



# Arnold W. “Jeff” and Mabel Rensink Endowment Scholarship Criteria

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## Requirements:

- Applicant must have completed at least a bachelor's degree.
- Applicant must be enrolled in course of study leading to a graduate or professional level degree at a United Methodist approved seminary.
- Applicant must be a member of an Iowa United Methodist Church.
- Preference given to those involved in church in the following counties:
  - Cerro Gordo, Chickasaw, Floyd, Franklin, Hancock, Hardin, Howard, Kossuth, Mitchell, Winnebago, Worth or Wright.
- Applicant must provide most recent transcript from college/seminary courses.
- Applicant must write a personal statement describing their call to ministry and their personal relationship with Jesus Christ.

At least two letters of recommendation required:

- Pastor (*required*)
- School Counselor/Advisor/Academic Professor
- Community Leader outside of local church, i.e. employer, coach, etc. (No relatives)

All applications and required documentation must be completed online, the Foundation cannot accept applications and documentation sent by mail or email.

All questions regarding application process must be directed to ISTS at 855-670-4787.

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