

Nathaniel Hassell Fox Memorial Scholarship
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Thank you for your interest in the Fox–Ould Scholarship. The scholarship is available to students who will be rising college freshmen, students who are currently enrolled in college or those pursuing a post-graduate degree. Applications and supporting documents are due in the Church office by May 1st. The award will be presented on Senior Sunday.

Background: Mary Jane Ould and her family created the Fox–Ould Memorial Scholarship Fund in 1997 in honor of what would have been her father’s 100th birthday. Mr. Fox greatly influenced Mary Jane and helped guide her in Christian nurture. The following memories of her father led Mary Jane to establish the scholarship fund:

- 1) His faith in God and dedication to the Church.
- 2) His commitment to education, evidenced chiefly by his satisfaction in seeing his five children graduate from college.
- 3) His strong dedication to family, especially as he raised five children after the death of both of his wives.
- 4) His commitment to the community in his life-long home of Roxboro, NC.

Knowing the value long placed on education in the Presbyterian Church, Mary Jane desired to establish a lasting memorial in honor of her father. It is Mary Jane’s wish that through this memorial scholarship, an enduring tie will be maintained to her direct descendants as they too cherish the memory of Nathaniel Hassell Fox.

Applicants will be evaluated in two areas – evidence of their Christian commitment and demonstration of serious intent with regard to studies. Application instructions are attached.

Thank you for your application!

Application may be obtained on-line at www.RRPCUSA.org . While the Endowment Fund Committee would prefer that the application be completed in electronic format, printed applications are also available in the church office.

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Instructions:

1. Applications must be submitted by May 1st.
2. Applicants entering college for the first time must submit a high school transcript and a copy of the official report of SAT scores. Applicants presently enrolled in college must also submit a college transcript.
3. Upon completion of the word document application, please print out the completed form, attach supporting documentation and mail to:

Endowment Fund Trustees
River Road Presbyterian Church
8960 River Road
Richmond, VA 23229

4. If Applicant does not use the electronic application, the Applicant should print out a copy of the application, fill it out and attach a separate sheet for each question on Part II and Part III.

I. Personal information:

Name:

Address:

Phone numbers:

Date of Birth:

College or school you plan to attend or are currently attending:

Have you been accepted as a student at this college/school?

Expected Major course of study:

II. Christian Commitment and Activities:

- A. Please describe your Church related activities. This could include Sunday School, Youth Group, Missions, etc. and may be outside of RRPC. Also include any awards you may have received:
- B. Share your experience of coming to faith in Jesus Christ and how you have experienced your faith journey since that time:
- C. Please describe your future plans to continue your faith journey and/or how you will remain active in the Christian faith:

III. Academic Studies and Activities

A. Academic Achievements:

- 1) GPA – High school (attach transcript) _____
- 2) GPA – college (attach transcript) _____
- 3) SAT score (attach scores) _____

B. Please discuss those activities that represent your principal interests outside the classroom (other than activities described in II above). These might include extra-curricular activities at school or other ways that you are involved in the community:

C. Please list any significant honors that you have received:

D. Share what has led you to pursue your proposed area of study and what you hope to learn:

IV. Please list two people who know you well whom we might contact:

1) Name:
Address:
Phone:

2) Name:
Address:
Phone: