Missouri Creative Achievements in Problem Solving



(MO CAPS)

Sponsor of Odyssey of the Mind™ Program in Missouri

Dear 2025 MO CAPS Scholarship Applicant,

Congratulations on your decision to further your education. Your experiences and participation in

the Odyssey of the Mind Program will make a positive difference in your future endeavors.

The Linda Owen Memorial Scholarship award may be used for public or private colleges, universities and specialized schools. Linda’s family and friends started this scholarship to honor her memory and her participation in the program she loved so much. MO CAPS is honored to have been asked to implement this scholarship for Missouri OMers

**Only applications that are received via email by 11:59PM on January 31, 2025 will be considered.**

To be eligible you must be a full time undergraduate student in the fall of 2024 and have participated as a Missouri Odyssey of the Mind team member.

If you meet this requirement, please complete and email or mail the following:

**A. The completed Scholarship Application Form.**

**B. A letter of recommendation from an Odyssey of the Mind coach or fellow team member. This is limited to one page, typed double-spaced or hand-printed.**

**C. A response to all of the followingquestions.** Your responses may take any form, format or style you wish, but should be limited to no more than 350 written words or an electronic presentation lasting no more than 5 minutes for all three questions that must be able to be attached to your application email. (There will be several judges living all around the state who will need to be able to view your presentation)

1. **How has Odyssey of the Mind changed your life?**
2. **How will you continue to use what you have learned in the Odyssey of the Mind in your day-to- day life?**
3. **How will you give back to Odyssey of the Mind so others may benefit from the program?**

Return completed application and supporting materials to:

Email: [jerlynjones@yahoo.com](mailto:jerlynjones@yahoo.com) **and** [conniemarty265@gmail.com](mailto:conniemarty265@gmail.com)

The winner will be notified by the State Tournament.

Please accept my best wishes for success on the path in life you choose to follow as your

Odyssey continues….

Sincerely,

**Jerlyn and Marty**

Co-Association Directors

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**Scholarship Application Form**

Name:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Address:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Principal Name:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ HS Address:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Experience as an Odyssey of the Mind Team Member**

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**Individual or Team Awards Received**

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What Odyssey of the Mind involvement do you have outside of your experience as a team member?

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Where do you plan to complete your college undergraduate education?

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