate the applicant in the following areas by marking 5 for Outstanding, 4 for Above Average, 3 for Average, 2 for Below Average, 1 for Poor, or N for No Information. Please make comments on the back of this sheet for any Below Average or Poor responses. Feel free to use that space for any other comments as well.

	Outstanding	Above Average	Average	Below Average	Poor	No Information
Character	5	4	3	2	1	N
Judgment	5	4	3	2	1	N
Emotional stability	5	4	3	2	1	N
Maturity	5	4	3	2	1	N
Commitment to Christian service	5	4	3	2	1	N
Potential for effectiveness in Christian service	5	4	3	2	1	N
Academic ability	5	4	3	2	1	N
Scholastic achievement	5	4	3	2	1	N
Skill in relating to others	5	4	3	2	1	N
Financial responsibility	5	4	3	2	1	N

Do you know of any reason that the applicant may be hindered in effective service?

☐ Yes ☐ No (If yes, please elaborate on the back of this sheet.)

Would you recommend this person for a position upon completion of college training?

☐Yes ☐No

Additional Comments: _____

I recommend this person for a scholarship, check one:

☐With enthusiasm ☐With confidence ☐With some reservations ☐With reluctance

Recommender's Signature _____ Date _____

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Recommender's Signature _____ Date _____

CHURCH AND PASTOR RECOMMENDATION FOR SCHOLARSHIP

Applicant's name _____

Church name _____

Address _____
Street City State Zip

Phone: _____

CHURCH RECOMMENDATION

Having evidenced that _____, an applicant for a scholarship from the Edna Sneath Horner Scholarship Fund is:

- . an individual of moral integrity exemplified in personal, family, and public life;
- . an individual of commitment to the Christian faith as evidenced by participation in the life of this church;
- . an individual of emotional stability who is responsible in church life; and,
- . an individual whom this church would recommend for a responsible role of service.

We express our approval of the applicant's desire to further his/her education, recommend the candidate for this scholarship and pledge our continuing interest and prayerful support.

Signature Title/Position

PASTOR RECOMMENDATION

Pastor's name _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

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Pastor's Signature _____ Date _____