



2019-2020 OSBORN FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION AND APPLICATION

The Osborn Family Scholarship is a \$1000 scholarship award given out of gratitude for the many educational opportunities provided to the Osborn family, especially those provided through The Ohio State University. As many people their age, Jan, Marcie, Jed and Mary Osborn are first generation college graduates. Their parents grew up in an age when high school graduation was not expected since most work did not require those skills and many of their grandparents did not even receive formal education beyond the eighth grade. However, service learning has always been part of the family tradition. Active in their communities, the Osborn family has always recognized the need to create a learning environment. Recognition of the increased complexity of today's societal and educational needs has driven the founding of this scholarship.

Dr. Jan Osborn first attended Ohio State Lima in 1969 and graduated with a Bachelor's degree in 1972 while his wife Marcie graduated from Ohio State in 1977. Jan and Marcie have four sons: Christopher, Eric, Brent and Alex. Chris and his wife Erin are both two-time graduates of Ohio State earning both their Bachelor's and Master's degrees at the University. Eric graduated in 2007 with a degree in history. Brent finished his undergraduate degree at Ohio State Columbus in Summer 2009. Alex is a student at the University of Findlay where he also plays football.

Jed Osborn attended Ohio State Lima from Winter 1972 to Spring 1973 before pursuing degrees elsewhere. Jed and Mary have three daughters and a son: Kathrine, Jennifer, Abigail and Nathaniel. Kathy received her Bachelor's and Master's degrees and a Doctorate of Optometry from The Ohio State University. Kathy's husband, Andrew Lorenz, also received his Bachelor's degree from Ohio State and currently works for The Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center. Jenny received her Bachelor's degree from Ohio State where she currently works. Abby received her Bachelor's and Master's degrees in hospitality management from Ohio State and is currently employed at the University. Nathan received two Bachelor's degrees and an MBA from Ohio State.

The Osborn Family Scholarship will give special consideration to first generation scholars beginning their college careers at Ohio State Lima. The family wishes to also give preference to students graduating from a Putnam or Henry County high school as well as those with a background in community service and/or high school involvement. The award is for \$1000 for the first year of study at Ohio State Lima and is non-renewable.

SCHOLARSHIP DEADLINE: MARCH 15, 2019

Please submit the enclosed application form, a copy of your resume and your essay response to:

The Ohio State University at Lima
Office of Financial Aid
4240 Campus Drive, SSC 100C
Lima, OH 45804

lima-financial.aid@osu.edu (to submit as an attachment)

