**ORANGE GROVE MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH**

**HAYES-LEE SCHOLARSHIP PACKAGE**

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The purpose of the Orange Grove Missionary Baptist Church Scholarship Ministry is to provide financial assistance to students who are members of Orange Grove Missionary Baptist Church and to deserving students in the community who are seeking to continue their education beyond high school. To be eligible to receive the Hayes-Lee scholarship, you must be active in the church and the community and be a full-time student in attendance at a four-year college or university, a two-year college/trade school, or any other school of higher learning.

The Scholarship Ministry is funded by the general congregation of Orange Grove Missionary Baptist Church and by private funds from members of the congregation.

**2025 QUALIFICATIONS AND SELECTION CRITERIA**

1. Applicants or Parent/Guardian must be an active member of Orange Grove Missionary Baptist Church for at least one year prior to applying.
2. Applicant must be active in a Church Ministry, Church related youth activities, and Christian Education.
3. Applicants must have participated in community service activities during their high school years.
4. Applicants must have a weighted G.P.A of 2.0 or above.
5. The applicant must be a 2025 High School graduate.
6. Applicants must write a 400-word essay.
7. The applicant must have been accepted by an accredited institution of higher learning: college, university, technical school, vocational, or school beyond high school, and provide proof of enrollment prior to the issuance of the award.

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2025 HAYES-LEE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

**DEADLINE: June 17, 2025**

Please type or print.

**General Information**

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

First Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Middle Initial \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Zip Code\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Contact Phone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian’s Name(s)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Date of Graduation \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Date you became a member of Orange Grove Missionary Baptist Church \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Date Parents/Guardian became a member of Orange Grove\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

List all church ministries in which you are or have been active in the last three years at Orange Grove such as the Choir, Usher Board, Missionary, Manna Ministry, etc.

*Ministry Leaders must complete the Church Involvement form.*

**Educational Information**

High School (Currently Attending): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

High School GPA: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

College or University (2- or 4-year accredited college or university you plan to attend in Fall): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Have you applied for admission to the above college or university? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

If yes, have you been accepted? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Personal Information**

Please list all community service activities in which you are or have been active in the last four years: (Include roles and length of time)

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Please list all church-related youth activities at Orange Grove that you have participated in during the past three years. This list should include retreats, lock-ins, workshops, etc. *Ministry Leaders must complete the Church Involvement form.*

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Please list all Christian Education classes at Orange Grove that you have attended during the past three years. This list should include Sunday School, Bible Study, and Teen Church. *Ministry Leaders must complete the Church Involvement form.*

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**Essay**

Please provide an essay that addresses how the Church has been or is an influential factor in your life. Also, indicate how you expect to use the Church’s teaching in your future life. The essay should be typed, double-spaced, and 400 words.

**Scholarship Agreement**

• I certify that the information throughout this application is accurate and in compliance with the scholarship criteria.

• I agree to provide a letter of acceptance from an accredited college or university by June 17, 2025.

• I understand that I must enroll and remain in a school of higher learning for the entire quarter/semester, and/or school year. If, for some reason, I do not complete the entire quarter/semester, I will be obligated to repay any monies received. If there are mitigating circumstances that I have no control over, the scholarship award will be reinstated.

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(Parent or Guardian) Print (Parent or Guardian) Signature

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(Date)

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| **CHURCH INVOLVEMENT REFERENCE FORM**  The student submitting this form to you is applying for the Orange Grove Missionary Baptist Church Baptist Church Hayes-Lee Scholarship. He/She is soliciting a church involvement reference. Please include your knowledge of the applicant’s involvement in the church, what ministries the applicant has been active with in the church, how long you have known the applicant and in what capacity and your overall assessment of the applicant based upon your observations. Please return the signed reference form with comments back to the student in a sealed envelope no later than June 17, 2025. |

**SCHOLARSHIP APPLICANT**: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Person Submitting Reference**: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**(Name)**

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**(E-Mail Address)**

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Please write your comments:

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| **COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT REFERENCE FORM**  The student submitting this form to you is applying for a scholarship from Orange Grove Missionary Baptist Church. He/She is soliciting a community involvement reference. Please include your knowledge of the applicant’s involvement in the community, dependability, how long you have known the applicant and in what capacity, and your overall assessment of the applicant based upon your observations. Please return the signed reference form with comments back to the student in a sealed envelope no later than June 17, 2025. |

**SCHOLARSHIP APPLICANT**: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Person Submitting Reference**: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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