

# Grand Lodge of Minnesota

*Independent Order of Odd Fellows*



From the desk of  
The Educational Foundation Secretary  
Alex Saloum



Dear Student,

I am enclosing the documents you need to apply for an Educational Grant from The Odd Fellows Educational Foundation.

Please fill out and return, to the address below, by the March 1<sup>st</sup> deadline. Any forms postmarked after March 1<sup>st</sup> will not be considered.

- Do Not staple pages together.
- Do Not copy Back to Back.

You will be notified by August 1<sup>st</sup> of your status.

Enclosed are the following:

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For future reference, all application forms may be printed  
from our website under:

[www.mnoddfellows.org](http://www.mnoddfellows.org)

*Programs > Minnesota Scholarship Programs*

(about the middle of the page in the right column)

Fraternally,  
Educational Foundation Members

Educational Foundation Committee  
PO Box 7415  
Hutchinson, Minnesota 55350-7415  
Phone 320-234-0101  
E-mail: [glofminn@hutchtel.net](mailto:glofminn@hutchtel.net)

## *Educational Foundation Check-Off List*

(Return this sheet with your application)

Applicant Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Below are other items you may want to consider sending or including with your application:

- Self-Introduction Letter
- Application Form
- Sealed reference letter(s) from Pastor, Student Counselor, or a responsible Adult.  
(be sure students name appears on envelopes)
- Work Experience (include summer work also).
- Official School Transcript to include your class Scholastic standing.
- Athletic Activities.
- Academic Achievements.
- Community Activities.
- School Activities.
- Educational Plans (what course(s) you plan to pursue).
- Future Plans.
- Recent colored photo of yourself (no copies)  
(No larger than 3x5 please).

Please **check off** those items above that you are sending in with your application.  
Please check your documents for accuracy and correctness.

**Return this sheet with your application form and other papers.**

**APPLICATION FOR THE ODDFELLOWS EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION GRANT**

Name of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Street and Number City State Zip

Best Contact Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Fathers Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Street and Number City State Zip Phone #

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Mothers Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Street and Number City State Zip Phone #

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Do you have part-time employment? \_\_\_\_\_

What school do you plan to attend? \_\_\_\_\_

Schools Finance Office Address \_\_\_\_\_

Current year student is in school \_\_\_\_\_

Enclose on a separate sheet of paper, a resume, with a minimum of 100 words, about yourself and your interests, what courses you plan to pursue, as well as your plans and goals for your future.

Include other information addressed on page 2.

**Please complete the below information (if applicable):**

Address to send check to if different than address of applicant above:

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

# STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL

(All material concerning this application will be held Strictly Confidential)

## PRINCIPAL/COUNSELOR/TEACHER/or RESPONSIBLE ADULT STATEMENT THE MINNESOTA ODD FELLOW'S FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

PLEASE NOTE\*\* An official copy of the student's transcript is required.

CONCERNING: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

(Students Name)

1. Is applicant a student in good standing? \_\_\_\_\_
2. Date of his/her graduation: \_\_\_\_\_
3. For assistance of the scholarship committee, please explain your present grading system, if not clarified on transcript.
4. Please comment on the qualifications and need of this applicant for a scholarship award. This will be kept strictly confidential. (Optional)
5. If additional space is needed use the reverse side.
6. PLEASE NOTE: Statement must be returned to student no later than February 15<sup>th</sup>.

Signature of person filling out this form:

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

Title \_\_\_\_\_

# **GRAND LODGE of MINNESOTA, INDEPENDENT ORDER of ODDFELLOWS FOUNDATION**

Scholarship Awards are available from the Independent Order of Odd Fellows Foundation  
for College and/or Vocational and Technical Training Schools

The Odd Fellows Educational Foundation Committee reviews all applications.  
All decisions of the committee are final.  
Awards are made without regard to RACE, RELIGION, or ETHNIC background.

## **HOW TO APPLY**

Students wishing to attend any post-secondary school or an accredited  
Vocational and technical training school may request an application form  
by sending their complete mailing address to:

THE GRAND LODGE OF MINNESOTA  
INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS  
EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION COMMITTEE

PO Box 7415  
Hutchinson, MN 55350-7415  
Phone: 320-234-0101  
Email: [glofminn@hutchtel.net](mailto:glofminn@hutchtel.net)

**APPLICATIONS MUST BE COMPLETED AND POSTMARKED  
TO THE GRAND LODGE OFFICE BY MARCH FIRST. ANY APPLICATION  
POSTMARKED AFTER MARCH 1<sup>ST</sup>, WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.**

## **REQUIREMENTS**

Citizen of the United States  
Resident of Minnesota  
Return application by March 1<sup>st</sup>

Odd Fellow or Rebekah membership is not required to qualify for a Scholarship.

For further information

## **WRITE TO:**

THE GRAND LODGE OF MINNESOTA  
INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION  
PO BOX 7415  
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1-320-234-0101

or visit our website at:

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