

Adults with Autism Scholarship—2015

Every year, Autism Delaware sets aside funds to award scholarships to eligible adults with autism spectrum disorder (ASD) who want to pursue a post-secondary education. Scholarships are given for \$1,000 each.

All applications are reviewed by a committee of Autism Delaware board members and staff. The scholarships will be presented at the Autism Delaware Awards Dinner.

Deadline for application: February 15, 2015

Who is eligible?

Any student with ASD¹ who

- completed high school or earned a GED and possesses the capacity to complete a post-secondary program
- has been accepted into a post-secondary program (such as college, university, community college, trade school, or vocational training or educational program)

How do I apply?

A complete application for the adults with autism scholarship includes the following:

- cover letter describing why you are pursuing post-secondary education and your plans for employment once you complete the program
- current résumé
- transcript or other documentation that indicates graduation from high school or completion of GED
- explanation of your support system and how it ensures the successful completion of a post-secondary program
- evidence that you have ASD
- letter of recommendation from your school program or comparable program
- letter of support from a teacher, guidance counselor, or other school official that verifies your skill and ability to succeed in post-secondary education

Submit completed applications with all necessary materials via email to Autism Delaware executive director Teresa Avery at teresa.avery@delautism.org.

For more information

Call (302) 224-6020. Or visit autismdelaware.org.

1 Please note that immediate family members of Autism Delaware staff and board members are not eligible for scholarship awards.