

# *The Western Assembly Disciples of Christ Churches, Inc.*

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## **W.L. Williams Scholarship Fund**

### INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING AND FILING APPLICATION

#### **1. Basic Eligibility Requirements**

- a) Must be enrolled **full-time** in a four-year College or University, a Technical College or a two-year Junior or Community College.
- b) All applicants must be in their second or sophomore year. **Non-Assembly applicants must be a CYF Graduate and have attended the CYF Summer Conference four (4) consecutive years.**
- c) Must maintain at least a "C" average (GPA 2.0). Attach official transcript.
- d) Preferably some involvement in the Assembly, CYF and local church.
- e) Only one scholarship per student can be awarded.
- f) The Chairperson of the W.L. Williams Scholarship Fund, Pastor of local church and the Bishop of the Western Assembly must affix their signature to each application before Scholarship can be made.
- g) All application blanks must be completed and turned into the W.L. Williams Scholarship Coordinator, **two weeks in advance of the Executive Board Meeting on the fourth Saturday in September of each year.**
- h) The amount of the scholarship to be given to worthy young men and women shall be determined from time to time by the annual Assembly. The Board of Education (Education Department) can only make recommendations to the Assembly for scholarships to be raised.
- i) In order for a student to receive a Scholarship, the church, pastor and ALL Deacons of said church **MUST** be represented in the Assembly

#### **2. Once employed, recipients are encouraged to make contributions and to support the Scholarship Fund.**

#### **3. Executive Committee Action**

The application will be presented to the Executive Committee only when the coordinator has received all supporting signatures and required information. The committee generally reviews applications bi-annually. Applicants are notified promptly of Committee action. Appeal of the committee action may be made in writing to the Board of Education (Education Department of the Assembly).

RETURN COMPLETED APPLICATION FORM BY **SEPTEMBER 26, 2026**

<b>Questions - E-mail or Call</b> Luretha Lewis, Chairperson WL Williams Scholarship Fund (919) 222-5266 <a href="mailto:lurethalewis33@gmail.com">E-mail: lurethalewis33@gmail.com</a>	<i>Scholarship Coordinator</i> Rev. Dr. Marzella Jones 1822 Cascade St Fayetteville, NC 28301 (910) 483-8950
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**Application Form**

Please type or print

Name		Date			
Home Address		Phone (Parent)			
Name of Church		Pastor's Name			
Name of Parent or Guardian	Father		Mother		
	Other				
Is at least one parent or guardian a member of the Western Assembly?			Yes	No	
Are both parents living?			Yes	No	
Occupation	Father				
Mother					
Name of High School and Address			Year Graduated		
Church Activities Affiliation	CYF	Choir	Usher	Sunday School	Non-Assembly (must have attended 4 consecutive years and a CYF Graduate) Years to
College or University you are now attending					
Address					
Business Phone		Degree to be obtained			
Year of Expected Graduation		Grade Point Average (GPA)			
Signature of School Official <u>and</u> attached an <b>official transcript</b>			Date		
<b>REQUIRED SIGNATURES FOR CONFIRMATION</b>					
<b>Church Pastor or CYF Representative for Non- Assembly Members</b>	Name ( <i>Signature</i> )				
	Address				
Chairperson for Scholarship Fund	Name ( <i>Signature</i> )				
	Address				
Bishop of the Western Assembly	Name ( <i>Signature</i> )				
	Address				

**Please Note: Awards are based on availability of funds. Applications are due by September 26, 2026**

Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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