



ISRAEL BAPTIST CHURCH Scholarship Application Guidelines and Requirements

The Israel Baptist Church's Scholarship Fund exists to further the education of the youth of Israel Baptist Church and at times other youth from the City of Hamilton, Ohio. All financial assistance is based upon three promises: 1. The ability to profit from further education 2. Sound vocational objectives 3. The inability to finance education. Any person preparing to enter a 4-year undergraduate degree program or already enrolled into a 4-year undergraduate degree program may apply. Those accepted at any vocational school may also apply.

The information in this application will be considered confidential. A **transcript of your grades is required (minimum 2.5 Cumulative GPA required)**. This application must be submitted via the online form no later than **Sunday, May 22, 2021, 11:59 p.m. EST**.

Guidelines for the Israel Baptist Scholarship:

1. Applications must be submitted on or before **Sunday, May 22, 2021, 11:59 p.m. EST**.
2. Preference will be given to full time students (12 or more hours) attending a fully accredited institution or vocational school.
3. A letter of recommendation from a counselor or teacher.
4. Must be a member of a Christian church:
 - a. Member of Israel Baptist Church
 - b. Member of another church in Hamilton, Ohio*
 - c. Member of a church in the surrounding area*

**If you are not a member of Israel Baptist Church, a letter of recommendation must come from your pastor.*
5. Participation in church/community service activities.
6. Counselor must send a **complete and official transcript (minimum 2.5 Cumulative GPA required)** directly to the Scholarship Committee.
7. Submit a written essay explaining: How you will give back to your church and community once you graduate from college/vocational school.
8. Committee interview recommended.
9. A letter of acceptance from your college/vocational school.
10. The submission process is online, all material must be available in order to submit.
11. Your Scholarship Award will be paid directly to the school; information of the financial aid department for your school of choice must be submitted.
12. Assistance will not be given beyond 4 years.
13. Students, if you decide not to enter school during the year of the award have the responsibility of notifying the Scholarship Committee so that no money will be processed for the school of intended attendance.
14. Parents, if your child does not attend the school and/or does not remain for the whole term, such reimbursement as designated by the Scholarship Committee shall be returned by you as their Parent.
15. Funds issued by Israel Baptist Scholarship Committee will be paid to the school unless student provides evidence that the bill for tuition has already been paid.

Official transcript should be submitted to the following address or email address:

Israel Baptist Church
Attn: Scholarship Committee
701 South Seventh Street
Hamilton, OH 45011
OR ibcscholarshipcommittee@gmail.com

Please follow this link to complete the application:

<https://www.cognitofrms.com/IsraelBaptistChurc/IsraelBaptistChurchScholarshipApplication>