OHJA Academic Scholarship Information

OHJA awards academic scholarships for continuing education at an accredited college, university, or other school of higher learning based on the following six criteria:

- Academics (30 points)
- OHJA Involvement (20 points)
- Written Application Materials (15 points)
- Responses to live interview questions (15 points)
- Horsemanship, knowledge and involvement (10 points)
- Goals/Motivation (10 points)

Applicants may accrue a total of 100 points.
The Scholarship Committee selects the strongest applicants for awards based upon the total points accrued during the application process. The applicants and their final scores are then presented to the OHJA board. The board then votes on where upon the scholarship awards.
Rules:

- Applicants must be current OHJA members at the time of application
- Applicants may apply as early as their junior year in high school or as late as their last year in college
- Applicants attending trade schools may also apply
- Applicants may only receive one scholarship
- References may NOT come from relatives, either by blood or marriage
- **Applications must be emailed or postmarked on or before Midnight, October 20, 2025**
- Questions regarding the application and the process must be submitted to the OHJA Scholarship chair one week BEFORE the submission deadline
- Applications should be submitted using the OHJA form (website), OR emailed in a business letter, OR resume format in a Word document using a separate paragraph for each answer

- Applicants may apply before they have committed to an educational institution

Requirements:

- An official high school transcript;
- An official college or vocational school transcript (if applicable);
- Three (3) letters from character references (suggested references include teachers, trainers, counselors, employers, coaches, etc)
- A completed OHJA Scholarship Application. Answers should be documented in a business letter or resume format using a separate paragraph for each response. Neatness and legibility are essential.

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