

Prince of Peace Family Ministries

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Scholarship Guidelines & Policies

1. Purpose: 1 Tim 4:12; Col 3:23-24

The Prince of Peace Family Ministries Scholarship Program is dedicated to empowering and encouraging students in their pursuit of higher education by providing financial support to those who demonstrate academic excellence, community service, and a commitment to personal and spiritual growth. Through this scholarship, we aim to invest in the future leaders of our community, fostering a spirit of service, perseverance, and faith.

2. Scholarship Award

- A minimum of one (1) scholarship of \$1,000 will be awarded per academic year.
- Additional scholarships may be awarded based on available funds and qualified applicants.

3. Eligibility Requirements

- Applicants must be a resident of Hemet, CA.
- Applicants must be high school seniors expected to graduate with a High School Diploma for the current school year and have acceptance to a 2-year or 4-year college/university.
- Applicants must have a minimum GPA of 2.8.
- Applicants must submit a completed application with all required materials by the deadline.
- Volunteering with Prince of Peace Family Ministries or other community service is encouraged but not required.

4. Application Components

All applicants must submit the following:

- Completed Application Form
- College/Institution Acceptance Letter
- **2 Letters of Recommendation** (signed and dated) from a teacher, coach, pastor, mentor, or employer.
- **500-word Essay** (emailed and printed copy) on the topic: *Who is Jesus Christ?* (Biblically/Historically)
- **Proof of GPA** (Official or Unofficial Transcript)
- Resume: List of Extracurricular Activities, Leadership Roles, and Volunteer Work

5. Submission Process

- All application packets must be submitted in person to the Prince of Peace Family Ministries Mailbox at 875 E Acacia Ave, Hemet, CA 92545.
- Application essays must be submitted via email to scholarships@popmin.org no later than July 1st, 2025, by 10:00 PM.
- Late or incomplete applications will not be considered.

6. Selection Process

- Applications will be reviewed by the POPFM Scholarship Committee.
- Scholarship recipients will be notified by email and invited to a recognition service at Prince of Peace Family Ministries.

7. Award Distribution

- Scholarship funds will be paid directly to the recipient's College/Institution.
- Funds may be used for tuition, books, or other academic fees at the discretion of the institution.

8. Disclosure & Compliance

- The scholarship program is in compliance with IRS guidelines for non-profit organizations.
 - o Internal Revenue Service. (n.d.). Topic no. 421 scholarships, fellowship grants, and other grants. U.S. Department of the Treasury. https://www.irs.gov/taxtopics/tc421
- Any misuse of funds may result in the scholarship being rescinded.

By signing below, I acknowledge that I have read and understand the Prince of Peace Family Ministries Scholarship Program policies and requirements. I agree to comply with all guidelines and submit all required documents by the stated deadlines. I understand that failure to meet these requirements may result in disqualification from receiving the scholarship.

| Applicant Name (Printed): |
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| Applicant Signature: |
| Date: |
| For any questions, please contact Prince of Peace Family Ministries Scholarship Committee . |



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Scholarship Application

(Please Print Legibly)

INSTRUCTIONS FOR APPLICATION - ACADEMIC YEAR 2025-2026

- 1. The deadline for the 2025–2026 scholarship application: July 1st, 2025. Applications received after July 1st will not be considered.
- 2. Only complete applications will be considered. DO NOT LEAVE ANY ITEMS BLANK.
- 3. Attach a copy of your High School Transcript, Resume, Essay, College Acceptance Letter, and Letter of Recommendation.

APPLICANT INFORMATION

| Date: | DOB: | | | |
|--|-----------------------|----------------|-----------------|--|
| Last Name | First Name | e | MI | |
| Address | City | State | Zip Code | |
| Parent(s)/Guardian(s) Name | | Phone Number | | |
| EDUCATION INFORMATION | | | | |
| High School Name | GPA | Gr | Graduation Date | |
| Attending College Name | | Intended Major | | |
| Please check the box that corres 2-year College (e.g., Con 4-year College or Unive | nmunity or Junior Col | | be attending: | |

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

| How did you learn about the scholarship? | |
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| Please List your Church Home and Pastor's Name (if Applicable) | |
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