

# **Lighthouse Scholarship**

#### **Amount:**

Scholarship amount varies (\$500- \$4,000)- awarded annually

## **Qualifications:**

- Acceptance to Mid-Atlantic Christian University (MACU)
- **High School Students:** Must have an incoming minimum unweighted GPA of 2.0
- Transfer Students (24+ credit hours): Must have an incoming minimum college GPA of 2.0
- Submit <u>one</u> letter of recommendation stating applicant's specific outstanding achievements (ex.: awards or special recognition) in his/her spiritual life as well as physical, mental, <u>and</u> social life. Acceptable references include: a Community Leader (teacher, counselor, minister, or employer), trustee, faculty member, teacher, or school counselor. The letter CANNOT be from persons related to the applicant.
- Essay for admission to MACU will be reviewed in search for qualities that reveal student's potential and drive to shine for Christ at MACU, in the Church, and in society.

## **Requirements:**

- Must take a minimum of 15 credit hours per semester (or 12 hours per semester for the first year with approved waiver)
- Maintain a 2.0 GPA (1st semester) and 2.5 GPA for all remaining semesters while attending MACU
- Student's successful completion of student life requirements (service hours and Encounter attendance) will be considered in the renewal of scholarship
- Must live in university housing and be on the meal plan
- Must submit Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)- including any requested verification or tax paperwork
- Must be in a degree seeking program

#### **Deadlines:**

Rolling deadline (as funds allow)

### **Please Note:**

- A student's financial aid package will be used to help guide awarded amounts.
- There are a limited number of scholarships offered at the sole discretion of the University.
- Those applying are strongly encouraged to have an on-campus visit.
- To receive the full award amount, the recipient must complete the semester. If the recipient withdraws from college prior to the end of the semester, this scholarship award will be prorated for that semester.
- This is a stackable scholarship.