



**THE MONDAY CLUB, INC.
4020 NEW CASTLE AVENUE
NEW CASTLE, DE 19720**

February 04, 2026

Dear Scholarship Applicant:

You are invited to apply for scholarships sponsored by The Monday Club, including the Senator Herman M. Holloway Sr. Scholarship, Dr. Woodrow Wilson Scholarship, James H. Sills, Jr. Scholarship, and the Delaware State University Scholarship (recipients must enroll at Delaware State University in fall 2026).

For the 2026 award cycle, six scholarships in the amount of \$2,500 each will be awarded. A single completed application will be considered for all six scholarships. The purpose of these awards is to assist students in pursuing postsecondary education at a four-year college or university.

Eligibility is limited to students who currently attend high school within the State of Delaware.

THE MONDAY CLUB is the oldest Men's Social Club in the State of Delaware. Historically, it is believed to be the oldest in the United States. Its membership includes many of Delaware's most prominent citizens. Through its community outreach program, THE MONDAY CLUB provides annual scholarships to Delaware students to help support their college and university education.

Although THE MONDAY CLUB is a social club, it accepts the civic responsibility of providing financial assistance and human services to all worthy causes. Community service is one of the principles on which THE MONDAY CLUB was founded. We are strongly committed to supporting young people to continue their education as they pursue meaningful careers.

To be considered for one of our \$2,500 scholarships, you must complete all requirements outlined in the attached application packet. All scholarship packets must be submitted electronically or to the address listed by March 21, 2026.

In advance, we wish you the very best as you pursue your dreams and goals.

Sincerely yours,

Bruce Pinkett
President

Ken Snell
Scholarship Committee Chairman

(Attachments)



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SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS AND CHECKLIST 2026

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- ___ 1. Applicant(s) must be a senior attending a public/private/parochial/vocational high school in the State of Delaware. The applicant must be admitted to or seeking admission into a four-year college or university. If selected for a scholarship the recipient must provide proof of admission and enrollment.
- ___ 2. The applicant must be of African American, Hispanic or Native American descent.
- ___ 3. The completed application must be **typed or printed legibly!**
- ___ 4. The applicant must submit three letters of recommendations (two from non-relatives) each in a sealed envelope with the signature of the sender/writer over the flap of each envelope. These letters are to be submitted with completed application.
- ___ 5. The applicant must have a grade point average of at least: **2.75 on a 4.00 scale; An official copy of your transcript, through the first semester of the 2025-2026 school year (i.e., January 2026),** must be submitted with the application packet. See your counselor NOW! Completion of requirements for high school graduation will be verified if selected as a scholarship recipient.
- ___ 6. **Essay Submission** (minimum of 200 words): The applicant is to describe his/her community involvement (church, volunteering & tutorial efforts), school activities (student government, honor society, band, sports, etc.) and proposed goals the applicant wants to accomplish in the next 10 years. The essay must be typed, double-spaced and in 12-point font. The essay will be evaluated on clarity, language usage, content, organization, and topic development. **The essays will not be returned.**
- ___ 7. Submission of a completed and processed copy of the Student Aid Report (SAR). **(if available)**
- ___ 8. The finalists of the scholarships may be asked to participate in an interview with members of The Monday Club. The finalists will be notified, and an interview will be held virtually by members of the Monday Club Scholarship Committee
- ___ 9. Scholarship winners will be notified by May 1, 2026. All application packet documents submitted become the property of The Monday Club and will not be returned.
- ___ 10. If you have questions, you may contact Mr. Ken Snell call (302) 521-3798 TheMCscholarships@gmail.com

**** All application materials must be mailed to TheMCscholarships@gmail.com or mailed to 4020 New Castle Ave Wilmington, DE 19720**

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SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION - 2026

Name: _____
First Middle Last

Address: _____
Street City, State and Zip Code

Parent(s)/Guardian(s) Name: _____

Telephone Number: _____ Sex: _____ Email Address: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Number of Siblings: _____ Number of Immediate Family Members (including yourself): _____

Number of Immediate Family Members (including yourself) attending college/university for the 2025-2026 academic year: ____

Current High School Attending: _____ Grade Point Average (as of 1/31/2026: _____

School Clubs/Activities in which you participate (include leadership positions held):

_____	_____
_____	_____

Community Service/Church/Volunteer Activities:

_____	_____
_____	_____

Applicant's Employment History:

<u>Employers</u>	<u>Positions</u>	<u>Dates of Employment</u>
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____



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How did you find out about this scholarship? (Check all that apply):

- | | |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> High School | <input type="checkbox"/> Parent/Guardian |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Church | <input type="checkbox"/> Family/Friend |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Personal Friend | <input type="checkbox"/> Recreation/Community Center |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Another Organization | <input type="checkbox"/> Member of THE MONDAY _____ |

List the colleges and universities to which you have applied, have been accepted and/or are waiting for acceptance:

College/University	City/State
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

THE MONDAY CLUB
Scholarship Rules and Regulations

The signatures of the persons below indicate accurate and honest information has been submitted and that the completion of this application and the accompanying materials are the work of the applicant. Furthermore, the applicant understands that if selected for a scholarship, the scholarship monies will be disbursed after August 15, 2025. All scholarship checks will be made payable to and sent directly to the college/university where the recipient will be admitted and enrolled, to matriculate. A notation on the scholarship check will indicate the name of the student to which the scholarship money is to be credited and the institution of attendance. Each scholarship recipient will be requested to supply the complete name, address, and telephone number of the business or bursar's office of the college/university that the recipient will be attending **in Fall 2026** to The Monday Club.

Applicant's Signature _____ Date: _____

I hereby verify that I am the parent(s)/guardian(s) of this student and grant permission for his/her participation in this competition and understand the rules above and that the decision of the judges is FINAL.

Parent/Guardian's Signature _____ Date: _____

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The applicant understands and acknowledges that there is an element of risk involving travel in relation to business associated with THE MONDAY CLUB. This certifies that the applicant is physically, mentally and emotionally capable of attending and participating in the activities pertaining to and required of THE MONDAY CLUB. Furthermore, the

applicant assumes all risks of financial responsibility for any loss or injury to the applicant or others affiliated with the applicant that may occur as a result of the participants' negligence or misconduct. **This releases THE MONDAY CLUB, its officers, members and/or agents from any loss of injury that may occur as a result of negligence or misconduct of any persons or entities other than THE MONDAY CLUB.**

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