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Brothers,

Please share this information with your schools, families and any your adults who may want to apply for Scottish Rite Scholarships.

National Scottish Rite Annual & Endowed Scholarships

Revised: 1/4/2026

We are currently accepting applications for 2026 scholarships. The deadline to apply is April 2, 2026.

CORRECTION: The January/February 2026 *Scottish Rite Journal* incorrectly lists the application deadline as April 2, 2025. We sincerely apologize for any confusion. The deadline is April 2, 2026.

Through the [Scottish Rite Foundation, Southern Jurisdiction, U.S.A., Inc.](#), the Supreme Council offers two different types of national scholarships:

1. Named One-Year/One-Time Scholarships
2. Named Endowed Scholarships

If you are interested in financially supporting these initiatives, please visit our [Scholarship Program Support](#) page. Thank you!

Eligibility & Submission Requirements for All National Scottish Rite, SJ Scholarships

1. These scholarships are available to United States citizens and U.S. permanent residents only for study within the U.S. at accredited public or private colleges, universities, or trade schools—depending on the individual scholarship.
2. Applications must be submitted online each year to the Office of the Grand Executive Director during the application period.
3. Most scholarships have additional requirements. Please refer to the individual scholarships below for these criteria.

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Our 2026 National Scottish Rite Scholarships

Application period: January 5 to April 2, 2026

Please click the plus (+) icon next to a scholarship to learn more about it.

- About: This scholarship is named in honor of Frank W. Kroupa, 33^o, President of Omaha Cathedral Board Association.
- Amount: \$1,800 (may be used toward tuition and/or materials)
- Duration: One Year
- Type of Study: Undergraduate or Trade School

Additional Eligibility Requirements:

- College, University, or Trade School, Preferably Located in Nebraska, or Iowa
- Field of Study: Four-year Undergraduate Program in Construction Management or Other Trade-related Study (e.g., Architecture/CAD/Civil Engineering) OR a Technical or Trade program at a Two-year or Other Accredited School

— **AND** —

- Scottish Rite, SJ Membership or Relationship[†], preferably in Nebraska or Iowa

— **OR** —

- Masonic Youth Group Membership[‡], preferably in Nebraska or Iowa

Fraternally yours,

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