



# **HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION 2012/2013**

## **TINKER OFFICERS' SPOUSES' CLUB**

### **ELIGIBILITY**

The applicant must meet **ONE** of the following eligibility requirements at the time of the application deadline.

The applicant must be currently residing in the greater Oklahoma City area and a bona fide dependant of:

1. An active duty U.S. Military member currently assigned to Tinker AFB.
2. An active duty U.S. Military member serving a tour elsewhere.
3. An active duty U.S. Military member assigned to Tinker AFB, but serving an ROTC or recruiting duty elsewhere in Oklahoma.
4. A full-time Reservist.
5. A full-time Federal Guardsman stationed at Tinker AFB.
6. A deceased U.S. Military member who was on active duty at the time of death, and have not been legally adopted by a non-military member.
7. A retired U.S. Military member.
8. An active civil service employee (DoD) at Tinker AFB.

### **QUALIFICATIONS**

The applicant must meet **ALL** of the following qualifications:

1. Currently attend a public, private, or home school within a 70-mile radius of Tinker AFB, OK, and graduate in the 2011-2012 academic year.
2. Currently hold an unweighted cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher, **or** a combined SAT reading and math score of 880 or higher, **or** an ACT score of 22 or higher.
3. Have submitted applications and plan to enroll as a **full-time** student for the **2012-2013** school year at a college or university accredited through an agency recognized by the U.S. Department of Education and the Council for Higher Education Accreditation.
4. Submit a complete application to the Scholarship Committee Chairperson of the Tinker Officers' Spouses' Club (TOSC).

### **REGULATION**

1. **A completed application must be postmarked by February 15, 2012.** The TOSC and the members of the Scholarship Committee are not responsible for lost or misdirected mail or applications.
2. Incomplete applications, or those received after the deadline will not be accepted.
3. No member of the scholarship selection panel is also a member of the TOSC or Enlisted Spouses' Network.
4. Notifications of the scholarship recipients will be made in mid-March 2012.

**Please make sure your application is complete. It must include all of the following:**

- Completed application
- Academic information and transcript (completed by the applicant's High School Counselor)
- Scholarship Essay (answer one question from page 4 of the application.)
- Academic Scholarship Student Agreement

Please submit the completed application by mail, **postmarked no later than February 15, 2012.**

**MAIL TO:** Beth Fisher  
TOSC Scholarship Committee Chairperson  
P.O. Box 45616  
Tinker AFB, OK 73145

Questions? Contact Beth Fisher at [scholarships@tinkerosc.org](mailto:scholarships@tinkerosc.org).



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**APPLICANT'S INFORMATION:**

FULL NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

MAILING ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP CODE: \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ CELL PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

**SPONSOR'S INFORMATION:**

FULL NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ORGANIZATION: \_\_\_\_\_ WORK PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

**ELIGIBILITY CATEGORY: (CHECK ONE)**

- ACTIVE DUTY       RETIRED       DECEASED
- FEDERAL GUARD     RESERVE       CIVIL SERVICE (DoD)

**COLLEGES/UNIVERSITIES TO WHICH YOU ARE APPLYING (INDICATE ACCEPTANCE, IF APPLICABLE):**


INTENDED MAJOR COURSE OF STUDY: \_\_\_\_\_

INTENDED CAREER: \_\_\_\_\_

**DO YOU HAVE ANY EDUCATIONAL PLANS BEYOND 4 YEARS OF COLLEGE?:**

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*The Tinker Officers' Spouses' Club (TOSC) is a non-profit, social/welfare private organization and not a part of the DoD or any of its components and it has no governmental status.*



(LIST MOST RECENT ITEMS FIRST, INCLUDE DATES)

**HONORS AND AWARDS:**

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**EMPLOYMENT (INCLUDE HOURS WORKED PER WEEK):**

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**OTHER EDUCATION:**

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**SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION ESSAY:**

Type a one page essay on a single-sided, single-spaced page with one-inch margins. The font should be 12 point Times New Roman. DO NOT use your name or your school name in the essay. Choose one of the following essay questions to answer.

1. Who is your role model? Explain why.
2. Describe your reasons for wanting to pursue higher education and how a college degree will help you achieve your future goals.



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## **TO BE COMPLETED BY APPLICANT'S HIGH SCHOOL COUNSELOR**

**APPLICANT:** PLEASE GIVE THIS FORM TO YOUR GUIDANCE COUNSELOR TO COMPLETE AND RETURN TO YOU. THIS FORM, ALONG WITH YOUR TRANSCRIPT, MUST BE INCLUDED WITH YOUR FINAL APPLICATION PACKAGE WHICH MUST BE POSTMARKED BY FEBRUARY 15, 2012.

**APPLICANT'S FULL NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**HIGH SCHOOL NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**SCHOOL ADDRESS:** \_\_\_\_\_

**CITY/STATE/ZIP:** \_\_\_\_\_

**ACADEMIC DATA:**

**UNWEIGHTED CUMULATIVE GPA THROUGH FIRST SEMESTER OF SENIOR YEAR:** \_\_\_\_\_

**TEST SCORES:** SAT Composite: \_\_\_\_\_ Reading \_\_\_\_\_ Math \_\_\_\_\_

ACT Composite: \_\_\_\_\_

**NAME OF SCHOOL OFFICIAL:** \_\_\_\_\_

**JOB TITLE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**PHONE NUMBER:** \_\_\_\_\_

**SIGNATURE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**COUNSELOR:** PLEASE ATTACH A COPY OF THE STUDENT'S COMPLETE HIGH SCHOOL TRANSCRIPTS WITH THIS APPLICATION AND **RETURN TO STUDENT.** THIS FORM WITH ALL TRANSCRIPTS MUST BE SUMITTED WITH THE STUDENT'S FINAL APPLICATION PACKAGE. THE COMPLETED PACKAGE MUST BE **POSTMARKED BY FEBRUARY 15, 2012.** THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION.



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### **ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIP STUDENT AGREEMENT**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, understand that:

1. This scholarship award will be based primarily on performance during high school.
2. I will not be eligible to receive this award if at any time prior to actual enrollment in school I accept an appointment to any service academy or receive a three or four-year ROTC or full three or four-year scholarship. A full scholarship is defined as one which pays all tuition, room, and board.
3. If I am selected as a winner, the award money will be disbursed by check and mailed to the college of my choice when enrollment at that school has been established. The check will be accompanied by a letter stating that the scholarship money may be used for tuition, room and board (dormitory only), academic fees, and/or books. This award, when combined with other scholarship/grant aid that I receive, may not exceed the costs of tuition, academic fees, room and board, and/or books. Any money remaining at the end of the enrollment for the **2012-2013** academic year that has not been used for the approved purposes must be returned to the Tinker Officers' Spouses' Club.
4. If, for any reason I am unable to attend school or if, prior to the time of enrollment in a school, I become ineligible as stated in item number two, I will notify the Tinker Officers' Spouses' Club immediately in order that an alternate may receive the award.
5. If, for any reason I decide to transfer to another school, or decide to discontinue attendance, it is my responsibility to notify the Welfare Treasurer of Tinker Officers' Spouses' Club, so that any remaining scholarship money may be properly handled. Instructions regarding any surplus money, should I decide to transfer or withdraw, will have been sent to the school in the letter accompanying the money. I understand that in these cases, money will be returned to the TOSC's Scholarship Fund and they may transfer the money directly to another school when my enrollment there has been established.
6. If selected for a scholarship award, I will provide a current copy of military dependant identification card or sponsor's CAC card upon request from Scholarship Committee Chairperson.
7. I am a responsible citizen in good standing in the school and community.
8. I certify that the information contained in this completed application is accurate to the best of my knowledge. I also acknowledge that I must be enrolled as a **full-time student** for the **2012-2013** academic year to receive this scholarship.

Applicant's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent or Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_