

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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This application is for the _____ Scholarship.

A copy of this "cover letter" must be completed and attached to all scholarship applications, for scholarships administered by First United Methodist Church. See list below.

Please type or print:

Applicants Name-Last _____ First _____

Address _____ Phone _____

Parent's Name or Guardian _____

Address _____ Phone _____

Number of Family at Home: Adults _____ Children _____

Applicants High School _____

Please check ___ all scholarships listed below for which you plan to make application:

___ Beahn (Medical major), ___ Byers (FUMC members only), ___ Fanshier,
___ Getz (Healthcare major), ___ Henry, ___ Kopke, ___ Penner (Need based),
___ Stone-Reinhardt, ___ Swartz.

When federal income tax information is requested, send only pages 1 and 2 (front and back) of Form 1040, 1040A or 1040EZ. NOTE: The Kopke Scholarship requires the complete tax return be submitted.

Note:

Completed application forms, including references, and federal income tax forms when requested, should be returned to the appropriate office at the high school, by the application deadline. All applications except Kopke are due by March 15. Kopke is due by April 15.

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John and Charlotte Henry Scholarship

Applications for this scholarship may be secured from the Scholarship Committee, First United Methodist Church, at the address noted above.

This scholarship will be awarded to students who have a genuine need for financial assistance, who otherwise may not be able to attend college. The applicant must show genuine desire for such education, and give promise of making a contribution to their respective community.

As part of the application, you are required to secure written statements from three references. One must be from a teacher who knows you well.

Recipients will be selected by the Scholarship Committee, and may be persons of any race, color or creed. The scholarship may be granted for undergraduate or graduate study in any accredited college or university.

The completed application, including the references, shall be returned to the appropriate office at the high school.

Applicants may be requested to meet with the Scholarship Committee.

All applicants will be considered and will be notified of the decision of the Scholarship Committee with further instructions regarding the award.

Applications are due by March 15.

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John and Charlotte Henry Scholarship Application

Date _____

Name _____ Age _____ Sex _____

Address _____ City _____ St. _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Church Affiliation _____

Parent's Name _____

Father's Occupation _____ Mother's Occupation _____

Size of family _____ Children in family _____ Preschool _____ Elementary _____

Middle School _____ High School _____ College _____ Not living at home _____

Please attach a copy of the most recent federal income tax return for both parents and dependent student applicants, or for independent students not claimed by parents as dependents. Strictest confidence will be maintained.

Name and location of college you plan to attend _____

List the names of persons to whom you have given a recommendation form. One must be a teacher that knows you well.

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

Attach a statement explaining why you want a college education, and what you expect to do with your degree.

You may provide any additional comments you believe relevant to your application.

Please attach a photo. Applications are due by March 15.

JOHN AND CHARLOTTE HENRY SCHOLARSHIP RECOMMENDATION FORM

DATE _____

"NOTE: The Selections Committee of the JOHN AND CHARLOTTE HENRY SCHOLARSHIP is considering the scholarship application of the person shown below. It would be most sincerely appreciated if you would take a few moments to complete this recommendation form, and then mail it to the Henry Scholarship Committee, First United Methodist Church, 2123 Forest, Great Bend, Kansas, 67530. Please do not let the applicant see your answers or comments appearing in this recommendation. Be assured your evaluation and all comments will be kept in the strictest confidence. Use additional paper, if necessary.

NAME OF SCHOLARSHIP APPLICANT _____

1. Do you believe the applicant really wants a college education?

Academic Performance

- _____ does less than required
 _____ does what he/she is required
 _____ does more than required
 _____ does additional independent study

2. Is the applicant "self-motivated" or does he/she respond to "pressures" applied by others (viz. family, teachers, employer)?

- _____ keeps up with peers
 _____ takes initiative
 _____ is innovative
 _____ help provide financial support for himself/herself

3. Insofar as you know, does the applicant need financial assistance to secure a college education?

- _____ could attend college without help
 _____ could attend college with some help (1/4)
 _____ could attend college with much help (1/2)
 _____ could attend college with much financial assistance

(Please state if you know whether applicant has some source beyond his/her immediate family which would help with college support - viz. grandparent, uncle, etc. List any sources of financial assistance you believe available to this applicant aside from this scholarship)

4. To what extent has the applicant been helping himself/herself financially?

- _____ would appear to be entirely self-supporting
 _____ mostly self-supporting
 _____ partly self-supporting
 _____ entirely dependent on others
 _____ assists in support of family

5. Is the applicant an honest person?

- In work at school?
 _____ entirely honest
 _____ average
 _____ honesty in doubt

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5. (continued) Is the applicant an honest person?
 In the use of money?
 general reputation here beyond reproach
 average
 some doubt as to integrity of applicant
- In dealings with other people?
 can be trusted completely
 average performance
 some untrustworthiness apparent
- In relation to himself/herself?
 will admit mistakes
 sometimes evasive
 will twist facts if it is felt such would be useful
6. Do you believe the applicant to be emotionally stable?
 makes plans and carries through
 can take criticism even when criticism is not justified
 can take criticism where criticism is obviously appropriate
 faces facts
 acts with self-control
7. Do you regard the applicant as presently being a good citizen, and do you believe he/she will be a good citizen "tomorrow"?
 behavior is self-centered
 acts responsibly to others
 acts in the interests of others
 contemplates a career that will be useful to others
 capable of being selfish to the injury of others
8. What do you know about the applicant's church-religious involvement?
 attends church regularly
 attends church now and then
 attends church seldom, if at all
 participates in "non-denominational religious activities" outside church
9. What do you know about the applicant's "non-school activities"?
 engages in activities and hobbies which contribute to self-improvement
 engages in activities helpful to others
 seems to be mostly interested in self-indulgent pursuits

It is the desire of this committee to select students who have a genuine need: i.e., who probably will never be able to attend any college without some degree of financial support (as distinguished from some students to whom scholarship pursuit is a sporting event, or an exercise in prestige enhancement). For this reason, any comment you might care to add which will shed some light on this applicant as a worthy and promising college student, will be most sincerely appreciated. Especially are we interested in the applicant's motivation.

Signature _____

* If you have no knowledge or limited knowledge as to any question(s), please feel free to so state.

TO: JOHN AND CHARLOTTE HENRY SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE

NAME OF SCHOOL _____

NAME OF APPLICANT _____

This student ranks _____ in a class of _____ as of _____
[Date]

Has this student been in any serious difficulties in regard to discipline or citizenship in or out of school to your knowledge? If so, summarize details.

What is your candid recommendation of this applicant? (Your comments will be kept in strictest confidence.)

Signature of School Official

Position _____