



Olathe Noon Optimist Club

**Olathe Advanced Technical Center Scholarship – Awards UP to \$4,000 for the completion of a Certificate Degree in your technical field at Johnson County Community College or Kansas City Kansas Community College**

**All Applications Due by March 3, 2025**

Date of the Application \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_

Address of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Personal e-mail \_\_\_\_\_

High School Attending \_\_\_\_\_

Advanced Tech Center Attending \_\_\_\_\_

Advanced Tech Center Field of Study \_\_\_\_\_

Current OATC GPA \_\_\_\_\_

Current High School GPA \_\_\_\_\_

Hours toward certification earned at JCCC \_\_\_\_\_

**EDUCATION AND WORK EXPERIENCE/ GOALS**

For the next five years, what are your long-range technical trade goals?

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Do you presently hold a job? \_\_\_\_\_

Where are you employed? \_\_\_\_\_

How long have you been employed at your present job? \_\_\_\_\_

Name of current supervisor:

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Contact for current supervisor:

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Describe any community and volunteer involvement relevant to your tech career in the last two years. Include OATC community service.

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List all extra-curricular school activities, including any leadership positions.

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Indicate any honors or awards you have received in the last two years (community or school). \_\_\_\_\_

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Please write a short essay describing how you will include 'optimism' into your career/daily life after completion of your certificate/degree.

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**Financial Information:**

Is there a need for financial assistance to attend JCCC or KCKSCC?

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(Please explain)

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Annual household (parent/guardian) gross taxable income in 2024-

Less than \$50,000 \_\_\_\_\_

\$50,000 to \$75,000 \_\_\_\_\_

\$75,000 to \$100,000 \_\_\_\_\_

Over \$100,000 \_\_\_\_\_

# dependent children living in the home \_\_\_\_\_

**Assets:**

Parental Contribution \_\_\_\_\_

Student Contribution \_\_\_\_\_

Additional scholarships  
awarded \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Additional scholarships applied  
for \_\_\_\_\_  
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Are there any special or unusual circumstances that create special financial needs  
for you that the committee should consider?

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**Expenses:**

Estimated annual cost of:

Tuition \_\_\_\_\_

School Supplies \_\_\_\_\_

Books \_\_\_\_\_

Equipment/Uniforms \_\_\_\_\_

Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_

**Assets** \_\_\_\_\_ +

**Expenses** \_\_\_\_\_ -

**Difference** \_\_\_\_\_ =

To be considered for this scholarship, the application must include **three (3) references.** (include phone # and e-mail for each reference).

- **One must be from your tech teacher**
- **One must be from a high school teacher**
- **Other**
- **Application must include your High School and OATC transcripts.**

### **PARENT/PRINCIPAL CONFIRMATION**

I have reviewed this form, and this application is being made with my approval.

Parent/Principal Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

***This application MUST be completed in its entirety to be considered for this scholarship. Once your application has been received and reviewed, chosen finalists will be contacted for an in-person interview.***

**Each year the Olathe Noon Optimist Club Scholarship Committee will determine one JCCC/KCKCC scholarship awardee from the applications submitted by the deadline date. This committee will hold in-person interviews with selected applicants to determine one final awardee. A letter announcing the award will be presented to the recipient at the OATC Award Night by a member of the Olathe Noon Optimist Club. Students not selected for this award will be notified by mail.**

**The scholarship check will be made payable to JCCC or KCKSCC upon receipt of enrollment and class hours to Olathe Noon Optimist Club each semester, for payment to be made.**

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