

Eligibility Requirements

The Achievement Scholarship is offered by the York Technical College Foundation to incoming high school students who have been accepted to York Technical College and will start in the fall semester. This scholarship will be awarded to one exceptional student from each of the high schools in the college's service area. The Scholarship Committee will review all applications and make awards based on the availability of funds to those individuals recommended by their high school representative and who best meet the following criteria:

1. Applicants must rank in the top 30 percent of their graduating class.
2. Demonstrate financial need for scholarship assistance.
3. Be recommended by a high school representative, such as an instructor, counselor or principal.
4. Submit current transcripts and a letter of recommendation to be completed by a high school representative.

All completed applications must be emailed for review to the York Technical College Foundation at: Foundation@yorktech.edu *Please ensure applications are completed in their entirety before sending.*

Applicants Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City/State: _____ County: _____

Home Telephone: _____ Work Telephone: _____

High School Attending: _____ Year Graduating: _____

List Scholastic Achievements (including Honor Roll, etc.):

GPA: _____ Class Rank: _____ Have you been awarded other scholarships? **YES** **NO**

If yes, please list each award:

What is your program of study? _____

What are your career plans?

Directions for Submitting Your Scholarship Application

Please complete the entire scholarship application form as clearly and concisely as possible. Be certain to submit any required supplemental information such as a letter of recommendation. Incomplete applications will result in students not being considered for scholarship opportunities. The York Technical College Scholarship Committee will review applications and make awards to those individuals who best meet the criteria. Scholarship awards are based on the availability of funds and all scholarships are limited to direct program costs unless otherwise specified. Read the criteria and instructions carefully and make certain you attach all required documents prior to submission. All York Technical College Foundation scholarship recipients must submit a letter of gratitude (minimum of 250 words) for the scholarship within ten (10) business days of scholarship award notification. Please address and submit your thank you note to the attention of the **York Technical College Foundation, 452 S. Anderson Rd, Rock Hill, SC 29730**.

The deadline for submitting applications is **April 12th at 11:59 p.m.** Award notifications will be made to applicants on or after May 8th. This application is valid only for incoming high school students who have been accepted to York Technical College and will begin their program in the fall semester.

Requirements for Awardees

1. The \$1,000 scholarship is to be used at the rate of \$500 per academic year for two years.
2. Persons receiving a scholarship should maintain a 3.0 GPA while in their program. If this is not maintained the student may not be eligible for any remaining funding.
3. Scholarship recipients must remain in their program of study and maintain full-time attendance
4. The scholarship funds can be used towards the purchase of tuition and/or books. The scholarship funds will not be directly disbursed to the recipient and any unused portion will revert back to the York Technical College Foundation.
5. If a scholarship recipient withdraws from the College, the remaining funds will be held for one semester.

Certification

I hereby certify that the information I have supplied is true and correct to the best of my knowledge, and I will abide by the scholarship conditions as stipulated by the York Technical College Foundation.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Letter of Recommendation Form

Applicants Name: _____

The above-named individual is applying for a scholarship with the York Technical College Foundation. In the space provided below, please share any details as to why this applicant should receive a scholarship award.

Please note: this form should be completed by a high school representative, principal, or guidance counselor

Recommended by (Signature): _____

Printed Name: _____ High School Name: _____

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

Please return this completed form to: foundation@yorktech.edu