

STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF FLORIDA

2024-2025

**THEODORE R. AND VIVIAN M. JOHNSON
SCHOLARSHIP***

Application for First-Time Scholar Applicants

**DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION MATERIALS
TO BE RECEIVED BY THE UNIVERSITY:
MAY 1, 2024**

IMPORTANT: READ AND RETAIN A COPY FOR YOUR RECORDS

***This program is contingent upon annual funding by the
Johnson Scholarship Foundation and matching funding from the
Florida Legislature**

The Johnson Scholarship, funded by the Johnson Scholarship Foundation, is a competitively awarded program available to undergraduate students with disabilities enrolled in a State University System of Florida institution. Students must meet the following requirements to be considered for scholarship selection:

- x Be a Florida resident for tuition purposes
- x Be seeking a first baccalaureate degree
- x Complete a Theodore R. and Vivian M. Johnson Scholarship Application
- x Meet academic requirements
- x Provide documentation of the nature and/or extent of a disability(ies)
- x Demonstrate financial need as determined by the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)/institutional need. Submit a FAFSA or renewal FAFSA

- x Two letters of reference addressing your academic success and potential. One letter may be an academic reference addressing your academic success and potential. One letter may be a personal reference.

NOTE: If you receive a Johnson Scholarship, you must still apply for renewal consideration each academic year you desire the award. Johnson Scholarship recipients may qualify for the award for up to 120 semester credit hours of undergraduate study.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES

If you apply for admission at more than one institution, submit the completed Johnson Scholarship application materials to each university. The application should be sent to the contact person listed at the end of this form. The application, official transcript, disability documentation, personal statement, and letters of reference must be received by the institution(s) no later than May 1, 2024.

NOTIFICATION

All applicants will be notified of their status as Johnson Scholarship recipients, alternate award candidates, or students who were not selected. Notification letters will be mailed to the permanent address specified on the application form in July.

AWARD PAYMENT

After enrollment verification, the university will disburse the award each academic term to eligible Johnson Scholarship recipients on a prorated basis. The dollar amount of the 2024-2025 awards is contingent upon the level of funding from the Johnson Scholarship Foundation and the Florida Legislature.

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Call or write the appropriate university representative listed at the end of the application.

State University System of Florida
Johnson Scholarship
Funded by the Johnson Scholarship Foundation
2024-2025 First -Time Applicant Form

The appropriate State University System of Florida institution must receive this form and supporting application materials no later than May 1 , 2024. Incomplete applications will not be considered. If you choose to apply to more than one institution, you must submit complete application materials to each. You may email the application and supporting documents or mail the materials to the appropriate address listed at the end of this form.

All applicants must complete a 2024-2025 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) form or renewal FAFSA form online or mail it to the address indicated on the FAFSA form by March 1, 2024, to receive full consideration.

PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE

Name: _____
Last First Middle Initial

Current Address: _____
Street Address

City State Zip

Telephone Number

are not limited to, cataracts, glaucoma, nystagmus, retinal detachment, retinitis pigmentosa, and strabismus.

Deaf/Hard of Hearing .

2024-2025 ACADEMIC LEVEL (check one):

Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior

ANTICIPATED UNIVERSITY GRADUATION DATE:

I HAVE BEEN DESIGNATED AS A FLORIDA RESIDENT FOR TUITION PURPOSES BY THE UNIVERSITY (check one):

Yes No Unsure

I AM (select one below):

A first-time undergraduate degree-seeking student
 A transfer student seeking my first baccalaureate degree

Checklist of required items to be sent to the university for initial application consideration:

- A completed 2024-2025 Johnson Scholarship Application by the deadline
- University access to the evaluation by Federal Student Aid of the student FAFSA
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University Coordinators