

2025 Festus-Crystal City Lodge 1721 Scholarship

Application Submission & Eligibility Guidelines

Applicants, please read the application thoroughly and carefully to ensure that you provide all the requested information.

Most importantly it is requested that all submissions be sent electronically by email. Only electronic applications will be accepted. If special circumstances make electronic submission impossible, please contact the chairman personally to make submission arrangements.

Important information:

- Detailed directions for submission are on the application.
- Please ensure that the application is filled out completely and legibly*.
 - ****We recommend using Adobe Acrobat to type information directly onto the application.***
- Although all graduating high school seniors are eligible to apply some conditions do apply:
 - Festus-Crystal City Lodge primarily offers scholarships to High School seniors in its designated lodge area: Crystal City HS, Festus HS, Jefferson R-VII, Herculaneum HS, Hillsboro HS, St. Pius HS, and Twin City Christian Academy.
 - Children and Grandchildren of Festus-Crystal City Lodge 1721 members are eligible for scholarships regardless of where they attend high school.
 - A Festus-Crystal City Lodge 1721 member must be a "member in good standing" for their applying Child or Grandchild to be eligible for the scholarship award.
- The total possible maximum, per student, scholarship award amount is \$2,500.00.
- Awardees must be **enrolled** full-time and proof of the same provided, from a university, college, or trade school.
- The scholarship will be a split disbursement (\$1,250 in the fall & \$1,250 in the spring) paid directly to their respective college, university, or trade school. ***No exceptions.***
- Timely enrollment confirmation submissions (fall & spring) are the responsibility of the student. Lodge processing and subsequent check arrivals at schools can take up to 4 weeks. Plan accordingly.
- The scholarship disbursements will only be released after proof of full-time enrollment is received in advance (by email only), on university/college/trade school letterhead.
- Only graduating seniors are eligible to apply.
- Applications must be received at the email address below by the ***end of business on Monday, March 17th, 2025.***
- ***Please submit all applications and requested supporting information electronically to: scholarship@elks1721.com***
- Example email subject line: ***2025 FCC1721 Scholarship Application-NAME OF STUDENT***

Should you have any questions or require additional information, please feel free to contact the Scholarship Chairman.

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Scholarship Chair

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