

*The Odd Fellows & Rebekahs  
Vocational Technology Scholarship*



The Educational Foundation, IOOF

Application Form

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### **ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS**

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This scholarship is intended to assist students who are enrolled in programs to develop their vocational or technical skills who have graduated from high school or who have obtained a GED, and who are entering or are enrolled in a community college or regional technical center.

It is not intended to assist students who are pursuing a degree program in a four year college or university. Please do not apply if you do not meet this criteria.

To apply for the Odd Fellows & Rebekahs Vocational Technology Scholarship, an applicant must Hold a high school degree or GED equivalent.

Applicants must be, or have a relative who is a member of an Odd Fellow or Rebekah Lodge A relative of an applicant shall be defined as the applicant's living spouse, parent, grandparent, great grandparent, aunt, uncle, brother, sister or parent of a spouse of the applicant; and also shall include the applicant's deceased spouse, parent, grandparent or great grandparent..

The Application must be signed by the Secretary of the relative's Odd Fellow or Rebekah Lodge, with the Lodge seal affixed, to verify membership;

Leadership qualifications and financial need form an essential part of the Trustee's review process and reflect the objectives sought by the Educational Foundation.

### **HOW TO APPLY**

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Application forms for selection of the Odd Fellows & Rebekahs Vocational Technology Scholarship are available from the Educational Foundation Director annually. The Board of Trustees of the Educational Foundation will select winners in the month of June each year.

Completed applications and correspondence in hard copies should be sent to:

Odd Fellows & Rebekahs Vo-Tech Scholarship  
P.O. Box 20455  
Winston-Salem, North Carolina 27120

Applications returned by fax or email are not accepted unless original is mailed on the same date by an overnight service.

Due to the large volume of paperwork handled by our office, it is not possible for us to respond to telephone or mail requests on the status of applications. Results are announced by August 1 each year. All applicants will be notified.

### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

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The deadline for submission of applications is May 15th. Applications received in the Educational Foundation office after this date will be rejected.

Send only the documents and information requested on the application.  
Do not send any other documentation or surplus information not asked for.

Documents will not be returned. You should, therefore, send copies of all supporting documentation and not the originals except for grade transcripts.

Incomplete applications will not be considered.

The decisions of the Board of Trustees of the Educational Foundation, IOOF are final and confidential.

# Application Vocational Technology Scholarship

## Educational Foundation The Sovereign Grand Lodge Independent Order of Odd Fellows

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Date Received

### IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS

Answer every question carefully and completely.  
Type or print clearly and legibly.

Region Number

Date \_\_\_\_\_

1. Name of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_

2. Permanent Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Street or Post Office Box \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

3. Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Social Security #: \_\_\_\_\_

4. Vocational or Technology School where you expect to use the scholarship \_\_\_\_\_

(a) Address of School \_\_\_\_\_  
(Registrar) \_\_\_\_\_ Street or Post Office Box \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

(b) Grade or Year in School Next Semester or Quarter:  Freshman  Sophomore  Junior  Senior

(c) Degree or course of study for which you are preparing: \_\_\_\_\_

5. Father's Name \_\_\_\_\_ 6. Father's Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

7. Father's Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Street or Post Office Box \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

8. Mother's Name \_\_\_\_\_ 9. Mother's Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

10. Mother's Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Street or Post Office Box \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

11. Are you married?  YES  NO Number of Dependents \_\_\_\_\_ Name of Spouse \_\_\_\_\_

12. If you are a minor and have a Legal Guardian, give name of Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

13. Guardian's Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Street or Post Office Box \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

14. Are you a member of an Odd Fellow or Rebekah Lodge? Yes  No

Name of Lodge to which you or a relative belongs \_\_\_\_\_  
Odd Fellow or Rebekah Lodge \_\_\_\_\_ City Where Lodge Is Located \_\_\_\_\_ Lodge Number \_\_\_\_\_

(a) Relative's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to Applicant \_\_\_\_\_

Relative is: Living  Deceased

Date of Relative's Initiation into an Odd Fellow or Rebekah Lodge \_\_\_\_\_

(b) Name of Lodge Secretary \_\_\_\_\_

(b) Address of Lodge Secretary \_\_\_\_\_  
Street or Post Office Box \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

15. Are you receiving or expect to receive any other Scholarships, Fellowships, Grants, Bursaries (Canada) or other student aid?  YES  NO  
If so, please list each with the amount. \_\_\_\_\_

16. Do you, or does anyone as payee for you, receive:

(a) Social Security Benefits  YES  NO

(b) Veterans Administration Benefits  YES  NO

(c) G.I. Bill Benefits  YES  NO

(d) Trust Fund Payments  YES  NO

If so, indicate source and monthly or other periodic amount. \_\_\_\_\_





20. Please attach a copy of the following Income Tax Returns :

- YOURS
  - YOUR SPOUSE'S, IF YOU ARE MARRIED
  - YOUR LIVING PARENTS'
  - YOUR GUARDIAN'S, IF APPLICABLE
- You do not have to attach supporting schedules of the tax returns.

If you are unable to provide this information, your Scholarship Application will not be considered.

21. IMPORTANT. Except for the required Tax Returns, please do not attach any documents, letters or explanations other than in the space provided for in this application.

### AFFIRMATION OF APPLICANT

To the best of my knowledge and belief, the information reported in this application is complete, accurate and correct.

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Signature

### LODGE CERTIFICATION

The Relative listed on this Application in Item 14:

- is living and is a member in good standing of this Lodge, or
- is deceased and was a member in good standing of this Lodge at the time of his/her death.

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Date

\_\_\_\_\_

Lodge Name & Number

\_\_\_\_\_

Town or City Where Lodge Is Located

(Lodge Seal)

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Signature of Lodge Secretary

**Please return the completed application by May 15th to:**

VO-TECH SCHOLARSHIP  
P.O. BOX 20455  
WINSTON-SALEM, NC 27120

THE ODD FELLOWS & REBEKAHS VOCATIONAL TECHNOLOGY SCHOLARSHIP IS BASED ON FINANCIAL NEED AND LEADERSHIP ONLY.

**REQUIREMENTS:**

- 1. ALL APPLICANTS MUST HAVE COMPLETED HIGH SCHOOL OR EARNED HIGH SCHOOL EQUIVALENT GED.
- 2. APPLICANTS MUST BE A MEMBER OR HAVE A RELATIVE WHO IS A MEMBER OF AN ODD FELLOW OR REBEKAH LODGE.
- 2. THE COMPLETED APPLICATION IS DUE BY MAY 15th.

RESULTS OF THE SCHOLARSHIP SELECTION COMMITTEE WILL BE SENT TO ALL APPLICANTS BY AUGUST 1ST.

### PHOTOGRAPH

Attach here within the box with tape. Need not be an expensive picture but taken within the last year.