Minister's Family Awards for full-time study are given to the dependent child or spouse of a United Methodist Minister, who is ordained, under appointment, retired or deceased. Participants must meet all of the standard requirements for admission to the University and must maintain a 2.000 overall cumulative grade point average in order to maintain eligibility. Participating students must be candidates for a baccalaureate degree or a graduate degree (students enrolled in the MLS program are not eligible) and must not have received a previous degree from Southern Methodist University.

**Graduate students must provide one of the following documents in order to demonstrate eligibility:**
*Dependant children: Submit the first page of your parent's current year tax return to demonstrate dependency status.
OR
*Spouses: Submit the first page of current year joint tax return to demonstrate marital status

**Undergraduate students** do not need to provide tax returns.

**This award is a $3,500 tuition credit each regular semester for a maximum of eight semesters of full-time undergraduate or graduate study, which must be completed within five consecutive calendar years.**

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*Applicant Information:*

**Student's Name:** _____

**SMU ID #:** _____

**Address:** _____
    **Street**

**Birth date:** _____

**Academic Program:** _____

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    **City**    **State**    **Zip**

**Student Classification:  Undergraduate  Graduate**
**(Please circle one)**

*Church Affiliation:*

**Church Name:** _____

**Address:** _____
    **Street**

**Annual Conference:** _____

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    **City**    **State**    **Zip**

**Student's Signature** _____

**Minister Parent's Signature & Date OR** _____

**Date** _____

**Minister Spouse's Signature & Date** _____

# CERTIFICATION OF PASTORAL APPOINTMENT

I hereby certify that _____, parent/spouse of the above

named applicant, is actively engaged in pastoral work, appointed to the position of _____

at _____ or that the parent/spouse is now superannuated or

deceased and was engaged in active pastoral work immediately prior to death or being superannuated.

_____          _____

Signature of District Superintendent or Bishop who supervises minister's appt.          Title

_____          _____

Address          Date