

2020-2021
WCC Financial Aid General Scholarship

Golden LEAF Scholars Program, State Employee's Credit Union Foundation Two-Year Scholarship Program, Independent Insurance Agents of NC and NC Community College System (IIANC-NCCCS) and Wells Fargo Technical Scholarship Program

SCHOLARSHIPS APPLICATIONS SUBMITTED AFTER THE STATED DEADLINE WILL BE REVIEWED FOR THE FOLLOWING SEMESTER

INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE FORWARD TO THE SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE UNTIL ALL DOCUMENTS ARE COMPLETE

Deadlines:

Fall 2020: July 1

Spring 2021: December 13

Summer 2021: April 1

State Employee's Credit Union Foundation Two-Year Scholarship Program

To qualify for this scholarship, you must meet the following criteria:

1. Be a high school graduate or has completed the General Education Development (GED) program and enrolled in an associate degree program.
2. Be a U.S. citizen and a resident of NC under NCGS 116-143.1, and is eligible for in-state tuition.
3. Must demonstrate financial need. Completion of the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) is required.
4. Must maintain a 2.5 or higher grade point average on a 4.0 scale.
5. Must use scholarship to pay tuition and fees, books and supplies and transportation.
6. Agree to continue at the community college where enrolled at time of scholarship award for the duration of the scholarship, for four consecutive fall/spring semesters or upon completion of a diploma program. This scholarship is not transferable to another student or another school.
7. Must complete a Consent Form for the State Employee's Credit Union Foundation Two-Year Scholarship program. This will be sent if selected for the scholarship.
8. You may be asked to provide a photo that will not be returned to me.

Golden Leaf Scholars Program

To qualify for this scholarship, you must meet the following criteria:

1. Be a resident of North Carolina
2. Be a full-time student enrolled fall and spring; least half-time student enrolled summer
3. Demonstrate financial need (you must complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid).
4. You must be making satisfactory academic progress.
5. Use the scholarship to pay for tuition and fees, books and supplies, childcare, transportation and credentialing exams.
6. Must complete a Photograph and Publicity Release Form for the Golden Leaf Scholarship Program. This will be sent if selected for the scholarship.
7. You may be asked to provide a photo that will not be returned to me.

Wells Fargo Scholarship

To qualify for this scholarship, you must meet the following criteria:

1. Be a full-time student enrolled in the second year of a two-year educational/technical degree program.
2. Demonstrate financial need (you must complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid).
3. You must be making satisfactory academic progress.
4. Use the scholarship to pay for tuition and fees, books and supplies, and or transportation.

Independent Insurance Agents of NC and NC Community College System (IIANC-NCCCS)

To qualify for this scholarship, you must meet the following criteria:

1. Demonstrate financial need (you must complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid).
2. You must be making satisfactory academic progress.
3. Must at least taken one of the INS course of the Risk Management and Insurance Program.



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Instructions: Complete this application and return it to the Financial Aid Office. You may be eligible for \$250 - \$2500 per semester in scholarship assistance. **An incomplete application will not be considered.**

ABOUT YOU:

Name: _____ WCC ID: _____

WCC Email: _____ Alternate Email: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone Number: _____ NC County of residence: _____

Length of time in county: ___ less than 5 years ___ 5 or more years

EDUCATION:

High School attended: _____ Graduation date: _____

Program of study at WCC: _____ Expected graduation date: _____

Current GPA: _____

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES: (include hobbies, community service and volunteer events).

ESSAY QUESTION: Tell us a little more about yourself. On a separate sheet of paper, provide a minimum one-page typed essay stating why you have chosen the field of study, how this scholarship will help you achieve your educational goals and why you should be considered for this scholarship. Please include any contributions you have made to the community including hobbies, community service and volunteer events you have been involved in. **NOTE:** Please check your grammar and punctuation.

Consent: I hereby authorize Wayne Community College and the North Carolina Community College System to share my name and address with one another and to release my name and address to the Golden LEAF Scholars Program, State Employee's Credit Union Foundation Two-Year Scholarship Program, Independent Insurance Agents of NC and NC Community College System (IIANC-NCCCS) and Wells Fargo Technical Scholarship Program and the news media if I am awarded either of these scholarships.

I understand that the Federal Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 may prevent any disclosure of this information if I choose not to execute the release.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS FOR GOLDEN LEAF SCHOLARSHIP ONLY:

Have members of your immediate family worked for or owned a farming or agricultural related business now or in the past? YES NO

Have you or members of your immediate family been employed in traditional industries such as furniture or textiles?
 YES NO

Has anyone in your household lost their job in the past two years? YES NO

Has anyone in your household transitioned from a full-time job to a part-time job? YES NO

What will you use scholarship funds for? Tuition/fees Books/Supplies Childcare
 Transportation Credentialing exams