

Cobb EMC Foundation Technical Scholarship Criteria

1. The recipient's primary residence must be the household of a Cobb EMC member.
2. The scholarship funds will be paid to the scholarship recipient.
3. The scholarship fund will provide \$5,000 for each scholarship winner's educational expenses.
4. The scholarship may be used at any accredited technical college.
5. A combination of academic ability, character qualities, and community involvement will be used on a weighted scale in determining scholarship fund winners.
6. Cobb EMC's Foundation Board will oversee and administer the scholarship funding.
7. Scholarship winners must notify the Cobb EMC Coordinator of their acceptance of the award and the name of the school they will attend by June 1st, or they will forfeit the scholarship.
8. Scholarship finalists will be invited to and must attend a formal interview process.
9. Scholarship applicants will be notified that their application has been received.
10. A scholarship committee will select the winners by the end of May.
11. The 2027 scholarship winners will be announced on the Cobb EMC corporate website.
12. Cobb EMC employees and their children **are not** eligible for this scholarship.
13. Cobb EMC Directors and their children **are not** eligible for this scholarship.
14. Applications must be **postmarked** no later than **February 26, 2027**.

Cobb EMC Foundation 2027 Technical College Scholarship Application

Name: _____

Cobb EMC Account #: _____

Home Address: _____

Phone No. (Include Area Code): _____

E-Mail Address: _____

Parent/Guardian Name 1: _____ Phone No: _____

Parent/Guardian Name 2: _____ Phone No: _____

Please include/attach the following items along with your application:

A. Acceptance letter or other evidence to confirm admission or current attendance of a Technical College. If not yet accepted, then the information will be required at the time the scholarship is awarded.

B. Essay (**Maximum 800 words**) – Please answer the following four questions in one combined essay.
1. What is the best advice you have received, who gave it to you, and did you follow it? 2. What role has a certain activity (sports, band, theater, etc.) played in your life? 3. Describe a time when you made a positive impact on your community. 4. Tell us about your future goals and career plans. Include your name on the top right-hand corner of the essay. AI tools are not permitted for essay development.

C. High school transcript or GED Certificate (Unofficial or official).

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D. Provide one letter of recommendation (LOR), **teachers and relatives excluded**, to explain why you should be considered a scholarship recipient. LOR Examples: Professional, Community Leader, etc. Please enclose the LOR with your application. Do not include a photo or resume with your application.

- ☐ I promise that the information reported on this application is correct to the best of my knowledge. Furthermore, I understand this scholarship application will be shared in its entirety with the Cobb EMC Foundation Scholarship Selection Committee.
- ☐ I promise that AI tools were not used to produce my Foundation Scholarship application essay.

Applicant's Signature

Date

Membership in organizations: (Attachments permitted)

Offices held in organizations: (Attachments permitted)

Honors and recognition received: (Attachments permitted)

Participation in extracurricular activities: (Attachments permitted)

Technical College or Vocational which you plan to attend: _____

Date you will begin attending _____ **OR**

Status in college/vocational school: ☐ freshman ☐ sophomore ☐ junior ☐ senior/other

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Submit completed applications to: Email: CobbEMCFoundationScholarship@cobbemc.com

Cobb EMC

Attn: Mark Justice

1000 EMC Parkway

Marietta, GA 30060

Fax: (678) 355-3026

The scholarship application deadline is **Friday, February 26, 2027**.
Mailed applications must be postmarked no later than **Friday, February 26, 2027**.