



SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

*This reference form is for new applicants only.
Previous applicants do not have to submit new references.*

For 70 years The Arc of the Mid Ohio Valley has been the premier advocacy organization devoted to ensuring a satisfying and productive life for children and adults with intellectual, cognitive, and related developmental disabilities.

Application Type: _____ Initial _____ Renewal

Name of Applicant: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Primary Phone: _____ Email Address: _____

High School Name and Graduation Date: _____

ACT or SAT Score: _____ GPA: _____

College or University you will attend? _____ Start Date: _____

(If applicable) Current College Status: Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior Graduate Student

(If applicable) Colleges/Universities Attended and Degrees Received:

From	To	Name & Location of Institution	# of Hrs.	GPA	Graduated? Degree?

For the period between of July 1, 2026 – June 30, 2027, during which terms do you plan to enroll and how any hours do you plan to take each term? Summer/Fall - credit hours _____
Winter/Spring - credit hours _____

Please answer the following in essay format, on an attached sheet(s):

1. Describe the college coursework planned and/or completed and the degree you expect to receive:
2. List scholastic honors or recognition(s):
3. Explain any experience in working with individuals with disabilities & citizen involvement:
4. Describe work, volunteering, or personal experiences which have led you to choose a career in intellectual, cognitive, or other related developmental disabilities.

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5. Describe any association that you have had with The Arc.
6. Describe other school or community activities:
7. Why did you choose this area of study and what attributes do you have which will make you successful?

If you are a new applicant, please list the three references to whom you have given the personal reference forms:

Name	Address	Occupation
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Deadline for submission to The Arc of the Mid Ohio Valley: **May 1, 2026**

Inquiries and submissions to: **michelle.curtis@thearcmov.org**



PERSONAL REFERENCE REQUEST FORM

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Scholarship Applicant's Name: _____

Describe the basis and length of your acquaintance with the applicant: _____

In your opinion, what attributes will this applicant bring to a career working with children or adults who have intellectual or other developmental disability?

Other information or comments:

Name of reference (please print) Title or Position

Reference Signature Date

Return to: The Arc of the Mid-Ohio Valley By: May 1, 2026

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