Tennessee College of Applied Technology
Access & Diversity Scholarship Application Jackson

Purpose:

- To promote underrepresented or non-traditional students in pursuing technical education and to support students in a training program where one gender comprises a small percentage of the individuals employed in that field of work.

Application Requirements:

- Completed Application
- Essay
- Complete a FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) and provide documentation required if chosen for verification

Award: Cannot exceed 100% of published cost of tuition/fees and books/supplies for the trimester. Award will be determined based on the outstanding balance after financial aid has been applied to the student's account.

Scholarship Duration: The TCAT Access and Diversity (A&D) Scholarship is a renewable scholarship. To remain eligible, the scholarship recipient must be meeting Satisfactory Academic Progress as established in the TCAT Jackson Student Handbook.

Application Deadline:

August 1 for Fall term (September)

December 1 for Spring term (January)

April 1 for Summer term (May)

The selection of the TCAT A & D Scholarship recipients will be based on the following criteria:

- TCAT Academic Record
- Financial Need
- Expressed Career Goal
- Character
- Leadership

The selection of the recipient shall be the responsibility of a committee designated by the Financial Aid Coordinator. All applications are confidential and the property of TCAT Jackson.

The amount of the scholarship will be used for payment toward tuition/fees and books/supplies. These funds will be handled by the TCAT Jackson business office. <u>No actual funds will be paid directly to the student.</u>

The scholarship recipient is required to attend school on a full-time basis (30 clock hours weekly). The recipient may participate in the cooperative education program if approved by the program instructor.

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Applicant Demographic Information:

Applicant Name _____Student ID #_____

Address _____

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Telephone _____ Date of Birth _____

National Origin _____ Race _____

Gender _____ Application Term _____

Program _____

School, Community, and/or Civic Activities _____

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Attach an essay (approximately 200 – 300 words) describing why you wish to pursue the career of your choice. Essay must be typed.

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I certify all the information given in the application is true and factual to the best of my knowledge.

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Applicant Signature   Date

Submit application and other required documents to the Financial Aid Office at:

TCAT Jackson
2468 Technology Center Drive
Jackson, Tennessee 38301
731-424-0691 Phone   731-424-0807 Fax
Email: finaid@tcatjackson.edu