Oklahoma State University

Application for Endowed Scholarships
Offered Through the Office of Student Disability Services

Application deadline: March 10, 2019

I am interested in applying for the following scholarship(s):
(Please only select the ones you qualify for, read the attached description of each scholarship and attach unofficial transcript.)

- The Scholarship Endowment for the Physically Limited
- Margueritte Starr Endowed Scholarship
- Hoyt E. James Endowed Scholarship
- Eleanor Young Jenkins Scholarship/Glen E. Jenkins Scholarship
- Paul Pulley Scholarship
- Eugene Embry Scholarship for Students with Dyslexia
- Dexter Johnson Education and Benevolent Trust

Please type or print all information:

Student’s Name: ___________________________________________ CWID: ___________________________ Local

Address:
_______________________________________________________________________________________ street
city    county    state    zip    area code    phone

Permanent Address:
_______________________________________________________________________________________ street

Citizenship: Are you a citizen of the United States?  □ Yes  □ No
If no, are you a permanent resident?  □ Yes  □ No

Academic Information:

Number of hours you plan to enroll Fall, 2019: _______  Spring, 2020: _______

Number of hours completed: _______  Cumulative GPA: _______

Major: ____________________________  Anticipated month and year of graduation: ________________

Student’s Signature: ___________________________________________  Date: ____________________

Oklahoma State University, in compliance with Title VI and VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Executive Order 11246 as amended, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, and other federal laws and regulations, does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age, religion, disability, or status as a veteran in any of its policies, practices, or procedures. This includes but is not limited to admissions, employment, financial aid, and educational services.
Leadership, Honors and Activities

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Explain why it is important to you to have a college education.

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What do you feel qualifies you to be selected as a scholarship recipient?

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Please return application to:
Office of Student Disability Services
Oklahoma State University
315 Student Union
Stillwater, OK 74078
Scholarship for the Physically Limited
This scholarship will be awarded to a student with a severe disability. Disability will not be limited to requirement of special equipment or mobility. First consideration may be given to individuals with quadriplegia or who are wheelchair users. The recipient must be enrolled and making progress toward a degree. A medical doctor’s statement of the disability must be included (appropriate documentation on file with SDS may be used). Financial need will be a consideration. Applicants must have a completed FAFSA on file in the OSU Office of Scholarships and Financial Aid.

Margueritte Starr Endowed Scholarship
The Margueritte Starr Scholarships (2) are given to deserving students who have a severe physical disability and are enrolled full-time at OSU.

Hoyt E. James Endowed Scholarship
This award is available to a student with a minimum 2.5 high school GPA who is not receiving private, state, or federal financial aid exceeding 100% of the cost of attending OSU. The recipient may be an undergraduate or graduate student and must be a United States citizen. The recipient may continue to receive the scholarship for up to four years, provided he/she continues to maintain a minimum 2.5 GPA.

The student must meet at least one of the following guidelines:
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Eleanor Young Jenkins and Glen E. Jenkins Scholarships
These two scholarships are available to incoming freshmen or transfer students with physical disabilities. Students should meet the following criteria:
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- Must exhibit strong financial need;

Paul Pulley Scholarship
The recipient must be enrolled as a full-time student at Oklahoma State University. Preference shall be given to a student with a visual impairment or other disability.
**Eugene Embry Scholarship for Students with Dyslexia**

The recipient must be enrolled as a full-time undergraduate student at Oklahoma State University, who has been diagnosed under the dyslexic umbrella. First selection preference shall be given to students who are enrolled in the College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources.

**Dexter Johnson Education and Benevolent Trust**

Scholarship provided to deserving students based on need to complete their education in Oklahoma high schools, Oklahoma State University, Oklahoma City University, and the University of Oklahoma, giving preference to the following: (a) physically handicapped persons (b) students who by misfortune or calamity cannot complete their education. Each scholarship should be limited to no more than $5,000 per student per year.

**Mary Jane Smothers Assistantship**

This assistantship, established through the OSU Foundation, offers employment to a student with a disability on the Library staff. Undergraduate or graduate students may apply to gain experience working in a library setting. A letter of application must be received one month prior to the beginning of the semester and awards will be made on an annual basis. For information, contact Jackie German, OSU Library Dean’s Office, 405-744-6324.
McAlester Scottish Rite Scholarship for the Blind
The McAlester Scottish Rite Charitable and Educational Foundation offers scholarships of $200-1,000 to blind and visually impaired undergraduate and graduate students attending OSU. To be eligible, a student must be in good standing and meet the following federal guidelines of legal blindness:

- 20/200 or worse in the best eye with correction for reading and distance;
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Applicants must be graduates of an Oklahoma public or private high school and have financial need. The recipient must have a high school GPA of 3.00 or higher and submit a written statement in support of their eligibility for this award.

Other Resources
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In addition to general scholarships available to all Oklahoma State University students, a number of scholarships and an assistantship are also available through OSU specifically for students with disabilities. These scholarships, established through the OSU Foundation, are available to undergraduate or graduate students with disabilities making progress toward a degree. The amount of these scholarships varies and is awarded annually.

These awards are competitive in nature. Academic standing, financial need, as well as severity of disability, will be used as a criteria for selection. Applications are solicited during the spring semester by Student Disability Services, selection will be made by the OSU Scholarship Committee, based on recommendations by Student Disability Services.

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