

ST. ALBAN LODGE No. 529, F&AM
The JOSEPH A. FLETCHER, JR., P.M. MEMORIAL
SCHOLARSHIP

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APPLICATION FOR SCHOLARSHIP AID for ACADEMIC YEAR 2026-2027

TO THE APPLICANT: Scholarship grants normally are in the amount of no more than \$1500.00, depending on the availability of funds. Award of a Scholarship grant will be based upon how thoroughly and accurately you have completed this application, the timeliness of its arrival to the Committee, and upon the consideration of, but not limited to, the following criteria:

1. Your GPA.
2. **A 500 WORD ESSAY** stating your goal in the course of study you propose to follow or are now pursuing OR how our aid will assist you in achieving that goal.
3. Financial need.
4. Recommendation of school counselors, teachers OR a professor.
5. Your course of study must be offered by a recognized or certified community college, college, university, seminary, or a trade, technical, or business school.

IF YOU ARE A HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR, PLEASE BE SURE TO INCLUDE A COPY OF A LETTER OF ACCEPTANCE FROM THE COLLEGE YOU WILL ATTEND IN THE FALL.

The funds available are limited and of necessity the Scholarship Committee must impose, in its own judgment, fair limits on the **dollar amount and number** of awards made in any year. Therefore the following statement is **VERY IMPORTANT:** YOU MUST ATTACH A COPY OF A TRANSCRIPT OF YOUR SCHOLASTIC ACHIEVEMENT FROM THE POST-HIGH SCHOOL EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION YOU ARE NOW ATTENDING OR YOUR HIGH SCHOOL IF THIS APPLICATION IS FOR THE FIRST YEAR OF POST-HIGH SCHOOL STUDY. This may be a photocopy of your most recent report card or, preferably, a **COPY** of an official transcript.

Name _____ Date of Birth _____

Home Address _____ Telephone _____

City, State, Zip _____

My relative, who is currently a Master Mason member (or deceased member) in good standing of St. Alban Lodge, is:

Print name _____ and is my Father _____ Grandfather _____ Other _____

Name of Institution to be attended _____

School's Mail address _____

I will be in my (circle one) First Second Third Fourth Fifth Other year.

My most recent College Board Scores are (if you are still in High school): _____

Previous college attended (if you are a transfer student): _____

Present source of income for school expenses: _____

In the last year, I have been able to earn THIS \$ _____ amount toward the cost of my education.

I expect to receive the following aid from sources other than relatives and my work income:

Grant(s) \$ _____ Loan(s) \$ _____

Other Scholarships \$ _____ Other \$ _____

I am preparing for this career: _____ because _____

My hobbies, activities and interests are: _____

My youth organization membership(s) are: _____

My religious affiliation: (voluntary, not required) _____

I have a number of brothers or sisters who are now in high school _____ now in college _____

I need financial aid because _____

You may add any comments or information you consider to be relevant to your application on a separate sheet of paper and attach it securely to this Application.

IMPORTANT

Recommenders must be two Master Masons, members of St. Alban Lodge No. 529, F&AM, currently in good standing and NOT related to the applicant.

PLEASE NOTE: The Scholarship Committee will not be responsible to obtain these signatures for you unless you write a note explaining why you or a relative are unable to obtain them.

Print name _____ Signature required _____

Print name _____ Signature required _____

SUBMIT COMPLETED APPLICATION AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION BY May 15, 2026 TO:

**Scholarship Committee
c/o: Andrew B. Schure
100 N. 22nd Street – Unit 137
Philadelphia, PA 19103**

Do not write below this line; for Lodge Secretary only.

VERIFICATIONS BY LODGE SECRETARY

The names and signatures indicated above are members in good standing of St. Alban Lodge No. 529, F&AM, and are entitled to give true and accurate references and information on behalf of the scholarship applicant.

ATTEST: _____ (seal) _____ (date)
Secretary

Do not write below this line; for Scholarship Committee use only.

Approved by the Scholarship Committee: _____
(date)

Scholarship Payment made: _____ Amount: \$ _____
(date)

Check made payable to: _____