



THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY AIRPORT  
&  
THE INTERNATIONAL AIRLINE SYMPOSIUM  
Aviation Explorer Post 2009 Scholarship

**Objective:**

To support students preparing to enroll in The Ohio State University Aviation Program.

**Description:**

Three (3) scholarships worth \$3,000; \$1,500; and \$500.

**Application Criteria:**

To be eligible for a scholarship, the student must:



Be an active member of Aviation Explorer Post 2009 and have completed the Career Achievement Award requirements.



Have applied to The Ohio State University with the intent of enrolling in the aviation program



Maintain an overall grade point average of at least 3.0 on a 4.0 scale during their senior year in high school



Complete and return the attached application and submit two (2) letters of recommendation

## Selection Process and Calendar:

The Ohio State University Airport will release scholarship information January 1<sup>st</sup> for the coming collegiate academic year. Application packets will be available from The Ohio State University Airport Business Office and from the OSU Airport website ([www.osuairport.org](http://www.osuairport.org)). All applicants must submit their application to the airport by the application deadline. The Ohio State University Airport outreach staff will then review/interview applicants. Three (3) recipients will be selected, along with two (2) alternates. The recipients will be announced in July.

The scholarship money will be deposited into each recipient's account with The Ohio State University beginning fall semester. Each semester, \$500 of the awarded scholarship will be deposited into the recipient's account. If a recipient leaves the University or the aviation major before all of their scholarship has been awarded, any remaining scholarship money will be forfeited.

If one or more applicants opt not to attend The Ohio State University or do not enroll as an aviation major/pre-major in the College of Engineering or the Fisher College of Business, that scholarship and all subsequent scholarships will be given to the next recipient and/or alternate. For example, if the \$3,000 award recipient becomes ineligible for the scholarship, the \$1,500 award winner will have their award changed to \$3,000, and so on until all awards have been given.

Key dates in the application process are as follows:

Scholarship Information Released	January 1, 2012
Application Deadline	March 31, 2012
Application Reviews	April 2012
Applicant Interviews	May 15 - 30, 2012
Announcement of Recipient(s)	July 2012
First Transfer to Students' Accounts	September 2012

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Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ e-mail \_\_\_\_\_

GPA \_\_\_\_\_ Applied to Ohio State:      Y      N

Please answer the following completely (use additional sheets if necessary)

1. Explain your interest in aviation, your reasons for wanting to become an aviation professional, and your career goals.

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2. What particular qualities and characteristics do you feel you bring to the aviation industry that would be of special interest to the selection committee?

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3. What is/has been your involvement in your community or in other service organizations?

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4. What honors, awards, or other recognitions have you received during your high school years?

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5. Besides aviation, what other interests do you have?

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6. Describe your expected source(s) of financial support and to what end(s) this scholarship will assist you to meet your goals.

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\*Two letters of recommendation are required. One letter should be from a staff member at your school (teacher, counselor, etc.). No more than two (2) letters please.

**Deadline: March 31, 2012**  
**The Ohio State University Airport**

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Signature of Applicant

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Date