## Mitchell/Tufts Foundation Scholarship

**Background:** The Mitchell/Tufts Foundation Scholarship was established at The Dallas Foundation in 2014.

The goal of the Fund is to make a college degree or vocational certification possible for members or persons active in the life of a Presbyterian church in the Presbyterian Church USA (PCUSA) in Los Angeles, California, and its surrounding communities, who are students of

promise and can demonstrate financial need.

**Amount:** \$1,000.00 - \$5,000.00

Funds to be used for: Tuition, fees and books

Geographic limitations: City of Los Angeles, and its surrounding communities

**Eligibility:** Applicants must

- Be an active member or active in the life of a Presbyterian church in the Presbyterian Church USA, in the City of Los Angeles, and its surrounding communities
- Be accepted for enrollment or are currently enrolled in a two- or four-year undergraduate program in an accredited college, university, vocational school or trade school
- demonstrate financial need
- have work experience and/or community service experience

## Preference may be given to:

Active members or persons active in the life of Westminster Presbyterian Church, Los Angeles

A *Student of Promise*: A Student of Promise may not be a 4.0 student, a star athlete or the most well-known student on campus, but considering some of the events in their lives, they are doing a tremendous job keeping that "C" average and maintaining a good attendance record.

A *Middle Class Student:* A Middle Class student may come from a family with incomes too high to qualify for existing financial aid programs, but still unable to afford the fees without relying heavily on student loans.

Deadline: May 31, 2019

**Renewals:** Renewals are not automatic, but past recipients are encouraged to reapply each year

**How to apply:** Follow this <u>link</u> to the online application system and follow the directions on the right-hand side

of the page. To access the private application, please follow the link above, create an account, then at the top right-hand side of the page, enter the Access Code that was provided you by someone on staff at your church. Once you've entered the correct Access Code, and it's AFTER Easter (April 22, 2019), the Mitchell/Tufts Scholarship application process will appear. You will

have five weeks to complete the application before the May 31 deadline.