## **National Scholarship Program**

Scouting America's aim is to ensure that every eligible Scout who is interested in attending the 2026 National Jamboree can do so, regardless of financial background. While Scouts are encouraged to fundraise as much as they reasonably can, some Scouts will need additional financial support to cover Jamboree costs. National scholarships will be available to supplement other financial support programs.

National scholarships may be available for Scouts BSA youth. National scholarships are not available for adult leaders or staff members.

Scholarships will only cover a portion of the national Jamboree registration fee and cannot be applied to the Miami Valley Council's Jamboree fee. Full scholarships will only be given in the most extraordinary cases; most scholarships will total less than half the national fee (up to \$780 of the \$1,560 fee).

Applications must be completed online via the National Jamboree website by one of the two deadlines (see below). A committee will review the applications and determine scholarship amounts for each applicant. Recipients and their councils will be notified of the results of their application: either approved for a certain amount, not approved, or waitlisted to be considered in the second round.

The first-round deadline to apply is <u>July 31, 2025</u>, with those applicants being notified of their results in early Fall 2025. The second (final) round deadline is <u>November 30</u>, <u>2025</u>, with those applicants being notified by mid-Winter.

Click **HERE** to apply for a National scholarship.