

Mayor's Opportunity Scholarship

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

1. I am not yet 18, can I apply?

If you are 18 by December 31, 2017, you may apply.

2. I have not been accepted into a post-secondary institution at time of submission, can I still apply?

You must be able to provide proof of acceptance into a post-secondary institution at the time of application submittal.

3. If I am choosing between several post-secondary offers, can the scholarship be sent directly to me?

The scholarship funds will be paid directly to an accredited post-secondary institution in the recipients' name or directly to the recipient based on the unmet financial need.

4. What happens if I cannot attend fall semester and I have been awarded the Mayor's Opportunity Scholarship?

All recipients must start their post-secondary institutional program in the fall of 2017.

Termination or withdrawal from your post-secondary institution will result in forfeiture of the Mayor's Opportunity Scholarship.

5. I am no longer participating in MBSYEP 2017, may I still be considered for the Mayor's Opportunity Scholarship?

All applicants are evaluated based on attendance and participation in 2017 MBSYEP.

6. Can I complete the application on a mobile device?

We recommend that the Mayor's Opportunity Scholarship application be completed on a computer or a laptop.

*****If you have any additional questions, please email boss.oyp@dc.gov*****