## **2024 Scholarship Application**



Since its founding in 1902, OceanFirst Bank has built a legacy as a good neighbor and responsible corporate citizen. The Bank's strong commitment to helping families, schools, organizations, and communities has spanned generations reaching new heights in 1996 with the creation of OceanFirst Foundation. The Foundation provides grants to nonprofits that meet community needs within the OceanFirst footprint. One of the top priorities of OceanFirst Foundation is supporting youth development and education.

#### **ABOUT THE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**

In 2024, OceanFirst Foundation will provide grants to Atlantic Cape Community College, Brookdale Community College, Georgian Court University, Ocean County College, Monmouth University, Rowan College of South Jersey, Rowan University, Stockton University, and The College of New Jersey for the purpose of awarding scholarships for undergraduate education. Scholarships will be awarded to students in any year of study as follows:

### Community Colleges

•	Atlantic Cape Community College	Thirty (30) \$1,000 Scholarships
•	Brookdale Community College	Thirty (30) \$1,000 Scholarships
•	Ocean County College	Thirty (30) \$1,000 Scholarships
•	Rowan College of South Jersey -	Thirty (30) \$1,000 Scholarships
	Cumberland & Gloucester Campuses	

#### **Universities**

•	Georgian Court University	Twelve (12) \$2,500 Scholarships
•	Monmouth University	Twelve (12) \$2,500 Scholarships
•	Rowan University	Twelve (12) \$2,500 Scholarships
•	Stockton University	Twelve (12) \$2,500 Scholarships
•	The College of New Jersey	Twelve (12) \$2,500 Scholarships

## **MINIMUM ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS**

- Applicants must currently reside within the OceanFirst footprint, see page 3 for residency requirements.
- Applicant must have a minimum GPA of 3.0 at the time of application and must provide a copy of their high school or college transcript. If your transcript is already on file with the College/University you are attending, you do not need to resend.

#### **USE OF SCHOLARSHIP**

Scholarship recipients may only use the scholarship for direct educational expenses.

## **SELECTION**

Each College/University will evaluate all scholarship applications received, select recipients, and award funds based on the College/University's existing policies and procedures. Selection decisions are made completely independent of OceanFirst Foundation. Representatives from OceanFirst Bank and OceanFirst Foundation, including all employees and board members, do not participate in the selection process.

#### TO APPLY

Complete the application and email or mail to the appropriate College/University address noted below. You must provide a copy of your high school or college transcript. **Your application must be received by July 1, 2024 to be considered for this scholarship.**We highly recommend you contact the school to which you are applying to confirm the receipt of your application.

#### **Atlantic Cape Community College**

Office of Financial Aid 5100 Black Horse Pike Mays Landing, NJ 08330

www.atlantic.edu

\* SEND THE COMPLETED APPLICATION TO SCHOLARSHIP@ATLANTIC.EDU. APPLICANTS MUST COMPLETE 24/25 FAFSA AND REGISTER FOR 6 OR MORE CREDITS FOR FALL 2024 SEMESTER. HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS MUST SUBMIT A CURRENT TRANSCRIPT.

#### **Georgian Court University**

Office of Financial Aid
Director of Financial Aid – Cynthia McCarthy
900 Lakewood Ave.
Lakewood, NJ 08701
www.georgian.edu

Email application to: financialaid@georgian.edu
\* APPLICANTS MUST COMPLETE THE 24/25 FAFSA AND BE
REGISTERED AS A FULL-TIME STUDENT FOR THE FALL
2024 SEMESTER

#### **Ocean County College**

Foundation Office P.O. Box 2001 Toms River, NJ 08754

Email application to: scholarships@ocean.edu

www.ocean.edu

## **Rowan University**

Director of Admissions – Savitz Hall 201 Mullica Hill Road Glassboro, NJ 08028 www.rowan.edu

#### The College of New Jersey

Attn: Wil Casaine, Office of Student Financial Assistance 2000 Pennington Road Ewing, NJ 08628-0718

www.tcnj.edu

Email application to: OSFA@TCNJ.edu
\* STUDENTS MUST DEMONSTRATE FINANCIAL NEED BASED
ON THE RESULTS OF THE FREE APPLICATION FOR FEDERAL
STUDENT AID (FAFSA).

#### **Brookdale Community College Foundation**

765 Newman Springs Road Lincroft, NJ 07738-1597

www.brookdalecc.edu

\* Email the completed application to: foundation@brookdalecc.edu Must be registered for 12 credits for the Fall 2024 semester. HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS MUST ATTACH A TRANSCRIPT.

#### **Monmouth University**

Attn: Nancy Hanson, Assistant Director of Financial Aid 400 Cedar Ave.

West Long Branch, NJ 07764-1898

www.monmouth.edu

Email application to: nhanson@monmouth.edu

#### **Rowan College of South Jersey**

Attn: Dr. Michael Chando, Assoc. VP of Student Aid & Records 1400 Tanyard Road Sewell, NJ 08080 Vineland, NJ 08360 www.rcsi.edu

\* Email the completed application to <a href="mailto:scholarships@rcsj.edu">scholarships@rcsj.edu</a>
APPLICANTS MUST COMPLETE THE 24/25 FAFSA, REGISTER FOR 12
OR MORE CREDITS, AND HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS MUST PROVIDE A
TRANSCRIPT WITH THE APPLICATION.

#### **Stockton University**

Attn: Robert Heinrich, Vice Pres. for Enrollment Management 101 Vera King Farris Drive Galloway, NJ 08205 www.stockton.edu

Send Completed Application to: admissions@stockton.edu APPLICANTS MUST COMPLETE THE 24/25 FAFSA AND BE REGISTERED AS A FULL-TIME STUDENT AT STOCKTON FOR THE FALL 2024 SEMESTER.

### **APPLICANT INFORMATION**

•	Applicant	's Name (LAST, FIRST, MIDDLE)					
•	Date of B	irth (Month/Day/Year)					
•	Address	(NUMBER, STREET AND APARTMENT#)					
		(CITY, STATE AND ZIP CODE)					
•	Phone						
•	Email						
•	College II	D# .					
•	Year of Undergraduate Study (place an "x" in one)						
		Freshman					
		Sophomore					
		Junior					
		Senior					
•	Name of High School/District Graduated From						
•	GPA at Time of Application (WILL BE CONFIRMED)						
CERTIFICATION AND SIGNATURE							
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Signature of Student			Date				
Signature of Parent/Guardian			Date				

# **2023 RESIDENCY/ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS**

# **Residents of the following New Jersey Counties are eligible to apply:**

- Atlantic County
- Burlington CountyCamden County

- Canide CountyCape May CountyCumberland CountyGloucester County

- Mercer County
- Middlesex County
- Monmouth County
- Ocean County
   Somerset County
   Union County