

APPLICATION CHECKLIST

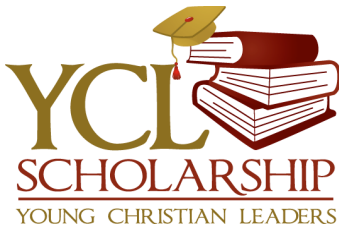
*Please be sure to fill out this application COMPLETELY. Failure to do so will disqualify your application from consideration.
Be sure to include ALL of the application items listed below to ensure consideration.*

In order to successfully submit an application, you must have:

- The completed application.
- For high school students, an official transcript from high school.
- For college students, an official class schedule from registrar and proof of enrollment OR for graduating seniors, a copy of acceptance letter from college/university.
- A pastoral letter of recommendation from the Pastor, Youth Pastor, Youth Director, Sunday School Superintendent, or Elder. Include the letter in a sealed envelope. The recommender cannot be related to the applicant.
- An academic letter of recommendation from a current/former teacher, guidance counselor or principal who knows the academic capabilities of the applicant. Include the letter in a sealed envelope. The recommender cannot be related to the applicant.
- A clear head shot of the applicant saved on a CD. Please be sure to name it with the applicant's first and last name (e.g., "John_Smith.jpg" or "Jane_Doe.tif"). In lieu of the CD, applicants may send a printed photograph.

Mail all materials to:

Young Christian Leaders Scholarship
9 Broadman Pkwy
Jersey City, NJ 07305



PLEASE NOTE: You may either type your answers in this application and print OR print and handwrite them.

I am a high school student full-time undergraduate student.

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Last Name _____ First Name _____ Middle Initial _____
 Address 1 _____
 Address 2 _____
 City/ST/Zip _____
 Date of Birth _____
 Phone _____ Home Church _____
 Email _____ Senior Pastor _____

Have you previously applied for the YCL scholarship? Yes No

If so, when? _____

EDUCATION

HIGH SCHOOL

Name _____
 Address _____
 Address _____
 City/ST/Zip _____
 Phone _____

Expected Date of Graduation (*month, year*): _____

COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY

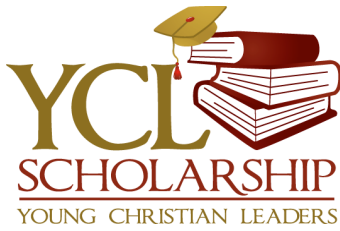
Name _____ Major: _____
 Address _____
 Address _____
 City/ST/Zip _____
 Phone _____

First date of college (*month, year*): _____ Expected date of graduation (*month, year*): _____

SCHOOL/COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

NOTE: List extra-curricular activities that you have been personally involved in during grades 9-12 and/or college.

	<u>Name of Activity</u>	<u>Years of Participation</u>	<u>Office(s) Held</u>
1.	_____	_____	_____
2.	_____	_____	_____
3.	_____	_____	_____
4.	_____	_____	_____
5.	_____	_____	_____



AWARDS/SPECIAL HONORS/DISTINCTIONS (attach a sheet with additional awards if needed)

PLEASE NOTE: List up to five major awards, honors, or distinctions that you received during grades 9-12.

Award/Honor/Distinction	Description/Basis for Award	Year(s) Received
1. _____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____
4. _____	_____	_____
5. _____	_____	_____

CAREER INTEREST(S)

Career Goal: _____
 Relevant Internship
 or Work Experience: _____

REFERENCES

PLEASE NOTE: Give the names of two references—one pastoral and the other academic.
 Applicants *must* submit reference letters from each.

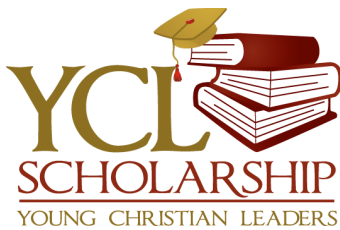
PASTORAL

Senior Pastor _____ DOB: _____
 Referring Pastor* _____ DOB: _____
 Church _____
 Church Address _____
 City/State/Zip _____
 Title/Position _____
 Phone _____
 Email _____

* If the senior pastor and the pastor giving the reference are not the same person, please give full name and title for both.

ACADEMIC

Full Name _____
 Title _____
 Company _____
 Company Address _____
 City/State/Zip _____
 Title/Position _____
 Phone _____
 Email _____



PERSONAL BACKGROUND/SPECIAL NEEDS

IMPORTANT: We request the following essay so we can better understand your need and background. All information in this section is mandatory and *only* viewed by YCL staff & judging committee.

In 300 words or less, please explain why you should receive the YCL scholarship.

Your typed and printed answer should include your name and address when submitted with the application.

TO BE COMPLETED BY COUNSELOR OR PRINCIPAL (OPTIONAL)

PLEASE NOTE: This section is to be completed by your high school guidance counselor.

Cumulative High School Grade Point Average: _____	Class Rank: _____	Class Size: _____
PSAT SCORES (if applicable) Date Taken: _____	SAT SCORES (if applicable) Date Taken: _____	ACT SCORES (if applicable) Date Taken: _____
Writing: _____	Writing: _____	English: _____
Critical Reading: _____	Critical Reading: _____	Math: _____
Mathematics: _____	Mathematics: _____	Reading: _____
		Science: _____
		Writing: _____
		Composite: _____

I hereby certify that the academic information provided in this section is correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature: _____ Date: _____
 Printed Name: _____
 Title: _____
 High School: _____ Phone: (_____) _____

APPLICANT CERTIFICATION / PERMISSION TO RELEASE INFORMATION

- I hereby certify that all information submitted on this application is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.
- I understand that submitting nonfactual information will automatically disqualify me from consideration for all scholarships.
- By submitting this application, I authorize my high school to make information concerning my academic records available to the Young Christian Leader Scholarship Committee.
- By signing below I allow use of all application information and picture to be used on YCL website and other promotional material

Applicant Signature: _____

Date: _____