

2016 OASSA YOUTH SCHOLARSHIP

The Oregon Association of Secondary School Administrators (OASSA) awards two $1,000 scholarships each year to graduating seniors from Oregon public high schools. The scholarships may be used for a 2 or 4 year college or university or trade or professional/technical school. These two scholarships are for a son, daughter, or dependent child of an OASSA member who meet the following criteria:

**STUDENT SELECTION CRITERIA**

* Must be a graduating senior from an Oregon public high school
* Must be a dependent child (son, daughter, step-child) of an OASSA member
* Must submit a completed application by the due date
* Must have made a significant contribution to their school and/or community
* Must secure a letter of recommendation from a school COSA member
* Must secure a letter of recommendation from a school or community member
* Will enroll the fall term following his/her graduation from high school
* Must secure the signatures of the applicant, principal, and OASSA member parent
* Must include copy of most recent school transcript

**OASSA**

* Will provide direct payment to the individual recipients when proof of registration is received from the enrollment school
* Will present the scholarship awards to the winners at their local school site, if requested

**HOW TO APPLY**

* Applications are available through schools, and the COSA office:

COSA

707 13th St. SE, Suite 100, Salem, OR 97301

(503) 581-3141

* Applicants may download the application from the COSA Web-site ([www.cosa.k12.or.us)](http://www.cosa.k12.or.us)), print it out and mail it in
* Applications must be **postmarked by March 28, 2016**
* Selections will be made by the OASSA Executive Committee
* Applications must be completely filled out and submitted by the due date in order to be accepted

**WINNERS WILL BE NOTIFIED BY MAY 1, 2016**



### SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM – 2016

**I.** Applicant’s Name:

Address:

City: State: Zip: Phone:

Parents Names:

School Presently Attending:

School Address:

City: State: Zip: Phone:

Principal’s Name:

**II.** Applicant’s cumulative GPA (grade point average based on a 4.0 system):

***\*Please enclose your most recent transcript.***

**III.** Identify the name of post secondary institution the applicant plans to attend:

The field of study interested in pursuing:

1. Please PRINT name, position, and school of OASSA member parent:

**SIGNATURE OF THE OASSA MEMBER PARENT**:

**APPLICANT’S SIGNATURE:**

**Be sure to include two letters of recommendation. One from your high school principal or vice-principal and another from a school/community member.**

**CHECK LIST:**

* Completed Application
* Transcript
* Your signature and signature of OASSA Member Parent
* Include two letters of recommendation

**MAIL THE ORIGINAL APPLICATION AND ONE COPY, POSTMARKED BY MARCH 28, 2016, TO:**

Confederation of Oregon School Administrators

707 13th Street SE, Suite 100

Salem, Oregon 97301-4035

**VI. STUDENT ACTIVITY INVOLVEMENT**

List student activities in which you have participated during grades 9-12 and "X" the appropriate grade level(s). Limit your responses to the space provided - one entry per line.

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|  | **Grade** | | | |
| **Student Activities** | **9** | **10** | **11** | **12** |
| ***Example: Member of Marching Band*** |  | **X** | **X** | **X** |
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## VII. SCHOOL LEADERSHIP

List leadership positions held and accomplishments through grades 9-12 and "X" the appropriate grade level(s). Limit your responses to the space provided - one entry per line.

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|  | **Grade** | | | |
| **LEADERSHIP POSITIONS/ACCOMPLISHMENTS** | **9** | **10** | **11** | **12** |
| ***Example: Class President*** |  |  | **X** | **X** |
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**The next two pages contain Sections: VII Community Service, VIII Non-school Activities and IX Obstacles Overcome. Please complete only two of the following three for the application**

## VIII. COMMUNITY SERVICE

List volunteer services that you performed for others during grades 9-12. Also indicate the hours per year. Limit your responses to the space provided - one entry per line.

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|  |  | **Hours Per Year** | | | |
| **COMMUNITY SERVICE** | **IDENTIFY TYPE OF SERVICE** | **9** | **10** | **11** | **12+** |
| ***Example: Tutor/Mentor*** | ***Tutored Elementary Students*** |  |  | **10** | **15** |
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Please provide a short description of your most rewarding activity:

1. **NON-SCHOOL ACTIVITIES / WORK RECORD**

List non-school activities / work that you participated in during grades 9-12. Please indicate any leadership positions held within those activities. Limit your responses to the space provided - one entry per line.

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|  | **Hours Per Yr.** | | | |  | **Hours Per Yr.** | | | |
| **ACTIVITY / WORK** | **9** | **10** | **11** | **12+** | **LEADERSHIP** | **9** | **10** | **11** | **12+** |
| ***Example: Stock Clerk*** | **80** | **110** | **110** | **110** | ***Example: Troup Leader*** |  | **36** |  |  |
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1. **OBSTACLES OVERCOME**

If personal or family circumstances limited your involvement in community service and/or non-school activities/work, please describe below.

1. **BACKGROUND, INFLUENCES AND GOALS (Must be submitted by all applicants)**
2. Submit a one-page, double spaced statement briefly describing 1 or 2 of the following questions. How has your family background affected the way you see the world? Who in your life has been your biggest influence? What are a few of your long and short term goals? **REMEMBER - ONE PAGE MAXIMUM**.
3. Judges will evaluate **CONTENT**, **SPELLING**, **GRAMMAR**, **NEATNESS** and **ORGANIZATION**.