

St. Louis Christian College **Soldier Scholarship Application**

2014-2015 Academic Year

Early Acceptance Deadline: December 15, 2013

Main Scholarship Deadline: May 15, 2014

Early scholarship application WITH early acceptance for 2014-2015 academic year gets a bonus of \$250
*(Early Acceptance Deadline: December 15, 2013 for Fall 2014 enrollment and
September 1, 2014 for Spring 2015 enrollment)*

Scholarship applications must be submitted by May 15, 2014 for consideration (Early Acceptance Deadline: December 15, 2013) for prospective students applying for fall semester 2014. Saint Louis Christian College cannot guarantee a scholarship award to all applicants. There is limited funding so we would suggest having all scholarship application materials and admissions application materials turned in by the early acceptance deadline to provide the best chance of receiving a scholarship award.

The Soldier Scholarship guidelines state that the scholarship award is:

- merit based
- available only to new students who have been accepted to St. Louis Christian College by the scholarship deadline
- for tuition, room/board, fees, and books; excess funding may not be carried over to subsequent years
- must be used for consecutive semesters; non-renewable following the first year of college
- will be granted on a first come basis of having completed all SLCC application requirements as long as scholarship funds are available
- non-renewable following the first year of college

Candidates are evaluated on the basis of academic ability, ministry experience and church involvement, demonstrated Christian leadership, and community service. The admissions department will evaluate each candidate on the basis of his or her total qualifications. Award amounts range from \$250 to \$500 per semester and will be applied to each semester for the first year only, provided the student adheres to the above guidelines. Students who do not enroll in the semester immediately following the scholarship awarded will forfeit their scholarship award.

General Criteria

1. Must be accepted as a new full-time student at St. Louis Christian College by the scholarship deadline
2. Complete the following questions and submit the reference form provided
3. All final transcripts should be submitted to the Admissions
4. All financial aid information should be submitted to the Financial Aid Office
5. Where applicant's qualifications are the same, preference will be given to those adhering to the early acceptance deadline

Procedures for Applying

- ☐ Complete and return the full St. Louis Christian College Application including submission of final transcript and Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)
- ☐ Complete and return the Soldier Scholarship Application
- ☐ Provide reference from Minister, Church Leader, Teacher, or Employer

I understand that this scholarship can be revoked if:

- the student's semester GPA drops below the minimum level of 2.5 required for the scholarship
- the student does not maintain full-time status
- the student has been found to have been dishonest in completing the application information
- the student undergoes disciplinary action for not adhering to the student code of conduct

PERSONAL INFORMATION (Please *neatly* print or type all information in a new Word document):

Name: _____ **M/F** _____ **Date of Birth:** _____

Permanent Address: _____

City/State/Zip Code: _____ **U.S. Citizen?** Y / N

Home Phone: _____

Current Classification: *Circle One* (Junior, Senior, Graduate, GED) **Transfer Student:** Y / N **Current**

Classification: *Circle One* (Freshman, Sophomore, Junior, Senior)

Name of Church: _____

Denomination: _____ **Are you an active member of your church?** Y / N

Are you planning to go into ministry? Full-time ministry ___ Part-time ministry ___ Lay ministry ___ No ___

Semester applying for: Fall 2014 ___ Spring 2015 ___

1. I attend worship/church activities: (check one)

- | | |
|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> two or more times each week | <input type="checkbox"/> occasionally |
| <input type="checkbox"/> once per week | <input type="checkbox"/> rarely or not at all |
| <input type="checkbox"/> few times a month | |

2. Please describe your church involvement: (check all that apply)

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|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> member of a church and attend weekly | <input type="checkbox"/> attend the same church weekly but not a member |
| <input type="checkbox"/> have past or current involvement in multiple ministries within the church | <input type="checkbox"/> attend different churches weekly |
| <input type="checkbox"/> have past or current involvement in at least one ministry within the church | <input type="checkbox"/> attend church occasionally |
| <input type="checkbox"/> have not been involved in a church ministry | <input type="checkbox"/> do not attend church |

3. Please describe your specific ministry involvement: (check all that apply)

- | | |
|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> participated in worship service | <input type="checkbox"/> participated in worship teams |
| <input type="checkbox"/> attended Sunday School or other education classes | <input type="checkbox"/> participated on overseas mission trip |
| <input type="checkbox"/> participated in youth group | <input type="checkbox"/> participated in local mission projects |
| <input type="checkbox"/> participated in small groups | <input type="checkbox"/> other: _____ |

Please print neatly or type the following questions (*illegible answers will result in delay and/or ineligibility*)

4. What ministry skills and/or experience do you have? (please include any positions held and a brief description of those positions along with your specific duties)

5. In what ways is God using you as a servant leader to influence the lives of other people? Please be specific by including any and all activities, roles and responsibilities, and leadership skills used in your local church, community, church camps, school, etc. for the past 4 years.

6. Please describe your community service and how you have been involved in serving/helping your community (church, school, etc.). List any community service and volunteer participation for the past 4 years.

I have read and understood all of the requirements for this scholarship.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

No person is denied the benefits of admission to Saint Louis Christian College on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, or disability.

Please contact the St. Louis Christian College Admissions Office for any questions at: 1-800-887-7522

Please submit all materials to:
St. Louis Christian College
Admissions Department
Scholarship Program
1360 Grandview Dr.
Florissant, MO 63033

St. Louis Christian College
Soldier Scholarship
Reference Form

Full Name of Applicant: _____

Name of Person Making the Reference: _____

Phone Number: _____ Relationship to Applicant: _____

How long have you known the applicant? _____

Thank you for taking the time to provide this reference for the St. Louis Christian College Soldier Scholarship applicant. Please use your personal knowledge of this applicant to respond to the following questions.

Please rate the applicant on the following by checking the appropriate box:

Attribute	Excellent	Very Good	Good	Average	Unknown
Character and respect for others					
Critical thinking skills					
Ability to set realistic and attainable goals					
Commitment to school and academic ability					
Demonstrated leadership					
Demonstrated service to others					
Community involvement					
Communication Skills					
Church Activity					

Please briefly describe the overall Christian character of the applicant:

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