

**Application for Pottawatomie-Lincoln Baptist Association  
Oklahoma Baptist University Scholarship**

1. Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_
2. Address \_\_\_\_\_
3. Graduated from \_\_\_\_\_ High School \_\_\_\_\_  
on \_\_\_\_\_ (Month) \_\_\_\_\_ (Day) \_\_\_\_\_ (Year) \_\_\_\_\_ (City)
4. What are your parents names: Father \_\_\_\_\_ Mother \_\_\_\_\_
5. I am a member of \_\_\_\_\_ (your local Baptist church).
6. Were you enrolled in Sunday School and a regular attendee at your local church for the past 12 (twelve) months? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_
7. List all financial help, scholarships, grants, etc. you have been awarded for the upcoming year at OBU. List names and approximate annual amounts: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
8. Does your church offer a scholarship for OBU students? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ How much? \_\_\_\_\_
9. How are you presently serving in your church (VBS, missions, choir, etc) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ (continue on back if needed)
10. Where have you been employed in the past 3 years? \_\_\_\_\_
11. What is your vocational direction? (ex. teacher, minister, musician, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_
12. Have you received and surrendered to a clear calling from God for full-time vocational ministry? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ (If so, please explain in your biography.)
13. What degree(s) do you hope to complete? \_\_\_\_\_
14. Have you taken a college entrance exam? \_\_\_\_\_ When? \_\_\_\_\_ list your score: ACT \_\_\_\_\_ SAT \_\_\_\_\_
15. Have you actually been accepted as a student at OBU Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_
16. If you are an upper-classman, what is your present accumulative GPA? \_\_\_\_\_
17. Where have you attended college before this year? \_\_\_\_\_ And when? \_\_\_\_\_
18. Have you been an active member of your church's youth group? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_
19. If you have received this scholarship previously, has your financial need changed? \_\_\_\_\_  
If yes, explain \_\_\_\_\_
20. I hereby apply for an OBU Scholarship awarded by Pottawatomie-Lincoln Baptist Association and will furnish the following information:
  - 1) A biography including a description of your present relationship to God (200 words or more)
  - 2) Request a letter and Uniform Reference sheet from my pastor and provide a stamped envelope addressed to the association.
  - 3) Furnish a letter from one of my school teachers.
  - 4) Furnish a letter from a business person whom I know.
  - 5) Complete this application blank and return with the biography and letters to the Association Office by May 31. Additional applications are available through the Pottawatomie-Lincoln Baptist Association office, 3800 North Market, Shawnee, OK 74804. (405-273-4558).Signed \_\_\_\_\_

**Statement of Policy Regarding  
Awarding of Pottawatomie-Lincoln Baptist Association  
OBU Scholarships**

- I. Any person qualified to enter OBU who has been a member of a cooperating Baptist church in Pottawatomie-Lincoln Association for a period of at least one year is eligible to make application for an OBU Scholarship.
- II. The Continuing Education Leader along with the Bible Study Ministry Team of the association shall screen each applicant and select the ones eligible.
- III. Any applicant entering college for the first time will furnish his score on the ACT test with his application.
- IV. Candidates will furnish and be screened by the following information:
  1. A biography written by the student (200 words or more).
  2. Furnish a letter and a Uniform Request Sheet from their pastor.
  3. Furnish a letter from their school teacher.
  4. Furnish a letter from a business person of their acquaintance.
  5. File a completed application. (Applications are available at the Association office.)
- V. Any other Scholarship received by the applicant will be considered by the Ministry Team in determining the amount of scholarship granted.
- VI. Any student applying for scholarship must carry at least 12 semester hours.
- VII. Applications should be returned to the Association office by May 31.

**Pottawatomie-Lincoln Baptist Association**  
**Uniform Reference Sheet**  
**for**  
**School Scholarship Consideration**

(Please complete the following check list as it relates to: \_\_\_\_\_)

How long have you known this applicant? \_\_\_\_\_

Has this scholarship applicant been actively involved in the following areas of your church's ministry?

Sunday morning worship services Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_  
(Please rate applicants involvement \_\_\_ Seldom \_\_\_ Periodic \_\_\_ Often \_\_\_ Almost always)

Sunday evening worship services Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_  
(Please rate applicants involvement \_\_\_ Seldom \_\_\_ Periodic \_\_\_ Often \_\_\_ Almost always)

Sunday School (or Sunday Bible Study classes) Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_  
(Please rate applicants involvement \_\_\_ Seldom \_\_\_ Periodic \_\_\_ Often \_\_\_ Almost always)

Other week-day Bible study classes Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_  
(Please rate applicants involvement \_\_\_ Seldom \_\_\_ Periodic \_\_\_ Often \_\_\_ Almost always)

Discipleship training Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_  
(Please rate applicants involvement \_\_\_ Seldom \_\_\_ Periodic \_\_\_ Often \_\_\_ Almost always)

Mission education Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_  
(Please rate applicants involvement \_\_\_ Seldom \_\_\_ Periodic \_\_\_ Often \_\_\_ Almost always)

Mission ministries (trips, etc.) Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ Comment \_\_\_\_\_  
(Please rate applicants involvement \_\_\_ Seldom \_\_\_ Periodic \_\_\_ Often \_\_\_ Almost always)

Choir or other music ministry Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ Comment \_\_\_\_\_  
(Please rate applicants involvement \_\_\_ Seldom \_\_\_ Periodic \_\_\_ Often \_\_\_ Almost always)

Teaching or leading other ministry groups (VBS, Graded Choirs, Children's Church etc.)  
Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_  
(Please rate applicants involvement \_\_\_ Seldom \_\_\_ Periodic \_\_\_ Often \_\_\_ Almost always)

Financial giving (tithing) Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_  
(Please rate applicants involvement \_\_\_ Seldom \_\_\_ Periodic \_\_\_ Often \_\_\_ Almost always)

Other \_\_\_\_\_

Other \_\_\_\_\_

Other \_\_\_\_\_

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

Date completed: \_\_\_\_\_