



Crowder College Foundation

Neosho, MO

DEADLINE: April 15th 4:30PM
Or, the next business day if April 15th falls on a Saturday or Sunday

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

All areas **MUST** be completed, or application will be invalid.

I. PERSONAL INFORMATION

First Name: _____ Middle Initial: ____ Last Name: _____

Current Address: _____ How long at this address? _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____ Phone Number: _____

Secondary Phone Number: _____ Email Address: _____

Male Female U.S. Citizen or Permanent Resident: Yes No

Date of Birth: ____ / ____ / ____ Social Security Number: ____ / ____ / ____

II. EDUCATION

Crowder College Student Status: Prospective Student First Time Student Current Student

Returning Student Transfer Student

Crowder College ID#: _____ **Current Crowder College Cumulative GPA:** _____

During the upcoming year, I plan to (or have already enrolled):

Full-time (12 or more credit hours) Part-Time (9-11 credit hours) Part-time (6-8 credit hours)

Part-time (1-5 credit hours)

Educational Goal at Crowder College: Associate Degree Certificate Other _____

Do you plan to transfer to a 4-year college or university after attending Crowder College? _____

If yes, where? _____

Program of Study at Crowder College: _____ **Anticipated Graduation Date:** ____ / ____

High School: _____ **City:** _____ **State:** ____ **Graduation Date:** ____ / ____

-or- Home School GED Home School /GED Completion Date: ____ / ____

III. ESSAY

Instructions

Your answers will be reviewed for composition, including grammar, spelling and capitalization. Please type your response to the following questions on a separate sheet(s). Include your name and Crowder College ID or the last four digits of your Social Security number at the top of each additional sheet.

Questions

1. What impact will this scholarship have on your future and why will you be a great representative of Crowder College?
2. Describe community/volunteer service and high school or college activities in which you have participated or are currently involved. Include length of your involvement, responsibilities and leadership experience.
3. How did you decide upon your intended major –or– How do you intend to decide upon your major?
4. Please explain financial and/or personal challenges you face as you pursue your education or include any other information that shows you are deserving of this scholarship.

IV. FINANCIAL INFORMATION

List the name and anticipated amount of all other scholarships and financial aid you receive now or expect to receive next year including Pell grants, Crowder College Foundation grants and scholarships from other sources:

Have you completed the FAFSA? Yes No Date FAFSA completed: ____/____/____

*IMPORTANT NOTE: If financial need is listed as an eligibility requirement of a scholarship, you **must** complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). Log on to fafsa.ed.gov or contact the Crowder College Financial Aid office (417-455-5419) for more information or assistance.*

V. TRANSCRIPTS

Request transcripts from your high school and/or other colleges as indicated below. Please submit transcripts with your completed application. DO NOT request transcripts to be mailed to the Crowder College Foundation.

EDUCATIONAL STATUS	TRANSCRIPT REQUIREMENTS
Prospective or First-Time Crowder Students with no college experience	High school transcript or GED/home school proof of completion required
College Transfers	Other college transcript(s) required and high school transcript recommended
Current Crowder College Students	Crowder College transcript required and transcripts from all other colleges attended, recommended

VI. PLEASE READ CAREFULLY... YOUR SIGNATURE IS REQUIRED!

- I hereby certify that the information in this application and any accompanying documents are accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge.
- I authorize Crowder College to provide copies of my FAFSA Student Aid Report to the Foundation.
- I consent to the release of personal information, financial need calculations, academic records and recommendations to the selection committee, scholarship sponsors and other Foundation representatives for the sole purpose of determining my eligibility for receipt of financial assistance and/or scholarship award(s).
- If awarded a scholarship from the Crowder College Foundation, I understand that I must notify the Foundation and Financial Aid office if I should fail, at any time during the scholarship period, to meet the scholarship criteria.
- If awarded, I release to Crowder College, the Crowder College Foundation and the scholarship sponsor the right to use my name and picture for publications, reports and press releases. I also agree to attend the Crowder College Foundation's Annual Scholarship Awards Reception and, if requested, to meet with donor(s) at other appropriate functions.
- If awarded a Crowder College Foundation scholarship, I will write a personal note of thanks to the scholarship sponsor(s).
- I understand that scholarship selection is competitive, eligibility requirements may be updated without notice and all awards are subject to availability of funds.

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____

Submit application to the Crowder College Financial Aid Office
Arnold Farber Building 601 Laclede Ave. Neosho, MO 64850