



# Cumberland UNIVERSITY

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## Tyler McChurch Memorial Scholarship Application

This scholarship was established as a memorial for Tyler McChurch, a 2007 Cumberland University graduate, who passed away in 2013 and will support Wilson County high school graduates who demonstrate certain life skills that best resemble and represent Tyler. Applicants should be goal-oriented, have a strong determination to succeed, and character traits that reflect leadership and cooperation. The scholarship decision will include academic merit, but will also take into consideration other marks of student excellence such as involvement in athletics, extracurricular activities, school organizations and school functions. Spirituality will also be a significant consideration in evaluating applications for this scholarship.

### A. APPLICATION INFORMATION:

Name (Mr. or Ms.) \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone Number (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone Number (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Email address \_\_\_\_\_

### B. EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION:

Name of High School \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Graduation \_\_\_\_\_

Course of Study \_\_\_\_\_ Grade Point Average \_\_\_\_\_ Class Rank \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a current Cumberland University student? \_\_\_\_\_ Dates of attendance \_\_\_\_\_

Program of Study at CU \_\_\_\_\_ Cumulative GPA \_\_\_\_\_

### **C. ESSAY COMPONENT:**

Please write a 300-500 word original essay on the following five areas and how they apply to you:

1. Academics
2. Spirituality
3. Leadership
4. Community Service/Volunteerism
5. Athletics /Extracurricular Activities

### **D. ATTACH THE FOLLOWING TO THIS APPLICATION:**

1. Unofficial Copy of High School Transcript
2. Unofficial Copy of all College Transcript(s) including Cumberland University
3. Essay (applications will not be considered without the essay component)

DECLARATION (Must be signed for application to be considered) I declare that the information provided above and attached is both accurate and truthful, and I will refund my scholarship if it is not.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Deadline for this application is April 1 for the Fall semester or November 30 for the Spring semester. Completed applications should be submitted to the Student Financial Services Office, Cumberland University, 1 Cumberland Square, Lebanon, TN 37087. Scholarship recipient(s) will be notified in writing within 30 days of the application deadline for each semester.**