



OLD TOWN MIDDLE SCHOOL PTO “LINDY PERRY” SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Application deadline: Thursday, March 20, 2025 at 2:00 pm. Return via email to the 2025 OTMS PTO Scholarship contact: otmslindyperryscholarship@gmail.com

All students who meet these scholarship requirements are invited to apply.

- Applicant must have attended OTMS 6th, 7th, and 8th grades.
- Applicant must have a GPA of 2.5 or higher.
- Applicant must write an essay in response to this prompt:
What impact did your Old Town experience have on your future goals, aspirations, or outlook?
- Applicant must be a member of Ridgeland High School Class of 2025. ■
Applicant must attach his/her resume and essay response to this application

FOLLOW ALL INSTRUCTIONS COMPLETELY. Judging is anonymous. Therefore your name and personal information may be on this application and the **first page only** of your attached resume. Do not put your name on the essay portion. Not following instructions completely will result in your disqualification by the OTMS PTO.

Section I. Information to be supplied by the applicant (please print or type).

Full Name _____
(First, middle, last)

Male _____ Female _____ Date of Birth _____ Full name of parent or guardian

_____ Permanent address of parent or

guardian _____ Student or parent phone number

Which college do you plan to attend?

What will be your major area of college study?

Section II. Applicants please write an essay of 250 to 300+ words. Attach the essay to your application. Do not put your name or personal information on your essay.

Essay Prompt: *What impact did your Old Town Middle School experience have on your goals, aspirations or outlook?*

Possible suggestions: the essay could be about the impact something (life event, school activity) or someone (friend, teacher, coach etc.) at OTMS had on you.

The applicant herewith consents that the scholarship selection committee be fully informed as to the applicant's scholastic standing, character, and other factors having a bearing on this application.

_____ **Signature of Applicant**
Date

After the applicant has completed this portion of this application, e-mail the application and resume to your counselor for completion of Section III. Students should submit completed applications, including essay, resume and this document, to the OTMS PTO Scholarship Chair no later than March 20, 2025 at 2:00 p.m.

Section III. Information to be provided by your school counselor

Being mindful of COVID-19 and out of an abundance of caution, we realize school counselors will not be able to sign. Therefore, counselors may email their responses to the OTMS PTO Scholarship Chair, at otmslindyperryscholarship@gmail.com

Counselors, please certify the following in your email:

- o The applicant ranks _____ in a class of _____ seniors and has a grade point average of 75 or above.
- o The applicant will graduate in the RHS Class of 2025.
- o The applicant has taken a college entrance examination under a statewide testing program and is eligible for entrance into a college and/or university.