

# 2025-2026 Scholarship Required Documents

Before starting your application, please take a minute to review the scholarship guidelines, due dates, and more at <http://www.episcopalchurch.org/page/episcopal-church-scholarships>. Please be ready to upload any required documentation and identify the scholarship trust fund(s) for which you are applying.

## **Required Documents**

Please take a moment to review the information you've provided on the previous pages and make sure that all responses are complete and accurate.

### **Required for ALL APPLICANTS:**

- Letter of enrollment
- Pro-forma statement or tuition estimate
- Written endorsement from your diocesan bishop
- Personal statement: a short review of your personal history and your aspirations for the future (not required for children of missionaries K-12). Please limit to 1-2 typewritten pages double spaced.
- Photo

### **Required for SEMINARIANS only:**

- Letter of recommendation or support from your seminary dean or advisor (if currently enrolled)
- Official transcript from seminary (if currently enrolled)

### **Required for POSTULANTS only:**

- Postulancy letter from bishop or commission on ministry

### **Required for APPLICANTS FOR NATIVE AMERICAN SCHOLARSHIPS only:**

- Certificate of Indian Blood *OR* a copy of both sides of a valid Tribal Identification card with enrollment number
- Endorsement from your Tribal Council (post-secondary students only)
- Endorsement from the DFMS Missioner for Indigenous Ministries (post-secondary students only)

### **Required for APPLICANTS AT HISTORICALLY BLACK COLLEGES & UNIVERSITIES only:**

- Letter of recommendation or support from your college chaplain
- Letter of recommendation or support from a professor
- Recent resume, including community service and employment history

Required for **APPLICANTS FOR THE HISPANIC SCHOLARSHIP TRUST** only:

- In your personal statement (see above) please relate your future aspirations specifically to Latino/Hispanic ministry

Required for **CHILDREN OF MISSIONARIES** only:

- Verification from the DFMS Mission Personnel Office