

## 2024-2025 United Methodist Minister's Family Tuition Award Application

Minister's Family Awards for full-time study are given to an undergraduate student who is the dependent child of or a graduate student who is the spouse of a United Methodist Minister, who is ordained, under appointment, retired, or deceased. Participants must meet all of the standard requirements for admission to the University and must maintain a 2.000 overall cumulative grade point average in order to maintain eligibility. Participating students must be candidates for a baccalaureate degree or a graduate degree (students enrolled in the MLS program are not eligible) and must not have received a previous degree from SMU.

**Graduate students must provide the following:**

\*Spouse: first page of current year joint tax return to demonstrate marital status

(Note: **Undergraduate students** do not need to provide tax returns)

**This award is up to \$3,500 tuition and fees credit each standard semester for a maximum of eight semesters of full-time undergraduate or graduate study, which must be completed within five consecutive calendar years. All university aid cannot exceed tuition and fees. A new application is required annually for award renewal.**

**Applicant Information:**

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ SMU ID #: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street

\_\_\_\_\_ Academic Program: \_\_\_\_\_  
City State Zip

Student Classification: \_\_\_\_\_

**Church Affiliation:**

Church Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Annual Conference: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street

\_\_\_\_\_ City State Zip

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Minister Parent's Signature (OR)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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Minister Spouse's Signature

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CERTIFICATION OF PASTORAL APPOINTMENT

I hereby certify that \_\_\_\_\_, parent/spouse of the student applicant named in the above application, is currently and actively engaged in pastoral work, appointed to the position of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, or that the parent/spouse is now superannuated or deceased and was engaged in active pastoral work immediately prior to death or being superannuated.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of District Superintendent or  
Bishop who supervises the Minister's appt.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Title

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
City

State

Zip