

Dorothy and Edward A. Collins Scholarship University United Methodist Church

The Dorothy and Edward A. Collins Scholarship was created to aid young men and women who are members or associate (affiliate) members of the University United Methodist Church of Fort Worth and who are of good character and show evidence of sincerity of purpose and willingness to attend institutions of higher education.

Eligibility

- Students must be enrolled or accepted in either a two or four year institution of higher education.
- Students must be enrolled for and remain registered in a minimum of 12 semester hours or equivalent.
- Membership (or associate/affiliate membership) of University United Methodist Church is required.
- Students may receive funds from the Dorothy and Edward A. Collins Scholarship no more than 6 semesters in total. Awards will be selected and funded twice a year (Fall and Spring Semesters); new applications must be submitted for consideration for each award.
- Subsequent scholarships are contingent upon successful completion of previous academic work.

Scholarship Considerations

- Scholarship will be awarded on the basis of need and academic promise.
- Active participation in University United Methodist Church will be given special consideration.
- Awards will be contingent upon the student's enrollment in the institution listed in his/her application. If the student delays enrollment, the award will not be issued.

Application Process

- Complete the Dorothy and Edward A. Collins Scholarship application by **June 1** for Fall applications and **January 1** for Spring applications.
- Submit official copy of most recent high school or college transcripts.
- Submit two letters of recommendation. If reapplying, new letters of recommendation are required annually.
- Submit an essay of 250 words relative to future plans and goals. If reapplying, a new essay is required annually.
- Submit all application materials to:
The University United Methodist Church
Collins Scholarship Fund
2416 W. Berry Street
Fort Worth, TX 76110
- Awards will be distributed directly to the educational institution. Applicants must supply payment contact and instructions.

Scholarship Requirement

- Award recipients are required to submit a follow-up report regarding progress during the semester of the award (i.e. transcript, narrative summary of study, or letter describing academic progress) no later than 30 days after the completion of the semester for which the scholarship was awarded.