



McNair Scholars Program Application – 2018-2019

I. APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name _____
Last First Middle

Current Address _____
City State Zip

Permanent Address _____
City State Zip

Local/Cell Phone (_____) _____ Permanent Phone (_____) _____

OLLU ID _____ Classification _____ Graduation date _____

Current Cum. GPA _____ Total credits completed as of today _____

Major(s) and Minor(s) _____

Permanent Email Address (not OLLU) _____

Place of Birth _____ Date of Birth _____ Gender _____

Citizenship (check one): US Citizen Permanent Resident Other _____

How do you identify your race/ethnicity? (Check all that apply)

- American Indian or Alaska Native Asian
 Black or African-American Mexican-American, Hispanic or Latino
 Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander White
 Other: _____

II. FAMILY INFORMATION

Parent or Guardian's Name _____
Last First Middle

Highest Grade Completed (circle one) 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12

Degree(s) earned (check all that apply) Associate's Bachelor's Master's Doctorate

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Language(s) Spoken at Home: _____

III. FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Are you currently eligible to receive financial aid? Yes* No

**Attach a copy of your OLLU financial aid letter (FAFSA).*

With regard to financial aid, are you considered independent? Yes No

If Independent:

What is your household size? (include yourself, spouse and/or dependents) _____

Did you file a federal income tax return last year? Yes* No

If yes, what was your taxable income? _____

Include a photocopy of your 2016 federal income tax return.

If Dependent:

What is your parents' /guardians' household size? (include yourself, your parents/guardians, spouse and/or dependents) _____

Did your parents/guardians file a federal income tax return last year? Yes * No

If yes, what was their taxable income? _____

** Include a photocopy of your parents'/guardians' most recent federal income tax return.*

IV. EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION

- A. Are you a transfer student to OLLU? Yes No
- B. Have you earned college credits at another institution? Yes No
- C. If your answer to A or B is yes, please list the names of ALL colleges and universities attended starting with the most recent.

School name	GPA	Enrollment	
		From (month/year)	To (month/year)
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Enclose official transcripts from all colleges and universities attended including OLLU. You may arrange for transcripts to be sent to the McNair Program office directly. Contact information is located at the end of this form.

Are you an OLLU Scholar athlete? Yes No
Are you a U.S. Military Veteran? Yes No
Have you ever been dismissed or subject to academic probation from a college, university or other program? Yes* No

*If yes, please describe some of the details below:

In which academic enrichment programs are you participating or have you participated?

When do you anticipate applying to graduate school? _____

Highest degree objective planned (check only one box)

Uncertain Master's Degree Ph.D. Other _____

What is your proposed field of graduate study? _____

Prior research experience is not required for participation in the McNair Scholars Program. However, if you have research experience in a university setting, briefly describe what you accomplished and include the names of professors with whom you worked:

V. PERSONAL ESSAY

Attach an essay of no more than two pages, typed and double-spaced, incorporating your honest response to the following questions:

- ▶ Explain why you should be selected for participation in the OLLU McNair Scholars program and what you expect to gain from this opportunity.
- ▶ Share a personal example that highlights your commitment and persistence to academic endeavors.
- ▶ Describe/Discuss your reasons for preparing for graduate study, your tentative plans for research, and your career objectives. Additionally, identify the contributions you wish to make to your chosen field of study as well as to your community.

VI. SCHOLAR SIGNATURE

I, _____, hereby grant permission to the officials of the Our Lady of the Lake University McNair Scholars Program to obtain any and all academic records including college transcripts, college acceptance letters, college financial aid/scholarship records, current grades and/or academic progress reports. I also give permission for the program staff members to request similar information from this and future institutions for follow-up purposes, as required by the United States Department of Education, after my enrollment in the program has ended.

Additionally, by signing this form, I certify that all of the information in this application packet is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Applicant's Name (print): _____

Applicant's Signature: _____

Applicant's OLLUSA ID # _____

⚙ **Please return McNair Application to:**

The McNair Scholars Program -- Our Lady of the Lake University
411 S.W. 24th Street
San Antonio, Texas 78207
Moye Lower Level, Room 022A

Phone: (210) 528-7173 OR (210) 431 5546
Fax: (210) 432-4463 <http://www.ollusa.edu/mcnair>

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Applicants are Selected for Interviews on a Continuing/Rolling Basis - Students are Encouraged to Apply Early





McNair Scholars Program Application Checklist

- Completed Application
- Personal Essay
- One Letter of Recommendation
- Unofficial Transcripts
- Parent/Guardian's Most Recent Federal Income Tax Return
- Financial Aid Award Letter