



## 2026 Alumni Scholarship Application

The Blanche Sims Elementary PTO is pleased to offer a \$500 Scholarship to 1 former student who meets the following criteria:

- Must be a senior at Lake Orion High School
- Must have a minimum 2.5 GPA
- Must have attended Blanche Sims Elementary
- Must be continuing his or her education at the collegiate or vocational level in 2026-2027 (proof of college, jr. college, or vocational training acceptance required before award is granted)

Your completed application packet for the scholarship should include:

- LOHS Transcript
- Two letters of recommendation; 1 must be academic
- A list of your school and community activities, service/volunteer activities, and work experience
- A memorable experience from Blanche Sims, including the year it occurred
- Your future plans and goals after graduation from high school
- An essay, **maximum one page, double spaced 12 font Times New Roman** on the following topic:

“Recall an experience from your own life and explain how it has influenced your college and career plans.”

**NOTE: Application deadline is April 15, 2026. Please email completed application packet to [president@blanchesimspto.org](mailto:president@blanchesimspto.org) with the subject line “Blanche Sims Alumni Scholarship Application”.**

A representative from Blanche Sims Elementary will present the scholarship to the winner at the LOHS Awards Night at the end of the school year, if possible. If in-person presentation is not possible, the winner will be contacted via email.