

THE LIONS CLUB OF DAMASCUS

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MICHAEL J. THORNETT UNIQUE ACHIEVEMENT SCHOLARSHIP SCHOLARSHIP TO RECOGNIZE UNIQUE ACHIEVEMENT BY A DAMASCUS OR CLARKSBURG HIGH CLUSTER GRADUATING SENIOR 2026

The Damascus Lions Club is offering scholarships to graduating seniors from Damascus or Clarksburg High School Cluster who have actively demonstrated an attempt to overcome a unique challenge during their high school years. These students are ones who stand up to the challenges presented to them. These are for students who are planning to enroll in a junior college or a technical/vocational school after high school.

The scholarship will cover the expenses of books and/or necessary equipment required for continuing their education up to \$1,500. The \$1,500 scholarships for 2026 will be presented at the schools Awards Ceremony and at the Damascus Lions Youth Night.

To be considered for the scholarship, the student must submit an essay entitled

“My Journey”

explaining what your response to a particularly difficult hardship that has been presented to you and how that struggle has brought you to where you are today. How has this experience shaped your ideas about your future academic and vocational plans?

Please limit your essay to a maximum of 500 words.

Please mail your essay to: Damascus Lions Foundation, Inc.
Attn: Scholarship Committee
P O Box 267
Damascus, MD 20872

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Essays are due on or before April 10, 2026. Essays received after April 10, 2026 will not be accepted.

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DAMASCUS LIONS FOUNDATION

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SCHOLARSHIP**

STUDENT INFORMATION

Date _____

Name _____

Address _____

Phone Numbers _____

Email _____

SCHOOL INFORMATION

Name of High School _____ Telephone No. _____

Address _____

HIGHER EDUCATION INFORMATION

Community College or Trade School you plan to attend.

Career objective/proposed course of study _____

Signature of Student

Date