

O'BERRY CENTER FOUNDATION
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UNDERGRADUATE OR GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

ELIGIBLE APPLICANTS: *Employees of O'Berry Center or immediate family members of employees.*

The O'Berry Center Foundation offers a \$1,000 academic scholarship to an undergraduate or graduate student majoring in one of the following fields:

Four Year Degree:

Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, Recreational Therapy, Psychology, Special Education, Nursing (LPN's will not be accepted), or Speech/Language Pathology who has an interest in serving persons with developmental disabilities.

Two Year Degree:

Applicant must have already been accepted into the degree program in order to be accepted. Applications will not be accepted for prerequisite work for a two year degree program.

*******PLEASE SEE ATTACHED GUIDELINES FOR ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS*******

APPLICATIONS MUST BE COMPLETED AND RETURNED NO LATER THAN April 1st, June 1st, September 1st, December 1st for consideration during each quarter. The best time to submit application is April 1st deadline, because once funding is expended, no additional scholarships can be considered until the next calendar year.

Name _____	
Address _____ _____	
County of Residence _____	Home Phone _____
Work Phone _____	Email Address _____

College/University _____		
Please circle one:	Undergraduate Degree	Graduate Degree
Please circle one:	Two Year Degree	Four Year Degree
Major field(s) of Study _____	Grade Point Average _____	
Semester Hours Complete _____		
How many hours did you take last semester? _____	How many hours do you plan to take next semester? _____	
Expected Graduation Date _____ (month/year)		
Signature of Academic Advisor _____	Date _____	

To allow the scholarship committee to know you better, please respond to the following questions:

In what activities are you involved in school, community, and church?

What current and prior experience have you had with persons with developmental disabilities?

What are your plans after completing your college degree?

OTHER ATTACHMENTS:

- 1) **Attach a letter explaining how you intend to serve persons with developmental disabilities after graduation.**
- 2) **Provide at least one letter of recommendation from an immediate supervisor.**
- 3) **Attach the most current transcript from your already completed semester hours.**
- 4) **If you are working towards a two year degree, please attach some type of verification that you have been accepted into one of the following degree programs listed above.**

Please return the completed application along with attachments to:

**O'Berry Center Foundation
P.O. Box 1157
Goldsboro, NC 27533**

**Or drop off to:
Dennis May's Office
Administration Building-O'Berry Center
919-581-4014**

If you have any questions regarding the application, please contact Monnie Lunsford at 919-581-4187 or monunc@nc.rr.com