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WELCOME TO

Open Doors Scholarship Application

THE ESSENCE OF THE Y

With a commitment to nurturing the potential of kids, promoting, healthy living and fostering a sense of social responsibility, the Mansfield YMCA ensures that every individual has access to essentials needed to learn, grown and thrive.

EVERYONE IS WELCOME

The YMCA welcomes all who wish to participate and believes that no one should be denied access based on their ability to pay. Through the Open Doors Scholarship Program, the Mansfield YMCA provides assistance to youth, adults and families based on individual needs and circumstances.

COMMITTED TO OUR COMMUNITY

Determining assistance amounts is handled by the Welcome Center Manager to ensure that each scholarship is allocated in a fair and consistent manner. Every YMCA member receives the same membership benefits, regardless of whether or not they receive a scholarship. YMCA members can feel confident knowing they are a part of an organization that cares greatly for the well-being of all people, and is committed to youth development, healthy living, and social responsibility.

An Open Doors Scholarship reduces the membership fee; it does not eliminate it.

A non-refundable **\$10 processing fee** is due in order to process the scholarship application.

All Open Door Scholarships are granted on a six month basis.

The YMCA requests that individuals and families reapply every six months, with updated documentation.

Membership fees are subject to change when you reapply.

If you do not reapply at the time requested, your membership will expire.

Please contact the Membership Coordinator at 419-522-3511 x265 if you have any questions.



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Apply for an Open Doors Scholarship in 5 easy steps!

PLEASE PRINT. MUST ATTACH A PROOF OF INCOME AND RESIDENCY FOR DEPENDENTS.

1 APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name	DOB	
Address		
City	State	Zip
Phone		
Email		
Emergency Name & Phone		
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2 ALL PERSONS LIVING IN THE HOUSEHOLD
Please list those in the household you want on the membership

Parent/Guardian/Adult	DOB	M or F
Parent/Guardian/Adult	DOB	M or F
Child	DOB	M or F
Child	DOB	M or F
Child	DOB	M or F
Other dependents	DOB	M or F
Other dependents	DOB	M or F

3 APPLYING FOR
Select with check mark:

M	<input type="checkbox"/>	INDIVIDUAL
	<input type="checkbox"/>	HOUSEHOLD
P	<input type="checkbox"/>	CHILD CARE
	<input type="checkbox"/>	YOUTH SPORTS
	<input type="checkbox"/>	SWIM LESSONS
	<input type="checkbox"/>	ADULT LEAGUE
	<input type="checkbox"/>	WELLNESS

4 TO QUALIFY FOR SCHOLARSHIP, PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS SHOWING MOST RECENT 30 DAYS OF INCOME OR ASSISTANCE
SCHOLARSHIP WILL NOT BE AWARDED IF THE PORTION BELOW IS INCOMPLETE.
Find support documents you may need by going to Ohio Department of Job & Family Services.

Annual household income from tax return (AGI): \$ _____

Current Income

Employment pay stubs _____ /mo X 12 mos = _____

Unemployment benefits _____ /mo X 12 mos = _____

Child support received _____ /mo X 12 mos = _____

Social Security _____ /mo X 12 mos = _____

Federal or State Aid _____ /mo X 12 mos = _____

Retirement/Pension _____ /mo X 12 mos = _____

Housing Asst/ Food Stamps _____ /mo X 12 mos = _____

TOTAL ANNUAL HOUSEHOLD INCOME \$ _____

Ethnicity: Please mark one

- Asian
- African-American
- Hispanic
- Latino
- Caucasian
- Other

5 THIS APPLICATION MUST BE RENEWED EVERY 6 MONTHS!

I certify that the above information is true and complete to the best of my knowledge, and that I do not have additional income not represented above. I agree, if necessary, to send additional information and documentation to support the above statements. I understand that sponsorship assistance is based on need. In the event that I or my children must cancel our participation, or if my income increases, I will contact my YMCA Membership Coordinator immediately so sponsorship can be provided to others. I understand that if I falsify any of the above information, I will not be eligible for assistance now and/or in the future. I agree to pay a non-refundable \$10 application fee upon submitting the application and other paperwork.

Signature of person completing this form

Date



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**Are you renewing your Open Doors Scholarship application?
Please take the time to complete the testimonial below.**

Please share with us how participating in the Open Doors Scholarship Program has impacted you and your family.

Has it changed you and your Family? In what way and how?

Name _____ Age _____ Phone # _____



MANSFIELD YMCA RULES & CODE OF CONDUCT

It is the intent of the Mansfield YMCA to provide a safe and friendly environment for all members, volunteers, and staff. We strive to have our members and staff exemplify an attitude of caring, honesty, respect and responsibility. Please join us as we strive to strengthen the foundations of this community by supporting youth development, promoting healthy living and committing to our social responsibility.

- Please present your membership card up entry to the facility.
- All persons using the facility or grounds are expected to follow all YMCA policies and procedures and to conduct themselves appropriately. Physical or verbal abuse, sexual innuendo or display, or offensive behavior of any kind is unacceptable and will not be tolerated.
- It is illegal to carry a firearm, deadly weapon, or dangerous ordnance anywhere on YMCA property.
- The YMCA is a smoke, drug and alcohol free facility. This also includes its grounds. The possession or sale of any drugs or drug paraphernalia will lead to prosecution to the fullest extent of the law.
- Children ages 9 and under are to be supervised at all times by a parent or responsible adult (16 years or older), unless participating in a staff supervised program.
- Persons responsible for any loss or damage to YMCA or that of its members, volunteers or staff will be held personally and financially liable.
- Please wear proper gym, swim and workout attire. No jeans, cut-off shirts or shirts that show midriff are allowed in the Wellness area. No cotton material is allowed to be worn in the pool or spa.
- Please store your personal belongings in a locked locker (bring your own lock). We also rent lockers for \$6/month. The YMCA is not responsible for any items stolen from facility grounds.
- Please do not leave your locks on the lockers in the locker rooms. Items must be removed daily.
- YMCA staff has the right to determine if any conduct or language is inconsistent with the mission of the YMCA and to act accordingly.
- Failure to follow the above Rules & Code of Conduct will be considered in violation of the "Member Behavior Code" and may result in permanent or temporary suspension of membership privileges.
- The protection of members, volunteers and guests who are participating in programs or are using YMCA facilities is the paramount concern to the Board & Staff of the Mansfield YMCA. The YMCA regularly reviews sex offender registries and denies access and/or membership to any person the YMCA learns is a registered sex offender.

WAIVER

In consideration of gaining membership or being allowed to participate in the activities and programs of the YMCA and to use its facilities, equipment, and machinery in addition to the payment of any fee or charge, I do hereby waive, release, and forever discharge the YMCA and its officers, agents, employees, representatives, executors, and all others from any and all responsibilities or liability for injuries or damages resulting from my participation in any activities or my use of equipment or machinery in the above mentioned facilities or arising out of my participation in any activities at said facility. I do also hereby release all of those mentioned and any others acting upon their behalf from any responsibility or liability for any injury or damage to myself, including those caused by the negligent act or omission of any those mentioned or others, acting on their behalf or in any way arising out of or connected with my participation in any activities of the YMCA or the use of any equipment at the YMCA. I agree to adhere to all policies set by the YMCA as written in the YMCA Membership Handbook. I understand that the YMCA is not responsible for personal property lost, damaged, or stolen while members and / or program participants are using YMCA facilities, on YMCA premises, or involved in YMCA programs. I give my permission to the YMCA to use without limitation or obligation, photographs, film footage, or tape recordings which may include my or my children's image or voice for the purposes of promotion or interpreting YMCA programs.

The YMCA conducts regular sex offender screenings on all members, participants, and guests. If a sex offender match occurs, the YMCA reserves the right to cancel membership, end program participation, and remove visitation access.

I have read the YMCA's Rules & Code of Conduct and agree to abide by them.

Print Name

Signature

Date