

PHILADELPHIA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

JAMES LEE MILLER, JR. SCHOLARSHIP

Purpose: To grant an **GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP** to a deserving member or previous member of Philadelphia Presbyterian Church for study as a full time student at an accredited college or university. This person must have successfully completed their undergraduate requirements or be in their last year of undergraduate studies with at least a 3.0 GPA.

Applicant # To be completed by Church Staff

This award is based on:

- A. Financial Need
- B. Scholarship
- B. Community Involvement
- C. Strength and Determination of Character

Date _____

Name _____
(Last) (First) (Middle)

Home Address: _____
(Street No.) (County)

(City) (State) (Zip Code)

Mailing address if different from above: _____

Home Telephone No. _____ - _____ - _____

Applicant # _____

Current Church Membership _____

High Schools attended (for any length of time; however short)

Name	Location	From	To

Have you applied or do you plan to apply to any other college or university scholarship programs?

Yes No If yes, please indicate which: _____

Have you taken the Scholastic Aptitude Test of the College Entrance Examination Board?

Yes No Dates Taken: _____

If yes, indicate highest scores: Verbal _____ Math _____

If no, when do you expect to take the test? _____

Please list your extracurricular and community activities (excluding jobs) during the past three or four school years in order of their interest to you. (Examples: student government, dramatics, athletics, debating, publications, bands or orchestra, fraternity or sorority, Boy or Girl Scouts, 4-H Club, church groups, Red Cross, etc.)

Activity	Approximate Dates of Participation	Positions Held, Honors Won, etc.

Applicant # _____

Please list your activities (excluding jobs) in the past three or four summers in order of their interest to you. (Examples: attendance at summer camp, travel, fishing trips, summer study, etc.)

Activity	Approximate Dates of Participation	Approximate Number of Hours Spent Per Week (if applicable)

Work Experience - Please list jobs (including summer employment you have held in the past three or four years.

Job	Employer	Approx. Dates	Approx. Hrs/Wk

Applicant # _____

To what college or university(s) have you filed application for admission or are attending? _____

To what college or university(s) have you been accepted or are attending? _____

Describe your educational goals and your reasons for having chosen the particular course of study in which you expect to enroll. If you could do what you most wanted to do, what kind of life would you like to lead 15 to 25 years from now? Describe your involvement in church, tell most rewarding and most disappointing experiences (if any, include what you: tried to do - did not do- wish you had done to turn your disappointment around). You may not be sure of your answers to these questions, but your statement about the factors which will guide you will be important. (This statement may be submitted in either typed or handwritten form.)

This honorary scholarship is awarded to qualified individuals, without regard to their financial circumstances.

AFFIRMATION OF APPLICATION

To the best of my knowledge, the information reported in this application is correct.

Date _____ Signature _____

**PHILADELPHIA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
JAMES LEE MILLER, JR. SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

FINANCIAL AID FORM

DATE: _____

APPLICANT # _____

NAME: _____
(Last) (First) (Middle)

HOME ADDRESS: _____
(Street No.) (County)

(City) (State) (Zip Code)

Home Telephone No: _____ - _____ - _____ Social Security # _____ - _____ - _____

Please use information from your most recently completed Federal Income Tax Form to answer the following questions. If you have not yet filed for the current tax year, please use information from the most recent year available. **Please attach a copy to this application.**

SECTION A: INCOMES

1. What was your adjusted gross income for last year?

Parent(s) _____

Student (& Spouse) _____

2. How much did you earn from working last year?

	Job Title	Income
Father/Stepfather		
Mother/Stepmother		
Student (Spouse)		

3. How many exemptions did you claim last year?

Parent(s) _____ Student (& Spouse) _____

APPLICANT # _____

4. Please list Scholarships, Grants or Fellowships (with amounts) you have been awarded to date:

5. Please list Loans for your education which you expect to receive and their amounts:

6. Please list Earnings from a work/study program including Assistantships:

SECTION B: EXPENSES

1. Parent's average monthly expenses. Please list by types of expenses (examples include medical and dental expenses not covered by insurance, school tuition etc.). Also please list any extraordinary expenses that need to be considered:

SECTION C: PARENT'S ASSET INFORMATION

1. Do your parents own_____or rent_____their home? If own, what is the current tax value of the home?
_____ How much do they owe?_____

2. Please list any other real estate and the current tax value and current loan if any:

Real Estate	Tax Value	Loan (if any)

APPLICANT #_____

3. What is the current balance of cash, saving and checking accounts?_____

4. Please list any other assets along with estimated value and loan (if any):

Asset	Tax Value	Loan (if any)

SECTION D: STUDENT'S ASSET INFORMATION

1. Do you own _____ or rent _____ a home? If own, what is the current tax value of the home?
 _____ How much do you owe? _____

2. Please list any other real estate and the current tax value and current loan if any:

Real Estate	Tax Value	Loan (if any)

3. What is the current balance of cash, savings and checking accounts? _____

4. Please list any other asset along with estimated value and loan (if any):

Asset	Tax Value	Loan (if any)

SECTION E: STUDENT'S VETERAN EDUCATIONAL BENEFITS

1. How much money do you expect to get from this program? _____

APPLICANT # _____

SECTION F: ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Please list any other information which you feel may have value and be important to the Committee in selecting you for this scholarship. If space is not adequate below, please include an attachment which can be either typed or handwritten.

Philadelphia Presbyterian Church
Attention: Chairman, James Lee Miller, Jr. Scholarship Committee
11501 Bain School Road
Charlotte, North Carolina 28227-7538

In addition, three (3) letters of personal reference (one personal, one from a member of your church and one from a teacher or counselor). These should be sent directly to the above address from such individual. Please instruct the individuals to state in their letter their relationship to you (ex. teacher, neighbor, etc.).

Recipients may apply for this scholarship for a total of four (4) years.

All application forms, reference letters and transcripts must be received by **April 1st** for consideration.

CHECKLIST

- Application

- High School Transcript

- Description of Your Educational Goals and Future Life

- 3 Letters of Personal Reference