

REQUIREMENTS FOR APPLICATION FOR "ESTARL"
ALABAMA ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR SCHOLARSHIP
PROGRAM

2025-2026

1. A current Application Form must be completed in black or typed.
An incomplete Application Form will not be processed.
2. Recommendations from the following must be attached: (typed or in ink)
 - a. An active member of an Alabama Eastern Star Chapter
 - b. Your High School Principal and/or Counselor (not needed if 2nd year college)
 - c. Your Academic Advisor (College and/or University)
 - d. Your personal Minister/Pastor

THE DEADLINE FOR YOUR COMPLETE PACKET (ALL OF THE ABOVE) IS JUNE 1, 2026.

THE ENVELOPE MUST BE POSTMARKED ON OR BEFORE JUNE 1, 2026.

IF YOU HAVE APPLIED FOR AN ESTARL SCHOLARSHIP IN THE PAST, ONLY FILL IN THE REQUESTED INFORMATION ON THE APPLICATION THAT HAS CHANGED AND SEND IN AN UPDATED TRANSCRIPT FROM YOUR CURRENT/LAST SCHOOL.

FOR YOUR PERSONAL INFORMATION

- A. You will be notified during the latter part of July 2026, whether or not you have been Awarded an ESTARL Scholarship for the year 2026-2027, and the amount of the scholarship.
- B. Your Scholarship is to be used for tuition. An official Order of the Eastern Star check will be mailed to the Institution in which you are enrolled or will attend.

- C. Your official contact is:

Mrs. Andrea von Herrmann, Application Chairman
ESTARL Scholarship Committee
3001 Panorama Brook Circle
Vestavia, Alabama 35216
(205) 585-4588

**ALABAMA GRAND CHAPTER ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR
ESTARL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM
EASTERN STAR TRAINING AWARDS FOR RELIGIOUS LEADERSHIP**

NEW APPLICANT ☐

PREVIOUS APPLICANT ☐

Mrs. Andrea von Herrmann, Application Chairman
3001 Panorama Brook Circle
Vestavia, Alabama 35216

**THIS FORM MUST BE COMPLETED AND MAILED TO THE
APPLICATION CHAIRMAN ON OR BEFORE JUNE 1ST.**

PLEASE PRINT IN BLACK INK OR TYPE

Clip Recent
Photograph
of you only
to this
Application
Blank
(Name and address
On back of photo)

PERSONAL

Name _____ Male _____ Female _____

Married _____ Single _____ Divorced _____ Widowed _____

Permanent address _____
(Street) (City) (State) (Zip Code)

Telephone Number _____ Fax No. _____ E-mail _____

Place of Birth _____ Date of Birth _____ Age _____

Have you been a resident of Alabama for the last three years? _____

Are you a citizen of the United States? _____ If not, where? _____

Are any persons dependent upon you? _____ How many? _____

Father's Full Name _____ Occupation _____ Age _____

Mother's Full Name _____ Occupation _____ Age _____

With whom do you reside? _____

Are you a Veteran? _____ Present military status? _____

Have you ever received an ESTARL Scholarship? Yes _____ No _____ If so, Date? _____

To what church do you belong? _____

Minister's name _____

Address _____

In what programs have you participated? _____

High School Attended _____ Year graduated _____

College Attended _____ Dates _____

Seminary/Bible College Attended _____

***NOTE: THIS APPLICATION MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPT
FROM THE LAST (OR CURRENT) SCHOOL ATTENDED.**

WRITE A PERSONAL ESSAY LETTER OF 250 WORDS OR MORE STATING YOUR RELIGIOUS BACKGROUND AND REASON FOR CHOOSING ONE OF THE VOCATIONS LISTED BELOW.

DO YOU HAVE A GRADE "B" OR ABOVE AVERAGE? YES _____ NO _____

VOCATION

What phase of Religious Training do you plan to follow? ☐ Minister ☐ Missionary
☐ Director of Church Music ☐ Director of Religious Education ☐ Director of Youth Work

ACTIVITIES AND INTERESTS

List student activities in which you participated: _____

What special recognition have you received for excellence in these activities? _____

List special talents or skills: _____

What are your favorite forms of recreation? _____

Do you read religious publications regularly? _____

In what community activities have you participated? _____

FINANCES

Describe your most recent employment: _____

Name, address, and phone # of employer: _____

Will it be necessary for you to work while attending college? _____

If so, have you made arrangements for such work? _____ Describe: _____

What do you estimate your expenses to be for this next school year? _____

List additional educational financial assistance and amount: _____

One letter of recommendation from each of the following must accompany this application:

1. An active member of an Alabama Eastern Star Chapter
2. High School Principal and/or Counselor (If you are in the second year of College, you do not need this letter)
3. Academic Advisor (College and/or University)
4. Personal Minister / Pastor

Name and address of College, University, or Seminary you plan to attend:

INCLUDE A COPY OF THE OFFICAL ENROLLMENT TO THE ABOVE INSTITUTION.

Date of Application _____

Signed _____

(Signature of Applicant)

APPLICANT CHECK LIST

Name _____

1. Photograph
2. Application
3. Official transcript from last/current school attended
4. Personal essay
5. Letters of recommendation
 - a. An active member of an Alabama Eastern Star Chapter
 - b. High School Principal or Counselor (not needed if 2nd year student)
 - c. Academic Advisor (College or University)
 - d. Your personal Minister / Pastor
6. Copy of your official enrollment form