

# **Requirements for Sweetwater Baptist Association High School Scholarship**

## **The applicant must:**

1. Be an active member of a participating church of the Sweetwater Baptist Association
2. Be recommended in writing by the pastor of his/her church
3. Be recommended in writing by an official of his/her high school
4. Be a current high school graduating senior
5. Have passed college entrance exams as required by the college of choice
6. Be accepted by the college of his/her choice
7. Include with the application a typewritten essay briefly stating:
  - (a) His/her salvation experience with Jesus Christ
  - (b) The reason, and/or need, for applying for the scholarship
  - (c) Goals and ambitions after college
8. Submit a recent photo with application (NOTE: photo will NOT be returned)

## **Applications**

Applications will be available at the office of Sweetwater Baptist Association, and online at [www.sweetwaterbaptistassociation.com](http://www.sweetwaterbaptistassociation.com) Applications must be completed and mailed to Sweetwater Baptist Association, 696 Anderson Street, Madisonville, TN 37354. Applications must be received in the office of S.B.A. by **MARCH 1st**. All applications will be reviewed by the Associational Scholarship Committee at the March meeting.

## **Scholarship Funding**

Four (4) scholarships, minimum of \$100.00 and maximum of \$500.00 each to be presented to the recipients chosen by the Associational Scholarship Committee. The Associational Scholarship Committee will be responsible for determining the dollar amount each year.

One recipient will be chosen from each of the three high schools in Monroe County and one recipient from the remaining high schools outside of Monroe County.

**APPLICATION for  
SWEETWATER BAPTIST ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP**

**Personal Information**

Name in full \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Cell phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Email address \_\_\_\_\_

Employer/Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Father's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Or Legal Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ (Relationship) \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Employer/Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Employer/Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Or Legal Guardian Employer/Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

**Church Information**

Member of \_\_\_\_\_ BAPTIST Church

Pastor's Name \_\_\_\_\_

**School Information**

High School Graduated From \_\_\_\_\_

Address, City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Year of Graduation \_\_\_\_\_ GPA \_\_\_\_\_ ACT Score \_\_\_\_\_ SAT Score \_\_\_\_\_

**College Information**

Name and address of College/University you plan to attend \_\_\_\_\_

Have you been accepted by this college/university? \_\_\_\_\_ (IF YES, PLEASE ATTACH VERIFICATION.)

What is your planned major? \_\_\_\_\_

**Must include the following with application:**

1. A written recommendation from the pastor of your church
2. A written recommendation from an official of the high school you will be graduating from
3. Verification of your acceptance to the college/university
4. A typewritten essay briefly stating:
  - (a) Your salvation experience with Jesus Christ
  - (b) The reason, and/or need, for applying for the scholarship
  - (c) Your goals and ambitions after college
5. A recent photo of the applicant (NOTE: photo will NOT be returned)

NOTE: This application will become the confidential property of the Sweetwater Baptist Association.