



OAK RIDGE MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

2025-2026 SCHOLARSHIP



OPEN REGISTRATION: 09/25 through 04/26

**DEADLINE: April 1, 2026
@ 12:00 PM**

Please see a member of the scholarship committee for the
Application or you may request the
Scholarship application at the email below or [access @ ORMBCHC.org](mailto:access@ORMBCHC.org)

Please direct all questions to
Oakridgechurch929@gmail.com/ 256.770.4183

Rev. Anthony Chatmon, Sr., Pastor
Eric DeRamus, Chairman of Deacons

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INFORMATION AND GUIDELINES

Oak Ridge Missionary Baptist Church will award two (2) \$500.00 scholarships to two (2) church/community graduating seniors of 2026. Scholarships will be awarded based on academic achievement, church service, community service, extra-curricular activities, and financial need. Application packets received by the deadline date will be screened and evaluated by the scholarship committee. The scholarship will be upon the applicant entering college. Proof of enrollment into a two-year or four-year college or university must be received to receive the scholarship award. Eligibility for the scholarships is limited to graduating seniors of Oak Ridge and Hobson City first. Then open to others in need. All applicants must have a GPA of 3.0.

INSTRUCTIONS

Failure to comply with these instructions will disqualify the applicant. Incomplete applications will not be considered. Application packet must be postmarked no later than 01 April 2026. Completed application packets must include:

- ❖ *High School Transcript-Transcript must clearly reflect GPA*
- ❖ *Three (3) Reference letters with original signatures*
- ❖ *Evidence of Honors and Awards, Community Service/Religious Activities, and Extra-Curricular Activities*
- ❖ *Statement of Plans and Goals*
- ❖ *Statement of why Financial Aid is needed*
- ❖ *Wallet size photo with your first, middle and last name on back **(NO COPIES PLEASE)***
- ❖ *No incomplete or partially completed sections*
- ❖ *Name, Photograph and Video Publication Authorization and Release Form signed*

Remember to take a few minutes to look over your application packet to ensure that you have filled out and included all the information needed.

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This application must be completed in its entirety. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

Personal Information

| | | | | | |
|---|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|--|--------------------|----------------|
| Last Name: | | First Name: | | Middle Name: | |
| Male <input type="radio"/> | Female <input type="radio"/> | Other <input type="radio"/> | Prefer not to say <input type="radio"/> | | Date of Birth: |
| Permanent Address | | | | | |
| City: | | State: | Zip: | | |
| Home Phone Number: | | | | Cell Phone number: | |
| Email Address: | | | | | |
| Mother/Guardian: | | | | | |
| Father/Guardian: | | | | | |
| Are you a member of a church? If so, what church? | | | | | |

High School Information

| | | |
|---|--------|------|
| Name of High School: | | |
| School Address | | |
| City: | State: | Zip: |
| Grade Point Average (GPA) | | |
| Have you registered for the ACT? Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Have you taken the ACT? If so, what was your score? _____ | | |
| Type of Diploma Receiving: | | |
| List all honors and awards that you have received during high school (grades 9th-12th only). Please include dates and a description of the award(s). | | |
| Awards: | Date: | |
| 1. | | |
| 2. | | |
| 3. | | |
| 4. | | |
| 5. | | |

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List in order of importance, all high school (**grades 9th-12th only**) activities in which you have participated and leadership positions/offices you have held, if any.

| | Activity | Position |
|----|----------|----------|
| 1. | | |
| 2. | | |
| 3. | | |
| 4. | | |
| 5. | | |

College Information

Name of College or University you plan to attend.

Have you applied to the college of your choice: Yes No

Proposed Major:

Have you been granted any scholarships or financial aid? If so, from where and the amount granted?

| | Scholarship/Grant | Amount |
|----|-------------------|--------|
| 1. | | |
| 2. | | |
| 3. | | |
| 4. | | |
| 5. | | |

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Community/Service/Religious Activities

List all community service/religious activities that you have participated in during high school (**grades 9th-12th only**). Include a description of activities, position(s) held, and date(s) of involvement.

| | <i>Activity</i> | <i>Position Held/Duties</i> | <i>Date</i> |
|----|-----------------|-----------------------------|-------------|
| 1. | | | |
| 2. | | | |
| 3. | | | |
| 4. | | | |
| 5. | | | |

Extra-Curricular Activities

List in order of importance all high school extra-curricular activities in which you have participated and include leadership positions/offices you have held (**Grades 9th-12th only**).

| | <i>Activity</i> | <i>Year</i> | <i>Position</i> |
|----|-----------------|-------------|-----------------|
| 1. | | | |
| 2. | | | |
| 3. | | | |
| 4. | | | |
| 5. | | | |

In Your Words

Briefly state why you should be considered for financial aid.

Briefly address your future plans and goals.

What do you consider to be your greatest accomplishment(s) during your 2025-2026 school year?

References

Please list three (3) references. Example: school counselor, teacher, employer, community leader, etc. RELATIVES ARE EXCLUDED.

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

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Name, Photograph, and Video Publication Authorization and Release Form

I hereby give Oak Ridge Missionary Baptist Church the right and permission to take photographs of me individually or in a group.

I understand and agree that these images will become the property of Oak Ridge Missionary Baptist Church (ORMBC) which shall have complete ownership of the images. I hereby irrevocably authorize ORMBC to publish or distribute these images for the purpose of publicizing the scholarship and outstanding student recipients or for any other lawful purpose. In addition, I waive any right to inspect or approve the finished product wherein my likeness appears.

I release and discharge ORMBC from all claims and demands arising out of or in connection with the use of the photographs, including all claims for libel.

The ORMBC may publish my name as the scholarship and/or outstanding student recipient.

I am over the age of 18. I have read the information above and fully understand and agree to the contents thereof.

Student Signature

Date

Parent or Legal Guardian Signature
(If Student is not 18 years of age)

Date