

Charles and Jean Gottfried Scholarship

Program Information

The Charles and Jean Gottfried Scholarship is available for graduating high school seniors residing in Wyandot County, Ohio who demonstrate leadership characteristics and are planning to enroll as a full-time undergraduate student at an accredited post-secondary institution. This scholarship is renewable for 1 additional year after the initial award (2 years total), provided applicant meets the renewal conditions.

APPLICATION DEADLINE	AWARD AMOUNT	TOTAL TO BE AWARDED	NUMBER OF AWARDS	AWARD TYPE	RENEWAL TERMS
February 11	\$1,500	\$12,000	8	Renewal	1 additional year after initial award

APPLICANT ELIGIBILITY

Applications are first carefully reviewed by the Greater Toledo Community Foundation (GTCF) staff to verify their eligibility.

1. Must be a U.S. Citizen.
2. Must reside in Wyandot County, Ohio.
3. Must be enrolled as a full-time undergraduate student.
4. Must be pursuing degree at an accredited post-secondary institution.

SELECTION CRITERIA

Eligible applicants are reviewed by a Scholarship Advisory Committee (SAC) based on the following criteria, in order of significance.

1. Academic Achievements
2. Test Scores (Scholastic Aptitude)
3. Community Service & Volunteer Involvement
4. Leadership Skills & Experience
5. Extracurricular Involvement
6. Work Experience
7. Financial Need
8. Priority to students with greater Financial Need if applicants appear equally qualified.

SCHOLARSHIP PROCESS & TIMELINE

November	Application Available: Click here to apply on the Scholarship Portal . Within the portal, complete the GTCF General/Universal Scholarships Application.
February 11	Application Deadline: Applicants are fully responsible for uploading required documents by the deadline.
March	Review Process: SAC reviews & evaluates applications.
April	Committee Meeting: SAC meets to discuss applicants & select recipients.
May 15	Decision Notifications: GTCF notifies applicants of the Committee's decisions (approval & denial).
July 8	Follow Up: Recipients must submit a Scholarship Recipient Form prior to payment to confirm students are in compliance with the scholarship conditions.
Late July	Payments: Scholarships are paid directly to post-secondary institution (never directly to student).