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NON-TRADITIONAL STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

APPLICANT INFORMATION (PLEASE PRINT)

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Social Security Number: _____ Student ID#: _____

Permanent Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone Number: (_____) _____ Date of Birth: ____/____/____

STUDENT CERTIFICATION

I acknowledge that I have read the Non-Traditional Student Scholarship Policy below and I agree to abide by its guidelines.

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

NON-TRADITIONAL STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP POLICY (REVISED 11/21/ 2013)

The Administration of Copiah-Lincoln Community College wishes to provide financial assistance to non-traditional students who are not otherwise eligible for scholarship monies which are provided by the college to recent high school graduates. Non-traditional students for purposes of this policy shall be those students who meet the criteria as described below.

Criteria for Non-Traditional Student Scholarships

- a. Student must have reached his/her 24th birthday at the time of application.
- b. Student must never have attended another college before.
- c. Student must earn a grade point average (GPA) of 3.5 or higher on the **FIRST 12 Semester Credit Hours (SCH)** of Copiah-Lincoln Community College course work. (The 12 SCH may be completed over the course of several semesters.)
- d. Student must complete an application form in the Financial Aid Office during the registration period of the semester he/she expects to receive the scholarship. The scholarship will be awarded for the current semester if application has been made during the registration period. If application is made after the registration period, the scholarship will be awarded the upcoming semester.
- e. Once the 3.5 GPA requirement has been met, the student must maintain a cumulative GPA of 3.0 on all work attempted. If a student falls below a 3.0 GPA, the student will no longer be eligible for the scholarship. The student may reapply for the scholarship, but must reach the 3.5 GPA on all work since the original application to have the scholarship reinstated.
- f. The student will be eligible for the scholarship for the remainder of his/her college work at Co-Lin until a degree or certificate has been achieved or until the student has been out of school for one (1) calendar year.
- g. There is no requirement for full-time status to receive this scholarship; the scholarship will be applied to full time (FT) or part time (PT) tuition amounts charged against the student's account.
- h. The amount of this scholarship will be 1/2 of the tuition charged against the student's account for In-State students.
- i. Out-of-State students will be eligible for the 1/2 tuition scholarship; however, the scholarship applies to the In-State portion of the tuition only. An Out-of-State student will be responsible for the entire amount of the "Out-of-State" portion of tuition due the College.

Copiah-Lincoln Community College does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, sex, age, disability, pregnancy, sexual orientation, gender identity, veteran status, or other factors prohibited by law in any of its educational programs, activities, admissions, or employment practices.

Employees, students, applicants for admission or employment, or other participants in Copiah-Lincoln Community College programs or activities who believe they have questions, complaints, or requests regarding Title IX and discrimination are entitled to seek relief through the Compliance Officer, at 601-643-8411. Written inquiries may be e-mailed to: compliance@colin.edu or mailed to: Compliance Office, P.O. Box 649, 1001 Co-Lin Lane, Wesson, MS 39191.

Questions, complaints, or requests in regard to Section 504 directives should be made to: Wesson Section 504 Coordinator, Rae Brown, Henley Building, Lester R. Furr Dr., Wesson, MS 39191, (601) 643-8424; or Natchez Section 504 Coordinator, Rukiya Abston, Redd Watkins Career & Technical Building, 30 Campus Drive, Natchez, MS 39120, (601) 446-1225; or Simpson Section 504 Coordinator, Lauren Miller, Sidney Parker Academic Building, 151 Co-Lin Dr., Mendenhall, MS 39114, (601) 849-0121.

Questions, complaints, or requests in regard to ADA compliance or non-discrimination in employment practices should be made to the Human Resources Manager, Nicole Donald, Ewing Administration Building, 1001 Co-Lin Lane, Wesson, MS 39191, 601.643.8308.

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