



ACADEMIC MERIT SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- Oakton “in district” high school students graduating in the top 10 percent of their class, or; “in district” residents graduating in the top 10 percent of their high school class.
- A student’s first educational experience following high school graduation must be Oakton Community College.
- Have U.S. Citizenship or Permanent Residency status.

VALUE OF SCHOLARSHIP

Covers “in-district” tuition and related fees (registration, activity, lab/course) up to 60 continuous credit hours or the number of hours required for academic program.

APPLICATION PROCESS

- Interested applicants must notify the Office of Student Financial Assistance in writing that they may be eligible for this scholarship.
- Priority filing date is May 1.
- An official high school transcript is required for consideration. The “top 10 percent” criteria will be based on the seventh semester or final high school transcript.

CONTINUATION OF AWARD

- Must enroll and maintain full-time enrollment status (12 or more credit hours), except during the summer term.
- Must maintain a 3.00 (“B”) grade point average at Oakton Community College.
- Continue enrollment at Oakton Community College. If a student transfers to another college, the scholarship is terminated. Students who “transfer back” or want to use the award only for summer term are not eligible.

Name _____ Date of Birth _____ Student ID no. **B** _____

Last four digits of Soc. Sec. no. _____ Phone _____ E-mail _____

Address _____ City _____ State/Zip _____

Name of High School _____ Year of Graduation _____

I am a: U.S. Citizen Permanent Resident (*please provide ID no.*) **A** _____

Please check the most correct response:

- I have sent an official seventh semester high school transcript.
- I have sent an official final high school transcript.
- I will send an official seventh semester or final high school transcript on (*date*) _____

I believe I meet the qualifications for this scholarship; I understand the value of this award; and I understand the requirements for continuation of this award. All information provided is correct and truthful. I will present documentation of in-district residency status and/or permanent residency status to the Office of Student Financial Assistance.

Signature _____ Date _____

Return this application to:

Office of Student Financial Assistance, Oakton Community College, 1600 East Golf Road, Des Plaines, IL 60016, 847-635-1708