

OCEAN COUNTY VOCATIONAL TECHNICAL SCHOOL

Generic Scholarship Application

This application should be used to apply for scholarships including, but not limited to:

- Ocean County Foundation for Vocational Technical Education Scholarship
- Rotary Club Scholarships
- Ocean County Vocational Technical Education Association Scholarship
- Ocean County PTA Scholarship

Criteria:

1. Be a resident of Ocean County and a current high school senior or post-secondary student enrolled in an OCVTS program.
2. Possess a career goal as clearly defined in the required essay.
3. For Ocean County Foundation for Vocational Technical Education Scholarships, all applicants will be required to have a grade of **85 or higher** in their vocational subject area. Applicants also must have **no more than 5** unexcused absences for vocational school. For MATES and PAA applicants, a cumulative GPA of 85 or higher and no more than 5 unexcused absences are required.

Application Process:

1. Complete the generic scholarship application information sheet. **Please complete in your own handwriting, in ink.**
 2. Include a personal essay outlining how this scholarship will help further your educational or career goals (TYPED, MAXIMUM 300 WORDS).
 3. Submit transcripts from high school and/or colleges attended.
 4. Include two recommendations (forms attached) from individuals regarding the integrity and motivation of the applicant. (If currently a vocational student, one recommendation must come from your instructor.)
- A Scholarship Selection Committee will review your application and award scholarships based on the above criteria. Scholarship recipients will be notified in writing.
 - Other sources of scholarship monies are available through outside organizations. Contact your counselor for a complete list of scholarships.

Return applications by April 3rd to the student's OCVTS counselor

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Last Name **First Name** **MI**

Street Address

City **State** **Zip**

Home Phone: _____

High School: _____ **Year of Graduation:** _____

➤ I plan to use this scholarship for School Tuition
List the schools you have applied to: (include technical schools, two-year/four-year colleges and universities):

➤ I plan to use this scholarship for Tools, Equipment, or Supplies **(please list and explain):**

Are there any special circumstances that you would like us to consider (financial or personal)? **Explain:**

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To be completed by high school guidance counselor (*post-secondary applicants N/A*):

Applicant's high school transcript must accompany this application

High School Grade Point Average: _____

High School Class Rank: _____

SAT Scores: Math: _____ Verbal: _____ ACT _____

Attendance: 12th grade - number of days absent _____

If unsatisfactory (over 10 days), explain:

Counselor's Comments:

Counselor's Signature

Applicant's Signature

It is the policy of the Ocean County Vocational Technical School not to discriminate in its technical programs, activities, employment practices, or admission policies and practices on the basis of race, color or national origin, sex, or handicap. Lack of English language skills will not be a deterrent to admission to any program at the Ocean County Vocational Technical School.

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To be completed by OCVTS counselor:

OCVTS Center: _____

Program: _____ Grade: _____

Program Average: _____

Attendance: current year's attendance - number of days absent _____

If unsatisfactory, explain:

Counselor's Comments:

Counselor's Signature

Applicant's Signature

Note: Any information given is strictly confidential and will be available only to the Scholarship Committee.

Date of Application

Student Signature

Parent/Guardian Signature (if applicant under age 18)

SCHOLARSHIP RECOMMENDATION FORM

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Print Applicant's Name _____

The above student has applied for a scholarship at the Ocean County Vocational Technical School district. To the best of your knowledge, please complete the recommendation form below *(please check)*:

1. **Academic ability:** Outstanding _____ Competent _____ Weak _____
2. **Vocational technical skills:** Outstanding _____ Competent _____ Weak _____
3. **Responsible:** Always _____ Sometimes _____ Weak _____
4. **Disciplined:** Always _____ Sometimes _____ Weak _____
5. **Goal Directed:** Always _____ Sometimes _____ Weak _____

Comments:

Name of Person Making Recommendation:

Printed Name _____ Signature _____ Date _____

Relationship to applicant: _____

Work Address: _____
(Street) (City)

Phone: _____

**This form can be given to the student or mailed directly to the
student's OCVTS counselor.**

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