

York Technical College Foundation Scholarship Application

Application must be typed or clearly printed with black ink.

1. **Academic Year** – Indicate the academic year for which you are applying _____

2. **Personal Data**

Name			Social Security Number	
Home Address		Marital Status		Date of Birth
City	State	Zip	County	Phone Number

3. **Academic Status:** Indicate your current academic status.

High School Senior
 YTC 1st Year
 YTC 2^{nd+} Year
 YTC 3+ Years
 Incoming Transfer
 No Previous College Attendance

4. **Education:** Academic Transcript(s) must be submitted with application.

High School Senior Applicants	YTC- Currently Enrolled Applicants	First Time College Enrollment/ Transfer Students
Have you been accepted for Admissions: (Y/N)	Current Program of Study	Have you been accepted for Admissions: (Y/N)
High School Attending	Anticipated YTC-Major during Scholarship Year	High School Graduation Date:
High School Information: GPA: _____ Scale (4.0 or 5.0) Based on _____ Class Rank _____ out of _____	Cumulative Collegiate GPA	List Prior College(s) Attended:
Applicable Test Scores: SAT _____ ACT _____	Expected Graduation Date	GPA at last College Attended:
Anticipated YTC-Major during Scholarship Year		Anticipated YTC-Major during Scholarship Year
All Applicants		
Educational Goals:		

5. **Extracurricula Activity:** Includes participation in student-organizations, school sponsored activities, civic organizations, church activities, honor and awards.

6. **Supplemental Information**

- a.) Will you receive funding from an employer, any branch of the Armed services, or other organization for tuition, fees and books/supplies? Yes No
- b.) What percentage of total tuition, fees and books/supplies will be paid? _____%
- c.) Will you complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)? Yes No
(Please note that consideration for need-based scholarships requires completion of the FAFSA)

(Complete reverse side)

7. **Financial Information:** You must complete this section to be considered for scholarships that review need. You are required to complete and submit the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) three weeks prior to the scholarship deadline. You may complete the FAFSA on-line at www.fafsa.ed.gov or obtain a paper application in the Financial Aid Office. Note: if you complete the FAFSA on the web you must sign and mail the signature page.

Date FAFSA submitted:	FAFSA expected family contribution (EFC#):
Are there any special circumstances that affect the applicants' need for financial assistance?	
Student Information <i>(include spouse if married)</i>	Parental Information (Dependent Students Only)
Last years total income:	Last year's total income:
Anticipated current year income:	Anticipated current year income:
How many people supported by this income?	How many people supported by this income?
Age of applicant's dependents <i>(if applicable)</i>	Age of applicant's siblings <i>(if applicable)</i>
Number of family members currently enrolled in College:	Number of family members currently enrolled in College:

8. Information and Certification

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- Completion of items 1 – 6 is mandatory. If the information requested does not apply, enter N/A. Completion of item 7 is optional. While a few YTC Foundation Scholarships are based on merit, many require the consideration of financial need in making award decisions. You may skip the financial information if you do not wish to be considered for need-based scholarships.
- Read the certification statement and sign the application.
- Submit two scholarship recommendation letters. At least one must be an Educational recommendation from a Teacher, Guidance Counselor, School Administrator, or Academic Advisor.
- Attach applicant statement addressing academic achievement, leadership qualities and financial conditions. No more than one single-side double-spaced typed 8 ½ by 11page.
- Attach appropriate academic transcript(s). (High School Transcript for High School Senior Applicants only.)
- Please note incomplete applications will not be accepted.** All of the above items must be mailed in one envelope or package postmarked on or before the deadline indicated. Mail to:

York Technical College Foundation Scholarship
Attention: Financial Aid Office
452 South Anderson Road
Rock Hill, SC 29730

CERTIFICATION

I certify that the information I have supplied is true and correct to the best of my knowledge, and I will abide by the conditions of the scholarship as stipulated by the donor and the York Technical College Foundation. I realize that if required documentation is not supplied, I may be deemed ineligible for the scholarship(s).

If I become a recipient of a Foundation Scholarship, I give permission in accordance with the Family Education Privacy Rights Act to allow York Technical College to provide the donor with biographical, financial and academic information during the scholarship award year. I will also provide a letter of gratitude within 30 days of scholarship notification.

Applicant's Signature _____ **Date** _____

Office Use Only	Date Received:	Transcript(s)	Ref1	Ref2	App. Statement
Program		GPA	FAFSA		EFC
Approved	Denied		Comments:		

Scholarship Process

Awarding

The York Technical College Scholarship Committee will review the application and make awards to those individuals who best meet the criteria.

1. Awards are based on availability of funds.
2. All scholarships are limited to tuition only unless otherwise specified.
3. In the event a student receives funding from another source that is earmarked for tuition and a YTC Foundation Scholarship for tuition, the YTC Foundation scholarship can be used for textbooks only not to exceed \$500 per term.
4. Scholarships are awarded per academic year unless otherwise specified. The funds are not transferable to terms of enrollment beyond the award year. In the event all awarded funds are not used during Fall/Spring semesters the remaining award can be used for summer semester.

Award Criteria and Monitoring

1. Read carefully the individual criteria for each scholarship.
2. Need is determined by reviewing the institutions cost of attendance (COA) and the expected family contribution (EFC) from the results of the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). For need based scholarships priority will be given to student with the most need.
 - Cost of Attendance (COA) - The amount it will cost a student to go to school- usually expressed as a yearly figure. COA includes tuition and fees; allowances for books, supplies, transportation and miscellaneous expenses.
 - Expected Family Contribution (EFC) – the amount a Family is expected to contribute towards a student's education.
 - $COA - EFC = \text{Need}$
3. Scholarship recipients will be monitored each term of enrollment (Fall/Spring/Summer) to ensure the student meets the eligibility criteria.
4. Failure to comply with scholarship criteria may result in the loss of the scholarship during the award year. Scholarship funds will be cancelled by the payment deadline of each term.

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Timelines

1. The application deadline for all scholarships is March 30.
2. Recipients will be notified of award by April 30.
3. All recipients must provide a letter of gratitude within 30 days of scholarship notification.