

# CHOOSE OHIO FIRST SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM AT YOUNGSTOWN STATE UNIVERSITY

## SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FOR INCOMING FRESHMEN 2018

### APPLICANT INFORMATION (please type or print legibly):

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_  
State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_ First Generation College Student \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

Name of Parent or Guardian (if under 18) \_\_\_\_\_

Intended STEM Major (list of eligible majors on page 2): \_\_\_\_\_

HIGH SCHOOL (*preference is given to partner school applicants, but all students are encouraged to apply*):

Did you participate in COFSP Alg. II to Pre-Calc/Calculus Summer Bridge Program? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

### APPLICANT ELIGIBILITY

- Incoming STEM Major at YSU (see page 2 for eligible majors)
- Ohio Resident
- Readiness for pre-calculus or calculus based upon chosen major (see page 2)

### APPLICATION MATERIALS:

- Statement of Interest (short paragraph explaining your interest in STEM and how this program can benefit you). *If applying for the actuarial award, please also answer: Why are you interested in becoming an actuary? What steps are you taking to enter the actuarial profession? Have you participated in or had a leadership role in any actuarial or math clubs?*
- Two Teacher Recommendations commenting on your commitment to STEM and readiness for college
- Copy of Current HS Transcript (please include currently enrolled courses)

### *Applicants are encouraged to have:*

- Completed the YSU Undergraduate Admission Application
- Submitted their most recent ACT or SAT scores to YSU
- Completed the FAFSA
- Completed the YSU Foundation Scholarship Application (on-line via the YSU Financial Aid website)

Signature of Student \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Principal \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

Please mail all materials **IN ONE ENVELOPE**, postmarked no later than **February 1<sup>st</sup>** to:

Choose  Ohio First

COFSP: Scholarship Application  
Youngstown State University  
Moser Hall 2290  
One University Plaza  
Youngstown, OH 44555

YOUNGSTOWN STATE UNIVERSITY  
 **stem**  
College of  
Science, Technology,  
Engineering & Mathematics

To be eligible for the Choose Ohio First Scholarship, you must have one of the following STEM or STEM Education Majors and must have the appropriate math placement (based on ACT, SAT, or YSU Placement test):

Major	Required Math Placement*
<b><i>SCIENCE, MATH, and EDUCATION</i></b>	
Biochemistry	Pre-Calculus
Chemistry (including pre-pharm, pre-med, etc)	Pre-Calculus
Geology	Pre-Calculus
Physics	Calculus
Physics and Astronomy	Calculus
Biology (including pre-med, pre-vet, etc)	Pre-Calculus
Environmental Studies	Pre-Calculus
Mathematics	Calculus
Integrated Mathematics Education	Calculus
Integrated Science Education (any track)	Calculus
<b><i>COMPUTERS</i></b>	
Computer Information Systems	Pre-Calculus
Computer Science	Calculus
Information Technology	Pre-Calculus
<b><i>ENGINEERING</i></b>	
Civil Engineering	Calculus
Industrial Systems Engineering	Calculus
Chemical Engineering	Calculus
Electrical and Computer Engineering	Calculus
Manufacturing Engineering	Calculus
Mechanical Engineering	Calculus
<b><i>ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY</i></b>	
Electrical Engineering Technology	Pre-Calculus
Civil and Construction Engineering Technology	Pre-Calculus
Mechanical Engineering Technology	Pre-Calculus

\*A pre-calculus placement is equivalent to a 25 ACT Math score or 570 SAT Math score.

A calculus placement is equivalent to a 27 ACT Math score or a 620 SAT Math score.

Students may also demonstrate math readiness by taking the YSU placement test or by receiving college credit for these courses through AP, College Credit Plus, or post-secondary enrollment programs.

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