

Scholarships: Before You Begin

The purpose of this document is to give you an overview of Foundation scholarships, how to determine your eligibility, and the steps required to complete your application. You can get help at any time by emailing <u>foundation scholarships@edmonds.edu</u>

Key Details

- One application gives you access to over 100 scholarships.
- The number of scholarships awarded varies based on available funding.
- Most awards range from \$1,000 \$5,000.
- The application period is **January 26, 2024 March 23, 2024.** Late applications are not accepted.
- All components must be completed by the deadline for your application to be considered.
- Foundation scholarships can only be used at Edmonds College. They do not transfer to other schools.

Minimum Qualifications

You are eligible to apply if you meet the following requirements:

- You are enrolled or planning to enroll in a Certificate Program, Associates of Arts (AA) Degree program, or Bachelor of Applied Science (BAS) Degree program at Edmonds College for the 2024-2025 academic year.
- You have a minimum 2.0 GPA.
 - o Most scholarships have a minimum 2.5 GPA requirement to qualify
- You are NOT in the Running Start Program

What You Will Need

- **Time:** set aside time to focus on each of the components of this application.
- **Technology:** access to the Internet.
- **Edmonds ctcLink Identification number:** call Enrollment Services at 425.640.1459 to get your SID if you do not have it.
- **Unofficial Transcripts:** enrolled students can find this information in ctcLink in the Student Self Service section under the "Academic Records" tile. For more help with this, visit https://tinyurl.com/ymryb6r4

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Steps

Ш	Determine if you meet the minimum qualification requirements.		
	Gather the required information and documentation, such as transcripts, needed to complete the application.		
	Preview the application and essay questions: https://tinyurl.com/3t3as458		
	Review the Application Scoring Rubric to understand how reviewers will evaluate your application: https://tinyurl.com/3t3as458		
		Draft a response to each essay question within the Academic Learning & Reflection section, Financial Need section, and Planning for the Future section.	
	0	Recommendation: write your draft in a separate document for easy editing before adding your answer to the online application.	
	Review, proofread, and edit your essays.		
	0	For help with your essays, visit the Learning Resource Center (link)	
	Comp	Complete the online application questions.	
	0	Visit https://tinyurl.com/3t3as458 to learn how to access the application.	
	Upload your transcripts.		
	Upload your final essays to the application.		
П	Submit your application no later than March 23 at 11:59 PM		