

HOYT E. JAMES ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP

The Stigler Community Development Foundation administers the Hoyt E. James Endowed Scholarship, The donor sets the scholarship requirements and the Stigler Community Development Foundation Scholarship Committee selects the recipients.

Location: Information pertaining to scholarships, criteria and changes are available through the Foundation at 115 South Broadway, Stigler, OK 74462. All applications must be returned to this same address.

The Scholarship is for one (1) academic year in the amount of \$500.00. Applications must be applied for during the senior year. Deadline is March 1st for the following academic year.

Disbursement: Scholarship recipients must provide the foundation a “thank you” letter to be forwarded to the donor along with a copy for Foundation files. Disbursement of the award will not be allowed unless a “thank you” letter is received by the Foundation secretary.

Scholarship checks will be given out at the same time financial aid checks are disbursed in the Business Office. Outstanding fees will be paid first. If no fees are outstanding, then the recipient will receive the check.

Impact on financial aid: Scholarships are considered “resource” funds under state and federal guidelines; therefore scholarship awards become part of a students financial aid package. Scholarships are first used to cover student’s “unmet need” and then to reduce loan or work study obligations. Gift aid (grants) will be reduced only if the total of all awards exceeds the amount of financial aid for which the student is eligible. In no case will the Pell Grant be reduced as the result of a scholarship.

Application Guidelines and Qualifications:

1. Student must have at least a 2.5 GPA in high school and must attach most recent transcript
2. Student must fill out a Hoyt E. James Endowed Scholarship Application.
3. Student must be handicapped as defined herein.

Student is a handicapped person in that he or she is experiencing impairment of vision, hearing, or other sensory functions; has limitation to physical movements due to birth defect, accident, injury, or illness; has impairment or mental capacity; or has a health condition seriously impeding and/or complicating participation in educational experiences normally and routinely a part of the course for which the students plans to enroll.

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION PROCEDURE

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Application deadline for the following year is the first day in March. However applications may be picked up year round from the Foundation address.

Application Guidelines:

- 1) **Complete as much as possible, please type.**
- 2) **Attach three recommendations. One focusing on grades, the other two should be personal references.**
- 3) **Attach your most recent transcript.**
- 4) **Attach a personal letter concerning reasons applying for this scholarship.**

