CHURCH MATCHING SCHOLARSHIP

Most churches budget for their various ministries—from the nursery to senior saints. However, many overlook the important area of budgeting for the advanced biblical training of members called to ministry. With this in mind, ABC has established the Church Matching Scholarship. We want to encourage churches to support their members whom they identify as worthy candidates for advanced Bible and ministry training. Through the Church Matching Scholarship, ABC will match, up to $2,500 annually, what a church invests in its own members. That’s a potential $5,000 help to the student! For more information regarding this scholarship, contact ABC’s Financial Aid Office.

Guidelines

- ABC will match up to $2,500/year ($1,250/semester) what a church invests to train their own active members.
- The church must officially endorse the student through a formal decision of the church leadership or membership, affirming that the student is a worthy investment for ministry training because they demonstrate a love and obedience to God’s Word and are actively serving the church.
- The church must not use this program:
  1. to pass money from the student’s parents or relatives to the student.
  2. to replace promised wages or promise the scholarship in place of wages.
- The church should submit this scholarship form by September 15th for the Fall semester, or January 15th for the Spring semester.
- The student must meet all of the general institutional aid requirements to be eligible for the scholarship, including:
  - Student must be full-time in the undergraduate program.
  - Student must maintain a minimum 2.0 semester GPA.

Terms & Conditions

- Funds (both church portion and ABC match) will be disbursed to the student’s account as funds are received from the church.
- The church may provide additional funds beyond the matched amount, but ABC will only match up to $1,250 per semester.
- If the student loses eligibility for the Church Matching Scholarship in the middle of the year (because of grades or academic status), the church will be notified to determine if they wish to make any changes to the scholarship amount. ABC will not match any amount given for a semester in which the student does not meet the eligibility requirements.
- If the student withdraws from ABC early, a portion of financial aid may be reduced according to the school’s withdrawal policy, which would include ABC’s matched portion of the Church Matching Scholarship. If this were to occur, the church will be notified to determine if they wish to reduce the amount of the church’s portion of the scholarship.
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Student Info

Name ____________________________________________________  School Year ______________________________________________

This student was officially endorsed on _________________________________(date) as a worthy candidate for ministry training in accordance with the Church Matching Scholarship guidelines.

Church Info

Church Name ______________________________________________________________________________________________________________

Pastor’s Name _____________________________________________________________________________________________________________

Address ____________________________________________________________________________________________________________________

City _______________________________________________________  State _____________________  Zip ____________________________

Phone ____________________________________________________   Email _____________________________________________________

Scholarship Info

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Payment Options:

_____The Full Year’s Amount will be sent by December 15

_____Each Semester’s Amount will be sent by December 15 for Fall and April 15 for Spring

_____A monthly amount of $____________________________ will be sent to be paid by April 15

Payments may be sent to the address above. Please indicate “Church Matching Scholarship” and the student’s name with your payment.

Submit this form electronically to financialaid@abc.edu or print and mail or fax to the attention of “Financial Aid” at the address above.