

**GILFORD COMMUNITY CHURCH SCHOLARSHIP MINISTRY**  
**UPPERCLASS APPLICATION 2019 - 2020 Academic Year**

This is the renewal application form for students who have previously received an award from the Gilford Community Church Scholarship Ministry.

**Completed renewal applications, along with official sealed transcripts, must be received in the church office by no later than June 15<sup>th</sup>.** Renewal application forms may be picked up in the church office, or you may call the church office (603-524-6057) and have an application either mailed or e-mailed to you. Application forms are also available for download on the church website, in Microsoft Word and PDF format.

**Please note that renewal of your scholarship is not automatic.** To receive a scholarship award for any upcoming academic year, you must:

- a) remain enrolled at an accredited college or university in pursuit of a 4-year degree
- b) have maintained a grade point average of 3.0 or above
- c) prior to June 10<sup>th</sup>, satisfactorily complete and submit a renewal application and a current official sealed transcript.

Renewal applications are reviewed by the full scholarship committee, and both the quality and timeliness of the application will be considered. The committee cannot take responsibility for contacting applicants if the application is incomplete or late. Incomplete and / or late applications may be disqualified.

Awards are based on the enrollment status you indicate on your application. Should your enrollment status change from the information originally indicated, you must notify the scholarship committee through either a letter or phone call to the church office, and your award for the academic year may be modified. With the exception of the nursing program, students taking less than full time course loads will not be eligible to receive a scholarship.

All applicants will be notified of scholarship award decisions by mail no later than August 1.

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Name (Last, First, MI):	
Current Mailing Address <i>(Provide the address that we should use for all scholarship correspondence, including award disbursements.)</i>	
Permanent Home Address: <i>(If different from above)</i>	
Your Email Address:	
Your Phone Number:	
Parent / Guardian Email Address:	
Parent / Guardian Phone Number:	
Name and address of college / university you will be attending in the coming academic year	
2019/2020 grade level: (sophomore, junior, or senior):	
2019/ 2020 anticipated course load: (full-time, part-time):	
Subject Area / Major:	

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**ESSAY**

In 1-2 typed pages, please respond to the question associated with your grade level in the coming year (sophomore, junior, senior):

Sophomores (2<sup>nd</sup> year students): Tell us about your college experience so far. Was it what you expected? What do you like / dislike the most? What's something interesting that you've learned, either academically, or about yourself or others?

Juniors (3<sup>rd</sup> year students): Have you finalized your choice of major yet? If so, what have you chosen, and what went into that choice? If not, what are some of the things you are considering, and what is most important to you when making this decision?

Seniors (4<sup>th</sup> year students): You're about to head into your last year! What advice would you have for high school graduates about to enter their first year of college? What are the most important life lessons you've learned in the last three years?

**TRANSCRIPT**

**Your official, sealed transcript for the 2018/2019 academic year must be attached to this application, or if submitted separately, must be received in the church office prior to the June 15<sup>th</sup> application deadline.**

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**SIGNATURES**

CERTIFICATION: All of the information on this form is true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

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Applicant's signature

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Date

