Ohio Lions Leo 2026-2027 Scholarship

The Ohio Lions Youth Committee is pleased to announce a Leo Scholarship of $750 for a graduating senior who is an active member of an active Ohio Leo Club. A total of five (5) $750 scholarships will be awarded.

The Youth Committee recognizes the need to help a young person pursue post-high school education, be it four-year college, community college or trade school. Consequently, we encourage all graduating seniors who are active Leos to participate in the Scholarship Program.

Selection of the scholarship recipients will be based on academic achievement, need, service to the school and community, work experience, and letters of recommendation. **Applications and supporting documentation are to be completed and submitted to the appropriate District Youth Chairperson by March 1, 2027. Applications that are mailed must be postmarked by the Post Office, dated by March 1, 2027. Applications can be Emailed as long as all forms are legible.** Scholarship winners will be notified by April 15, 2027.

Incomplete applications will be ineligible.

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See List of Leo Clubs by District for Chairperson Address

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Leo Clubs by District – As Shown on LCI Reports 10/25/2026

District	Leo Club		District	Leo Club
OH1	Bluffton High School		OH5	Big Walnut High School
OH1	Coldwater		OH5	Jonathan Alder
OH1	Columbus Grove		OH5	Kenton Ridge High School
OH1	McComb		OH5	Marysville High School
			OH5	Newton
OH2	Amherst		OH5	Northeastern HS-Springfield
OH2	Avon		OH5	Ohio State School for the Blind
OH2	Colonel Crawford High School		OH5	Reynoldsburg
OH2	Crestline High School		OH5	Ridgedale High School
OH2	Elyria			
OH2	Hillsdale		OH6	Fairborn
OH2	Lexington		OH6	Goshen
OH2	Lorain High School		OH6	Lebanon
OH2	Loudonville High School		OH6	Northeastern HS-Batavia
OH2	Lucas		OH6	Northmont
OH2	North Ridgeville		OH6	Preble Shawnee
OH2	Seneca East		OH6	Walter E Stebbins High School
OH2	Vermilion		OH6	Waverly
			OH6	Waynesville
OH3	Brecksville-Broadview Heights		OH6	Wilmington I
OH3	Chippewa High School			
OH3	Harding Middle School		OH7	Alexander High School
OH3	Lakemore		OH7	Heath Bulldogs
OH3	Newcomerstown		OH7	Hornets Corner
OH3	Strasburg Schools		OH7	Jackson
			OH7	Laker
OH4	Canfield High School		OH7	Licking Valley
OH4	Chesterland		OH7	Licking Valley Middle School
OH4	Crestview High School		OH7	Muskingum Valley
OH4	Field		OH7	Newark High School
OH4	Heartland Christian School		OH7	River Valley
OH4	Rootstown		OH7	River View High School
OH4	Sandy Valley		OH7	Rushville Union Middle School
OH4	Southeast		OH7	Scotties
OH4	Tuslaw High School		OH7	South Gallia
OH4	West Branch High School			

CHECKLIST FOR RETURNING YOUR COMPLETED

OHIO LIONS LEO 2026-2027 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION.

Please circle the Yes/No boxes as appropriate.

1.	Yes	No	Page 1 of 2 – all questions answered/all blanks filled in.
2.	Yes	No	Page 2 of 2 – all questions answered/all blanks filled in.
3.	Yes	No	Letter requested at bottom of Page 1 of 2 is included. Why you wish to continue your education and why you are applying for this scholarship.
3.	Yes	No	Current OFFICIAL transcript is included.
4.	Yes	No	Extracurricular activities, offices held, and community service includes Leo activities.
5.	Yes	No	TWO letters of recommendation as described on Page 2 of 2 of the application are included.
6.	Yes	No	Application is physically signed in ink by applicant, parent/guardian, and Leo Club advisor (must include all 3 signatures written in pen).
7.	Yes	No	Each Letter of Recommendation is signed by the person providing the Letter of Recommendation.
8.	Yes	No	This application packet and all supporting documentation is being submitted to my District Youth Chair by March 1, 2027.
9.	Yes	No	I have made a copy of this application for my records and in case there are questions.
10.	Yes	No	If application was mailed, was the local Post Office postmark included?

IF YOU DO NOT COMPLETE ALL THE REQUIRED ITEMS,

YOUR APPLICATION WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

OHIO LIONS LEO – 2026-2027 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Home School _____ Application Date _____

My Leo Club _____ Club # _____ My Leo # _____

Advisor Name _____ Phone Number _____ Email _____

PERSONAL

Name _____ Age _____ Date of Birth _____

Street/Mailing Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Phone # _____ Email _____

Father's Name _____ Occupation _____

Mother's Name _____ Occupation _____

Number of Younger Siblings _____ Total Number of Dependents Supported by Family _____

I have been accepted at the following school(s) _____

_____

The approximate cost of one year at the school I *will most likely attend* is: (School name & cost): _____

I can contribute from savings, work, etc., about (fill in amount) toward this year's cost. $ _____

My parents can contribute about (fill in amount) toward this year's cost. $ _____

I have already received about (fill in amount) in scholarships and financial aid toward this year's cost. Please list the schools._____ $ _____

Please attach a letter explaining in your own words why you wish to continue your education and why you are applying for this 2026-2027 Leo scholarship.

ACADEMIC

Class Rank _____ **Out of** _____ **GPA** _____

Please attach a current official transcript.

For the following section, please attach additional pages if necessary.

Extracurricular activities in which you have participated: _____

Offices you have held while in high school: _____

Community service you have performed while in high school (**include Leo activities**):

Work experience while in high school: _____

Please submit two letters of recommendation on the forms provided, one from someone familiar with your academic achievements (teacher, administrator, counselor) and one from someone who knows you from a supervisory position (employer, coach, Scout leader, etc.).

To the best of my knowledge, all the information in this application is accurate. **Application must be physically signed by each individual listed (written in pen on the appropriate signature line).**

Applicant's signature _____

Parent's signature _____

Leo Advisor's signature _____

OHIO LIONS LEO 2026-2027

SCHOLARSHIP RECOMMENDATION

Name _____ Position _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Signature _____ Date _____

Applicant Name _____

Please state your connection to the student, how long you have known him/her, your appraisal of his/her character and likelihood of success in school, and any other information you feel the committee should know.

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