

SIMMONS SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Upon completion, this form should be mailed, postmarked no later than May 1, to:

Valley Presbyterian Church
Attn.: Kris Bahr
6947 E. McDonald Drive
Paradise Valley, AZ 85253

Eligibility requirements are listed on the accompanying information sheet.

Name: _____
Mailing Address: _____
City, State, Zip: _____
Phone Number: _____
Email: _____

Date of Birth (day/month/year): _____

Name of High School: _____
City and State: _____
Year of Graduation: _____

First Choice College: _____
Second Choice College: _____

I have been a member of Valley Presbyterian Church for _____ years.

Recent church involvement
or activities: _____

Community Service: _____

Honors/Awards/Recognition/
Other _____

Future Career Plans: _____

Applicant Signature: _____
Printed Name: _____
Date: _____

GUIDELINES FOR THE SIMMONS SCHOLARSHIP

Who can apply?

- High school seniors

Applicants must:

- Be an active member of Valley Presbyterian Church

What types of schools can the scholarship be used for?

- A private Christian college
- Any other public or private college, university or community college

What is the amount of the scholarship?

- Dollar amount dependent upon Foundation distribution policy and number of complete applications received

What can the money be used for?

- Books

What is required of scholarship recipients?

- Recipient must be enrolled in at least twelve credit hours (full-time student) in the academic year during which they receive the scholarship.

What is the schedule?

- Announcements regarding availability of the scholarship will be made beginning in March
- Applications must be submitted by May 1. Late applications will not be accepted
- Recipients will be chosen by May 31, with notification letters to be sent shortly thereafter
- Awards will be made in the form of checks payable to the graduating high school senior

What is required for a completed application?

- Completed application form

Who will review the applications and make the award?

- Scholarship Team (comprised of one Student Ministry elder, one Finance & Operations elder, one Foundation trustee and Director of Finance)

How will the scholarship be publicized?

- An announcement will be printed in the *Valley Vine* and *Evine* and posted on the VPC website in March
- An announcement will be printed in the Sunday worship bulletin beginning with the first Sunday in March
- Announcements will be made at other appropriate venues such as High School youth group