



## 2019 Scholarship and Loan Application Dates and Deadlines

The 2019 Scholarship Application will open on January 3, 2019 and the deadline to apply is March 7, 2019. An applicant, at any grade level, must be a member of the United Methodist Church for at least one year prior to applying and be enrolled in an accredited college or universities within the United States, maintaining at least a 2.5 GPA. All applicants are required to have their Church Membership certified by their Pastor and must have one reference from a leader within their Church. More information about scholarships can be found here: <https://www.gbhem.org/loans-and-scholarships/scholarships>

The 2019 Spring Loan Application will open on December 13<sup>th</sup> and be available through May 2<sup>nd</sup>. These funds are to be used for the 2019 Spring term only. Students may borrow up to \$10,000 per calendar year – and up to \$40,000 for the life time of their loans. Applicants must have at least a one-year membership in the United Methodist Church, be enrolled in an accredited college or university within the United States and maintain at least a 2.0 GPA. All applicants are required to have a cosigner who must be a United States Citizen and able to provide Proof of Income documentation. More information about the 2019 Spring Loan application can be found here: <https://www.gbhem.org/loans-and-scholarships/loans/apply-loan/apply-now>

The 2019 Fall Loan Application will open on May 6<sup>th</sup>. Please note that the deadline to apply for a Fall 2019 Loan has been moved up to October 15<sup>th</sup>. The Fall 2019 Loan application will now close on October 15<sup>th</sup> to allow our office the time to process all loan requests before the end of the year. We strongly encourage students in need of Fall funds to apply as early as possible to ensure the school receives the funds in a timely manner. Students may borrow up to \$10,000 per calendar year – and up to \$40,000 for the life time of their loans. Applicants must have at least a one-year membership in the United Methodist Church, be enrolled in an accredited college or university within the United States and maintain at least a 2.0 GPA. All applicants are required to have a cosigner who must be a United States Citizen and able to provide Proof of Income documentation. For more information about the 2019 Fall Loan application, click here: <https://www.gbhem.org/loans-and-scholarships/loans/apply-loan/apply-now>

\*Note: International students applying for loans or scholarships must have a 3-year membership with the United Methodist Church and be attending a United Methodist Institution in the United States. Any international loan applicants must also have a cosigner who is a United States citizen.