

CAREER WOMEN'S CLUB SCHOLARSHIP FUND
A FUND OF THE GULF COAST COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

SCHOLARSHIP ASSISTANCE TO ATTEND MGCCC

AMOUNT OF ANNUAL SCHOLARSHIP

- The scholarship will not exceed the cost of tuition, books and fees for two semesters at any campus of the MS Gulf Coast Community College.

ELIGIBILITY OF APPLICANT

- Scholarship is open to non-traditional students anticipating a career track curriculum. A "non-traditional student" is defined as someone who did not pursue further education immediately after high school.
- Applicant must attend any campus of MS Gulf Coast Community College and may be a current student at MGCCC in good standing.
- Applicant must have been a resident of Harrison, Hancock, Jackson, Stone or George Counties for at least three years.
- Applicant must provide evidence of financial need. "Financial Need" is determined by the total family income less ongoing and anticipated expenses.
- Recipients may apply for a second year.

RESPONSIBILITY OF RECIPIENT

- In order to receive second semester funding, recipient must provide a copy of their first semester transcript to the Gulf Coast Community Foundation.
- Recipient must maintain a minimum GPA of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale.

APPLICATION PROCESS

- Application forms are available in the Admissions Offices at all campuses of the MGCCC; or from the Gulf Coast Community Foundation, PO Box 2984, Gulfport, Mississippi 39505.
- Only COMPLETE applications will be considered.
- **All applications must be post marked no later than May 15, 2008.**

SELECTION PROCESS

- Applications will be reviewed by the Gulf Coast Community Foundation Grants Committee. Personal interviews may be required.
- Recipients are selected based on their qualifications, demonstrated financial need and career objectives. Awards are made according to available funds. All application information will be held in confidence.
- Awards will be disbursed directly to MGCCC in August.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT THIS SCHOLARSHIP OR YOUR ELIGIBILITY, PLEASE

CONTACT THE GULF COAST COMMUNITY FOUNDATION, (228) 897-4841

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
To Attend Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College
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PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

Name _____ Social Security _____

Address _____
 Street City State Zip

Currently attending MGCCC? Yes ___ No ___ Which Campus? _____

If not currently attending, have you been accepted? Yes _____ No _____

Campus _____ Field of Study _____

EDUCATION HISTORY:		POSSIBLE SCORE: 20 _____
SCHOOL/COLLEGE	DATES ATTENDED	DEGREE

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY:			POSSIBLE SCORE: 20 _____	
EMPLOYER	DATES	POSITION	SUPERVISOR	PHONE

OTHER INVOLVEMENT		POSSIBLE SCORE: 20 _____
ORGANIZATION	LEADERSHIP/POSITION	DATES

ALL INFORMATION IN THIS APPLICATION WILL BE HELD IN CONFIDENCE.

For Office Use Only: Applicant # _____ Total Score _____ Rating _____

FINANCIAL NEED INFORMATION:**POSSIBLE SCORE: 20 _____**

List ALL income (spouse, parents, job, welfare, etc.) and sources. Attach a copy of last year's Income Tax Return or current check stubs for verification.

Source	Monthly Amt.	Monthly rent/house pymt, utilities	Other monthly expenses.	Names of children or other dependents/age

Have you been awarded any other scholarships or grants? If yes, please list below.

Scholarship/Grant Name	Amount	Dates of Eligibility

Have you applied for any other scholarships? If yes, please list below.

Scholarship/Grant Name	Amount	Dates of Eligibility

Attach a brief **PERSONAL STATEMENT** including your career objectives, how furthering your education will help you achieve them, and why you feel you should be awarded this scholarship.

POSSIBLE SCORE: 20 _____

I CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE INFORMATION IS ACCURATE AND PRESENTS A TRUE DESCRIPTION OF MY GOALS AND FINANCIAL NEED, TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE.

 Applicant's Signature

Date

Required Attachments:

1. Transcripts from high school or previous college work.
2. Copy of the official financial aid evaluation, if available. (Submitted by MGCCC).
3. Personal Statement
4. Income tax return and/or check stub(s).

DEADLINE: All completed applications must be post marked no later than May 15, 2008 to the Gulf Coast Community Foundation, PO Box 2984 Gulfport Mississippi, 39505.