

**WILLIAMSBURG BAPTIST CHURCH  
GEORGE & MILDRED PITTS ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIP – 2017-18**

**Eligibility Guidelines**

The applicant must meet *at least one* of the following criteria:

- The student is a member of WBC.
- At least one parent of the student is a member of WBC.
- The applicant is sponsored in writing by a WBC Council or a Pastoral Staff member.

The applicant must be admitted to an accredited college, technical school or seminary/divinity school for the Fall 2017 semester and planning study equivalent to at least 24 semester hours for the coming year.

The Pitts Academic Scholarship may be awarded for a maximum of four years, except that students who go on to an accredited seminary/divinity school may be eligible for three additional years. No funds will be awarded for graduate level study except in an accredited seminary or divinity school.

Student applicants who have completed 24 or more hours of college work must demonstrate at least a cumulative grade point average of at least 2.00 on the 4.00 scale.

Scholarship funds must be used for tuition, school fees, books, meals or housing required for the course of education. Students who have already been awarded other scholarships covering the full amount of such expenses will not be eligible for the Pitts Scholarship.

This scholarship program was developed with the sole intent of helping students. There is no obligation to repay the church any portion of the funds received. However, students are encouraged to consider making a gift to the fund once they have completed their education, so that the fund may grow to benefit future students.

**Application Instructions**

The application form must be completed and returned to the address below by **May 1, 2017**, with the following additional information:

- Official transcript of the student's most recently completed coursework.
- A list of extra-curricular activities, awards or honors received during the past year.
- A description of the student's educational and career goals.

**Mail or deliver applications and supporting documents to:**

**Scholarship Committee  
Williamsburg Baptist Church  
227 Richmond Road  
Williamsburg, VA 23185**

**Or, send in .pdf format to [churchoffice@williamsburgbaptist.com](mailto:churchoffice@williamsburgbaptist.com).**

# **Williamsburg Baptist Church Pitts Academic Scholarship Application 2017-18**

**PLEASE PRINT**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Parent/Guardian or WBC Sponsor \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Legal Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

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Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

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## **FOR COLLEGE APPLICANTS STILL IN HIGH SCHOOL**

GPA \_\_\_\_\_ Class Rank \_\_\_\_\_

Accepted at \_\_\_\_\_

Intended Major (if known) \_\_\_\_\_

### **OTHER ASSISTANCE TO DATE FOR 2017-18**

Scholarships & Grants \_\_\_\_\_

Other Assistance \_\_\_\_\_

Yearly Cost \_\_\_\_\_

## **FOR RETURNING COLLEGE OR SEMINARY APPLICANTS**

Current GPA \_\_\_\_\_ College/Seminary \_\_\_\_\_

Semester hours successfully completed \_\_\_\_\_ Semester hours anticipated 2017-18 \_\_\_\_\_

Have you previously received a Pitts Scholarship? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, in what years? \_\_\_\_\_

### **OTHER ASSISTANCE TO DATE FOR 2017-18**

Scholarships & Grants \_\_\_\_\_

Other Assistance \_\_\_\_\_

Yearly Cost \_\_\_\_\_

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## FOR TECHNICAL SCHOOL APPLICANTS

High School Graduate or GED?    \_\_\_\_ Yes    \_\_\_\_ No

Accepted at \_\_\_\_\_

Intended Career Field \_\_\_\_\_

### OTHER ASSISTANCE TO DATE FOR 2017-18

Scholarships & Grants \_\_\_\_\_

Other Assistance \_\_\_\_\_

Yearly Cost \_\_\_\_\_

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## FOR ALL APPLICANTS

1. Attach your most recent transcript, or provide instructions for retrieving it online.
2. Attach a list of extra-curricular activities, awards or honors you received during the past year.
3. Attach a description of your career goals and accomplishments.
4. Return application by **May 1, 2017** to:

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Signature of Applicant

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Signature of Parent/Guardian  
(if student is under 18)