



Ohio Valley Chapter

## Ohio Valley Chapter of the Hutchinson Bell Scholarship to Florida College

In order to help qualified students attend Florida College, the Ohio Valley Chapter of the Hutchinson Bell (OVCHB) works to offer scholarships. The number of scholarships and the dollar amounts of each will be determined by availability of funds. Students receiving the scholarships will be chosen by a committee based upon the information provided on this application form. Access to the information on the application will be limited to members of the scholarship committee. The committee reserves the right to consult with others, but its decision will be regarded as final. In selecting scholarship recipients and determining the amounts of the awards, the committee uses the following guidelines:

1. **GEOGRAPHICAL BOUNDARIES** Special consideration will be given to students from the area served by the Ohio Valley Chapter.
2. **CHARACTER** Only students of high moral character will be considered. A scholarship may be forfeited if the recipient is suspended from Florida College for disciplinary reasons.
3. **SCHOLASTIC STANDING** Preference will be given to students who have demonstrated outstanding scholastic performance in high school and/or college, including ACT or SAT scores. While a minimum grade point average is not required, committee members will consider the rigor of classes, grades and college-readiness exam scores.
4. **FINANCIAL NEED** The degree of an applicant's financial need is a key component in awarding scholarships. Information requested regarding financial need is necessary to the selection process and must be submitted.
5. **CHAPTER MEMBERSHIP** To apply for an OVCHB scholarship you and/or your immediate family must be members of the OVCHB. You may join at <http://www.ohiovalleychapterofthehutchinsonbell.org/membership>.

**In addition to the application form, the applicant is responsible for submitting**

- High school and/or college transcript (scan and attach)
- Short essay. The student must submit a one page essay (approx. 300 words) explaining why he/she wishes to attend Florida College and what he/she hopes to gain from his/her experience there. If you are a returning student, please include what Florida College means to you and the value of your Florida College experience. This should be attached to your application.

**Applications are due no later than July 1. Please submit applications electronically by scanning and e-mailing to [ohiovalleyhutchinsonbell@gmail.com](mailto:ohiovalleyhutchinsonbell@gmail.com). Applicants will be notified of the committee's decision by July 26. Scholarship awards will be made directly to Florida College.**



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## Application for Scholarship to Attend Florida College

### Applicant Information

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Place of Employment \_\_\_\_\_

Church Preference/Name of Congregation \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a member? \_\_\_\_\_ Do you attend services regularly? \_\_\_\_\_

What services, if any, do you provide for your congregation? \_\_\_\_\_

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### Scholastic Record

Name and Address of High School \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Years Attended \_\_\_\_\_ Grade Point Average \_\_\_\_\_ Weighted? \_\_\_\_\_

Rank in Class \_\_\_\_\_ Total number in class \_\_\_\_\_ Composite Scores: ACT \_\_\_\_\_ SAT \_\_\_\_\_

Characterize your course of study by selecting one of the following:

Honors \_\_\_ College-preparatory \_\_\_ Regular/General \_\_\_ Career/technical \_\_\_

School activities and honors (include offices) \_\_\_\_\_

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Volunteer activities in your community \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

If applicable, college attended \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Hours Earned \_\_\_\_\_ Grade Point Average \_\_\_\_\_

Approximately how many college credit hours will you have from all sources? \_\_\_\_\_

**Plans for Attending Florida College**

Have you applied for admission to Florida College? \_\_\_\_\_ Have you been accepted? \_\_\_\_\_

Anticipated major: \_\_\_\_\_

**Family Information**

Names of Parents or Guardians \_\_\_\_\_

Address(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Place(s) of employment \_\_\_\_\_

**Financial Need Information**

Will you be working while attending Florida College? \_\_\_\_\_

Will you have to borrow money to attend Florida College? \_\_\_\_\_

How much federal financial aid will you be receiving next year? \_\_\_\_\_

What is your parents' total Adjusted Gross Income (IRS form 1040 or 1040EZ) on last year's federal income tax return?

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How many family members are dependent on this income? \_\_\_\_\_

What is your Adjusted Gross Income (IRS form 1040 or 1040EZ) for last year? \_\_\_\_\_

Are there other college students in the family? \_\_\_\_\_ If so, how many? \_\_\_\_\_

What other scholarships have you received from any source?

Name/source of Scholarship \_\_\_\_\_

Amount \_\_\_\_\_

Name/source of Scholarship \_\_\_\_\_

Amount \_\_\_\_\_

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Amount \_\_\_\_\_

If you have other scholarship applications pending, please identify the source and potential amount.