

Purpose

The Timothy Project (TIMP) provides scholarship funds to qualified students who are actively engaged in ministry while attending Criswell College in order to prepare them for vocational church or missionary ministry.

Timothy Project Scholarship Awarding Process (TIMP)

The College's scholarship committee awards funds annually July 1-June 30 to cover 75% of the following:

- Tuition and fees for courses within the declared program major (Summer tuition and fees not covered)
- Mission practicum or study abroad travel
- Rent for Criswell Student Housing (Summer housing not covered)

Candidate Qualifications

- Must complete Free Application for Federal Student Aid and Criswell Supplemental Financial Aid Application
- Maintain Full-time enrollment (12+ hours for undergraduate students/ 9+ hours for graduate students)
- Maintain minimum cumulative GPA (2.75 or above for undergraduate/ 3.0 or above for graduate)
- Current participation in a church ministry position
- Intent to pursue full-time church ministry or missionary endeavor upon program completion
- Provide confirmation of church ministry on church letterhead signed and dated by a church official
- TIMP Application and Requirements Acknowledgment
- Statement of 3-5 specific goals you will pursue if awarded TIMP
- Provide statement of lessons you learned if you previously received TIMP (Previous Recipients Only)
- Apply or re-apply for TIMP scholarship annually
- Student must live in Criswell College dormitory

Responsibilities of Scholarship Recipients

- Maintain all requirements of TIMP agreement
- Maintain a Christian testimony
- Meet with the Bakers or their representatives on an annual basis at the school sponsored luncheon
- Must attend Timothy Project Mentor Orientation regarding the maintenance of the scholarship
- Must be actively engaged in a church ministry
- Participate in mentorship program
 - a. Student must select his/her own mentor and provide the Financial Aid Office with mentor's name, position, and contact information on or before the orientation.
 - b. Student must meet with mentor at least one time each month.
- Student must submit TIMP recipient mentor report by the 15th of each month of the academic year

Responsibilities of Criswell College

- Award funds in compliance with the TIMP agreement.
- Retain the current doctrinal statement as stipulated under this agreement.
- The administration of the TIMP funds is reported to the WACF board and the Bakers annually.
- Review each recipient's GPA at the end of the fall semester and initiate contact regarding eligibility and the appeal process for those recipients not meeting the GPA requirement.
- Monitor recipient's adherence to mentor meeting and reporting requirement on a monthly basis and communicate to recipient, as needed, regarding any deficiency in this requirement.
- Provide a maintenance checklist to recipients at the time of orientation.



Timothy Project Scholarship Application Checklist

The checklist below is designed to assist you with the application process for the Timothy Project Scholarship. The documents listed below must all be submitted for an application to be considered complete. Incomplete applications are not reviewed and are automatically disqualified. The financial aid department is available to answer questions regarding the application process for Timothy Project via email at finaid@criswell.edu or 214.818.1393.

- Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)

- Criswell College Supplemental Financial Aid Application

- Completed Timothy Project Scholarship Application

- Confirmation of church ministry on church letterhead signed and dated by designated church official.

- Personal statement of intent to participate in full-time ministry and/or missionary endeavor or ministry upon completion of studies. (No more than 1 page)

- Essay explaining 3-5 Goals that the Timothy Project Scholarship will help you accomplish in the coming academic year. (No more than 1 page)



Timothy Project Scholarship Application

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____ M.I.: _____

Address: _____ City, State, Zip: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____ D.O.B.: _____

Gender: _____ Program of Study: _____ Expected Graduation Date: _____

Current Church Membership: _____

City/State: _____ Denomination: _____ Employed: _____ Hours per week: _____

Place of Employment: _____ Position: _____

Provide your reasons for applying for TIMP: _____

Please list your experience in church ministry: _____

Please list ministry plans upon graduation: _____

As a Timothy Project Scholarship applicant, I pledge myself to abide by all regulations of the faculty and administration. I will seek to protect the good name of the institution; to preserve and protect the heritage and hope of the College; to keep in monthly contact with my chosen mentor; and to make full reports of my fulfillments of the Timothy Project requirements.

Signature: _____

Date: _____