

REMEMBER: It is **THE APPLICANT'S RESPONSIBILITY** to be sure that **ALL INFORMATION** is **received** by **March 31, 2017**. It is the applicant's responsibility to call to see if all items have been received by the due date.

Mail completed application to: Religion & Race Scholarship Committee, PO Box 2800, North Canton OH 44720

CHECK AND DOUBLE CHECK YOUR CHECKLIST:

1. Have you been accepted by a college or training institution? If not, do so right away.
2. Have you filed for assistance for the **College's Financial Aid Department**?
If not, do so **NOW!** Most colleges have a Financial Aid Plan.
3. Have you requested your High School or College to forward your official transcript?
If not, do so **NOW!** (Allow time to arrive at the Conference Office by **March 31, 2017**)
4. Have you completed every section of this application? If not, do so **NOW!**
5. Have you attached a typed statement which answers the question:
(First time applicants) "How has your faith in Christ had an impact on your life and how might it affect your future development?"
(Returning applicants) "How has your faith in Christ had an impact in your present college experience this year?"
Essays must be a Minimum 250 words: If not, do so **NOW!**
6. ****** REQUIRED SIGNATURES ******

Applicant's Signature

Date

Pastor's Printed Name

Pastor's Signature

Date

Pastor's Church & Address

City

State

Zip

7. ***Return ALL requested information at one time in a 9 x 12 envelope. (Official Transcripts are sent separately)**

8. **MAIL ALL APPLICATION INFORMATION TO: DEADLINE DATE:**
Religion & Race Scholarship Committee **MARCH 31, 2017**
P.O. Box 2800 • North Canton, Ohio 44720

******* This section to be completed by Scholarship Committee *******

Date received by Commission on Religion & Race _____
Action Taken _____ Date Action Taken _____
Student Notified Yes No
Other _____

SCHOOL TRANSCRIPT RELEASE REQUEST FORM

**Scholarship Committee
Commission on Religion and Race
East Ohio Conference of The United Methodist Church**

TO _____
(Name of High School, College/Institution)

ADDRESS _____

REGARDING STUDENT _____
Last Name First Name M.I.

ADDRESS _____

You are hereby requested to release an official transcript to the Scholarship Committee, Commission on Religion and Race, East Ohio Conference of The United Methodist Church, and forward to the Scholarship Committee.

Commission on Religion and Race
Scholarship Committee
East Ohio Conference UMC
P.O. Box 2800
North Canton, OH 44720

Signature of Student(s) or Guardian(s) _____
Date

**TRANSCRIPTS MUST BE RECEIVED AT THE EAST OHIO
CONFERENCE OFFICE BY MARCH 31, 2017 DEADLINE.**

***NOTE TO STUDENT/PARENT(S)/GUARDIAN(S):**
This form is to be sent directly by you to the college/institution you have designated above.

SCHOLARSHIP LETTER OF REFERENCE FORM

**Scholarship Committee
Commission on Religion and Race
East Ohio Conference of The United Methodist Church**

_____ has applied for a scholarship from the
(Name of Applicant)

Commission on Religion and Race. Your name has been given as a reference.

Kindly assist the Scholarship Committee by providing information concerning any/or all of the following:

- a) Relationship and involvement with local church
- b) Involvement in school/campus
- c) Indication of commitment to Christian vocation
- d) General character
- e) Scholastic ability/standing
- f) Length of time you have known the applicant
- g) How you have worked/related to the applicant
- h) Why you feel the applicant is deserving of this scholarship

(PLEASE TYPE)

Please return letter to applicant in a sealed envelope.

Letter must be received at Conference Office by March 31, 2017.

Signed _____
Applicant Signature

Address _____
Applicant Address

Date _____

***NOTE TO STUDENT/PARENT(S)/GUARDIAN(S)**

Make copies of this form in order to distribute to Respondents writing letters of reference for you.