

Our Saviour's Lutheran Church

Scholarship Awards: Policy and Procedure

Purpose

Our Saviour's Lutheran Church encourages and supports the desire for higher education among people from Rocky Boy's Reservation community. With this in mind, Our Saviour's Lutheran Church offers financial aid to qualified students from the Chippewa Cree tribe attending recognized colleges and universities.

Eligibility

To be eligible for a scholarship award the applicant must:

- 1) Be a person from the Rocky Boy's Indian Reservation community and an enrolled member of a Tribe.
- 2) Be accepted at and registered for full-time studies at a recognized college or university. Students attending a school off the Reservation will be given first priority.
- 3) Have class-standing as a sophomore, junior, or senior. Scholarships are not given to freshman or first-year students.

Maintaining Eligibility

To maintain eligibility:

- 1) a copy of the student's registration receipt and class schedule for each term must be submitted to Our Saviour's Lutheran Church within two (2) weeks of registration.
- 2) a "C" average (2.00) or greater must be maintained each term. A copy of grades from the term must be submitted to Our Saviour's Lutheran Church within two (2) weeks of the grades being released to students.
- 3) There is the possibility of receiving a bonus for a "B" average (3.00) or greater at the end of each term.

Failure to comply with these requirements may result in termination of the scholarship and influence eligibility for future awards.

Award Policy

The number of scholarships awarded by Our Saviour's Lutheran Church will be up to six (6) per school year.

Application for awards must be made every year. No guarantee is made for renewal.

Scholarships are not given to first-year or freshman students. Monthly awards may vary from year to year. Students may be supported for up to three (3) years. Summer scholarships are not available.

Payments will be mailed to each recipient at the end of the month.

Applications must be mailed or delivered to Our Saviour's Lutheran Church, 499 Mission Taylor Rd, Box Elder, MT 59521, with all the required documentation. The closing date for applications is June 30th for the upcoming school year. Decisions are made only once a year. Incomplete applications will not be considered. Notification of acceptance will be by mail.