



Oklahoma Association for the Education of Young Children

OKAEYC Scholarship Award

Eligibility:

- Students seeking undergraduate or graduate degrees in the fields of early childhood education or child development/family studies.
- must be employed in early childhood care/family services settings (to include family child care homes).
- Preference for individuals with five or more years work experience in the field of early care and education.

Funds may be used at public and private non- profit institutions in the state of Oklahoma not to include career technology centers. Award goes towards tuition, fees and book expenses. Payments are made directly to the school.

Early Childhood Association of Oklahoma Scholarship recognizes employees of early childhood education facilities who are selected through a nomination process. The Okaeyc Scholarship is an endowed scholarship fund of the Oklahoma City Community Foundation.

Award: \$ 2,000

Deadline for Application: 04/30/2024

After completing the General Application/Student Profile, applicants must submit the **Supplemental Questions** (below) to complete the application:

1. How has a teacher influenced you and your goals?
2. Did you submit your household's 1040 or your FAFSA for the coming year when you completed the General Application? (NOTE: If you answered "no", please know that financial need may be considered for this scholarship, and to be eligible for this scholarship you need to return to the General Application/Student Profile and attach a 1040 or FAFSA.)

Students may also receive detailed instructions about our online application process by going to the scholarship page on our website at

www.occf.org/scholarships.