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Greencastle-Antrim Senior High School  
Senior Guidance Counselors  
300 S. Ridge Avenue  
Greencastle PA 17225

Dear Senior Class Guidance Counselor:

The Hagerstown Community College Faculty/Foundation Scholarship for Academic Excellence will be awarded to six (6) Washington County high school seniors and one (1) at-large senior from another public or private high school in the tri-state area. These awards begin at the start of the Fall 2026 semester and will provide \$750 per semester for four consecutive semesters. Seniors of your high school who will be graduating with a GPA of 3.2 or better are eligible for consideration for this scholarship.

Enclosed are the guidelines and the scholarship application form. We are asking that you announce the availability of these scholarships and distribute forms to those seniors who meet the requirements and may be interested in applying for this award. The applications must be completed and returned to the college along with all other requested information by May 1, 2026. If you need additional forms or have questions, please feel free to duplicate any enclosed form or call Rich Campbell, 240-500-2545.

This information can also be found on the HCC website. Parents and students will find the scholarship guidelines and application form available to them. Please ask your students to follow link to the scholarship.

<https://www.hagerstowncc.edu/financial-aid/types-of-aid/scholarships/hcc>

Thank you for your assistance in providing this opportunity to your students.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Rich Campbell", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Rich Campbell  
Chairperson  
HCC Faculty/Foundation Scholarship for Academic Excellence

Enclosures:   Scholarship Form  
                  Scholarship Guidelines



## HCC Faculty/Foundation Scholarship for Academic Excellence 2026

The HCC Faculty/Foundation Scholarship for Academic Excellence Committee offers an academic excellence scholarship program for qualified graduates of area high schools. The committee awards these scholarships to the qualified scholar based on GPA, SAT scores and extracurricular activities among the applications received from each school. These awards provide \$750 per semester at Hagerstown Community College. Recipients who maintain satisfactory academic records at the College will be supported for four consecutive semesters of college for a total of \$3000. Students cannot receive financial aid at two schools during the same semester.

### Application Guidelines:

#### *Who may apply?*

Students from Washington County High schools, who will be graduating in May or June of the current year, who have a **GPA of 3.2 or better**, may apply. In addition, students from at-large schools who will complete high school with a GPA of 3.2 or better, may apply. The at-large schools are defined as private Washington County secondary schools, home-school students, and neighboring out-of-state secondary schools.

#### *When can you apply?*

Applications for this scholarship are due by May 1. Use the HCC Faculty/Foundation for Academic Excellence application form.

#### *How is the recipient chosen?*

The committee awards the scholarship to the **qualified scholars based on GPA, SAT scores and extracurricular activities** among the applications received from Washington County and at-large high schools. Several Washington County applicants and one at-large applicant will be selected.

### Guidelines of this scholarship:

1. Send a note of appreciation to the Hagerstown Community College Faculty/Foundation Scholarship for Academic Excellence Committee.
2. Attend the annual reception recognizing scholarship donors and their recipients to be held during the fall academic semester.
3. The scholarship is awarded in the amount of \$750 for four (4) consecutive semesters beginning with the fall academic year.
4. The scholar must maintain a 2.75 or above Q.P.A. for each of the four (4) semesters. If this average is not maintained, the committee reserves the right to withdraw the scholarship.
5. The scholar must maintain a full-time academic status of credit hours (minimum 12 credit hours per semester) for each of the four (4) semesters. Exceptions will be made if the student's program of study specifically involves registering for less than 12 credits during the semester.
6. The scholar may not be attending two different colleges or universities to maintain the status of this scholarship.
7. The Committee reserves the right to examine the scholar's academic records at any time while the scholarship is in effect.
8. In case of some emergency, the committee has the option to extend the scholarship time. The scholar must petition the committee by written communication stating the nature of the emergency and requesting an exception.



# HCC FACULTY/FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP FOR ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

## 2026 Application Form

The faculty and staff of Hagerstown Community College and HCC Foundation have established an academic excellence scholarship program for qualified graduates of area high schools. Applicants should be graduating in May or June of 2026. These awards provide \$750 per semester at Hagerstown Community College. Recipients who maintain satisfactory academic records at the College will be supported for four consecutive semesters of college study for a total of \$3000. Please completely fill in this application form.

Name of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_  
(Last) (First) (Middle)

Current Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

High School \_\_\_\_\_ High School GPA \_\_\_\_\_

Class Rank \_\_\_\_\_ out of \_\_\_\_\_

SAT Scores: Evidence-Based Reading & Writing \_\_\_\_\_ Math \_\_\_\_\_

Parents/Guardians \_\_\_\_\_

Parents/Guardians Address \_\_\_\_\_

Career Plans: (Indicate areas of interest.) \_\_\_\_\_

Academic Honors: (Please indicate if you are a candidate for an honor which has not been awarded.)

School, Civic, and Community Awards: \_\_\_\_\_

School Organizations and Extracurricular Activities: \_\_\_\_\_

## HCC FACULTY/FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP FOR ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

*Application Form*

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The applicant must arrange for an **official transcript** of the high school academic record to be sent to the address below. **The transcript and this scholarship application must reach the College by May 1, 2026.**

**Please note that the applicant must have taken the SAT and should be graduating in May or June of 2026 to be eligible for this scholarship.**

Scholarship decisions will be reached by May 31, 2026. Scholarships are awarded **based on GPA, SAT scores and extracurricular activities.** All applicants will be notified shortly thereafter.

**Send the scholarship application and transcript to:**

**Hagerstown Community College  
Faculty/Foundation Scholarship for Academic Excellence Committee  
c/o Rich Campbell  
11400 Robinwood Drive  
Hagerstown, MD 21742-6590**

**NOTE:** It should be understood that:

- If you have not previously applied to HCC, you must do so to qualify for this scholarship. The HCC Application for Admission is available from your guidance counselor, directly from the Hagerstown Community College Enrollment Services Office, or you can apply online at <http://www.hagerstowncc.edu> under “Admissions.”
- Any scholarships awarded are contingent upon the recipient's completion of high school work with a GPA of 3.2 or better.
- The HCC Faculty/Foundation Scholarship for Academic Excellence Committee will make the final determination in the awarding of scholarships. Should there be cases in which the data provided by this application are not sufficient for a decision, personal interviews may be required.