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scholarship information

READ AND COMPLETE CAREFULLY.

ELIGIBILITY ▶

REGIONAL CAMPUS scholarship awards vary from \$100 to \$5,000. Awards are made at the discretion of the Scholarship Committee based on the availability of funds. You must be enrolled in at least six credit hours. Graduate students and those who have already attained a bachelor's degree are not eligible for these scholarships. Applicants must be admitted to be considered for a Miami Hamilton or Miami Middletown scholarship. The deadline for applying for scholarship is March 15, 2010 for the 2010-2011 academic year.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS ▶

In order to be considered for scholarship, please complete these necessary steps:

1. **Apply for admission** to either Miami Hamilton or Miami Middletown.
2. **Submit the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)** if you want to be considered for need-based awards. Go to www.fafsa.ed.gov and **complete it by Feb. 15** (if freshman) or March 15 (for returning students).
3. **Submit scholarship application.** Scholarships must be postmarked **by March 15**.
4. **Submit a letter of recommendation** from someone other than a relative who can speak to the applicant's character, qualities, and career aspirations. Strong letters have specific examples of a student's strengths. The letter must be typed, signed and dated, and include the person's name, title, address, phone number, and a relationship to the applicant. Give the recommender several weeks notice to write the letter.
5. **Submit a list and short description** of activities, honors, awards, etc. in school, church, employment, community, or other endeavors, which attest to your leadership and creativity. Include dates of involvements.
6. **On a separate sheet of paper**, write a paragraph or two explaining your educational and professional goals.
7. **Write a personal essay**, (approximately 250-300 words), that gives reviewers additional insight about you not covered in other sections of the application. Examples might be life or job experiences, special skills, talents, or your motivation for seeking a scholarship.

APPLICATION DEADLINES ▶



Return all required materials in a single packet to the financial aid office at either Miami Hamilton or Miami Middletown. **Materials must be postmarked by March 15.**

MAIL TO THE CAMPUS YOU PREFER TO ATTEND ▶

**Miami University Hamilton
Office of Financial Aid
1601 University Blvd.
Hamilton, OH 45011-3399**

OR

**Miami University Middletown
Office of Financial Aid
4200 E. University Blvd
Middletown, OH 45042-3497**

QUESTIONS? Call Miami Hamilton's Office of Financial Aid at 513.**785.3123**.

QUESTIONS? Call Miami Middletown's Office of Financial Aid at 513.**727.3299**.

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APPLICATION FOR SCHOLARSHIP

PLEASE READ INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY. Scholarship awards will be based on your application, personal essay, goals, honors/activities, letter of recommendation, and financial need (when applicable). Your high school rank, your highest ACT or SAT score, GED score, and current college GPA may be used in the review. All scholarships are based on availability of funds.

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**PLEASE TYPE
or PRINT all
information
carefully.**

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Last name (legal) first name (legal) middle name previous name, if any

Permanent address (number and street) city state zip county

Banner ID date of birth (area code) home phone number

eMail address (area code) cell phone number

Name of high school attended graduation date GED

High school address (number and street) city state zip county

You will be attending

- Full year (AUG-MAY)
- First semester ONLY
- Second semester ONLY

Your student status will be

- Full time (12 hours)
- 3/4 time (9-11 hours)
- 1/2 time (6-8 hours)

You are a

- First-time freshman
- Returning student

Your intended academic major:

Gender Male Female Marital status Single Married

Number of dependents _____ Ages _____

12. Are you an Ethnic minority including African-American, American Indian/Alaska native, Asian/Pacific Islander or Hispanic? YES NO

Do you consider yourself to be of Appalachian heritage? YES NO

Are you a first-generation college student (parents or grandparents did not complete college)? YES NO

Are you a veteran? YES NO

WHEN YOU HAVE COMPLETED THIS SIDE, TURN OVER AND CONTINUE.

MIDDLETOWN STUDENTS ONLY:

If any member of your family graduated from Miami University, list them below.

Name _____ relationship _____ year graduated _____

Name _____ relationship _____ year graduated _____

Name _____ relationship _____ year graduated _____

MIDDLETOWN STUDENTS ONLY:

Are you or an immediate family member employed by Akers Packaging Dillman Foods

Name _____ relationship _____

Name _____ relationship _____

REMEMBER to sign and date your application.

SIGNATURE _____ **DATE** _____

READ AND SIGN.

Signature Required

I, _____, approve the release of my scholarship application information, recommendation(s), academic records, and appropriate financial aid information to non-university organizations for the purpose of scholarship consideration. I hereby certify that all information I submit to Miami University is true and correct. I understand that any misrepresentation of the facts may be cause for scholarship denial or cancellation.

SIGNATURE _____ **DATE** _____

Further, you have the right to view your recommendation letters after they are filed. Please sign below if you wish to waive this right.

SIGNATURE _____ **DATE** _____

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