



Scholarship Application

Eligibility:

- Student shall have at least a 67% cumulative completion rate
- Student shall have at least a 2.0 GPA to qualify
- Only one ATC Foundation scholarship awarded per student in a 12-month period
- Student shall have completed or be completing at least 9 credits in a degree, diploma or certificate program major at Anoka Technical College
- Student shall be enrolled in at least 9 credits for spring semester

Part-time (5 – 8 Credits) Scholarship Eligibility:

- Student shall have completed or be completing at least 6 credits
- Student shall be enrolled in 5-8 credits for spring semester

Determination:

The Foundation Awards Team will select the recipients of this scholarship except where noted otherwise.

How to Apply:

Complete this application and return it to your primary instructor. Your instructor will complete their recommendation and return it to the Anoka Technical College Foundation Office by the May 3, 2013 at 4:00 p.m.

Disbursement:

Scholarship awards can only be applied to future tuition and fees for courses taken at Anoka Technical College.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: May 3, 2013

Applicant's Name (please print) _____

Applicant Information (Print neatly or type)

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone number _____ Cell Phone Number _____

E-mail address _____

Social Security #/ Student ID # _____ **providing your SS # is voluntary. If you prefer, please Use your student ID number**

Name of high school you graduated from: _____

Are you a veteran of the United State Military _____ yes _____ no

Employed? ___yes___no If yes, hours worked per week? _____

If no, how long have you been unemployed? _____

Name of Company _____

Number of dependents (if any) _____

Program major _____ Expected graduation date _____

Have you received an ATC Foundation scholarship previously? Yes _____ No _____

If Yes, amount \$ _____ Date _____

Please indicate the number of credits enrolled in for the 2013-2014 Fall Semester: _____

APPLICANT’S CERTIFICATION AND PERMISSION TO RELEASE INFORMATION

- I hereby certify that all information submitted on this application is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand that submitting nonfactual information will automatically disqualify me from any consideration for a scholarship.
- By submitting this application I authorize Anoka Technical College to make information concerning my academic and financial aid record available to the Anoka Technical College Foundation.
- I hereby authorize the use of my name and image By Anoka Technical College and release all rights or claims in connection with any still or moving graphic image of my person and any quotation attributed to me for use by the college or the foundation for any purpose included, but not limited to publication dissemination, display or transmission in hard copy or electronic form including worldwide distribution by Internet usage for academic or marketing publicity purposes and whether or not such use results in financial gain to the user. **I also agree to thank the donor of this scholarship and attend the donor luncheon.**

Applicant’s signature: _____ **Date:** _____

NOTE: Awards will be announced 4-6 weeks after applications are due.

Essay Requirements - The Foundation's Awards Committee requests you address these topics in your essay:

- **Brief personal history including any significant events in your life that have influenced your personal growth and professional goals.**
- **What are your career goals?**
 - **Describe how your experience at Anoka Technical College is going to help you reach those goals.**
 - **When you accomplish your goals, how you will give back to your community?**
- **Describe your financial need and special obstacles and/or challenges you have faced. Explain how this scholarship will help you.**
- **What has been your most meaningful experience at Anoka Technical College?**

Primary Instructor Recommendation:

On a scale of one to three (three being the highest) please rank this particular student in the following areas based upon his/her performance in your program.

Attendance	1	2	3	KEY: 1 – needs work 2 – acceptable 3 – excels/ outstanding
Attitude	1	2	3	
Work habits/progress in class	1	2	3	
Class participation	1	2	3	
Assignment completion	1	2	3	
Comments regarding applicant:				

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Program Instructor Signature

Factors to be considered by the Awards Team:

- A. Scholastic Achievement:** (Represents 40 out of 100 points for selection).
The Anoka Technical College Foundation recognizes scholastic achievement as an important consideration.

- B. Financial Need and Special Circumstances:** (Represents 25 of the selection points)
The Anoka Technical College Foundation recognizes that the financial need and special circumstances can impact educational progress. Please fully explain your financial need and any special circumstances you may have.

- C. Education and Career:** (Represents 20 of the selection points) Planning and goal setting are important life skills. Please list your goals and fully explain how your education at Anoka Technical College is helping to achieve those goals.

- D. Recommendation:** (Represents 10 of the points for selection)
A positive recommendation from a student's primary instructor is very important in the selection process.

- E. Appearance of the Application:** (Represents 5 of the points for selection)
Pay attention to detail. Review your application for grammar, spelling, and punctuation. Students may work with staff in the college's writing lab for help with their essay.

For Office Use Only:

Financial Aid Eligibility: Pell _____
State _____
Loans _____
Funding Agency _____
SEOG _____

