

# Eric and Lindsay Koskinen Scholarship Application

The Eric and Lindsay Koskinen Scholarship was created to provide one student each year with scholarship funds to meet costs associated with attending Passaic County Community College. The scholarship can be used to meet those costs not being met by State or Federal financial aid and can be applied to tuition, fees, books and/or other related expenses.

The Scholarship will be in the amount of \$3,500 per year and may be renewable.

## **Scholarship Criteria**

- ◆ Recipient must be a recent Paterson high school graduate registered to enroll full-time at PCCC.
- ◆ Recipient must have completed a rigorous academic program in high school.
- ◆ Earned a high school GPA of a 3.2 (4.0 scale) or better.
- ◆ Placed at or near college level in English and Math on the Accuplacer Placement Test.
- ◆ Intend to transfer to a four-year college or university *after* completion of an Associate Degree at PCCC.

## **To apply for this award, the student must:**

- ◆ Submit the scholarship application.
- ◆ Submit an official high school transcript.
- ◆ Submit statement of educational goals.
- ◆ Accuplacer Placement test results or SAT scores (if exempt from placement testing) must be on file at PCCC.
- ◆ Be registered as a full-time student (at least 12 credits at PCCC for the fall 2016 semester).
- ◆ Have completed financial aid process with a FAFSA on file at PCCC.

Completed Scholarship applications and supporting materials should be returned to Todd Sorber, PCCC Foundation, 1 College Boulevard, Paterson, New Jersey 07505-1179 or by email to [tsorber@pccc.edu](mailto:tsorber@pccc.edu)

To be considered you must submit your completed application no later than **August 1, 2016**.

Students are eligible to renew their scholarship for a second year on the following conditions:

Remain in good academic standing (3.0 GPA)

Maintain full-time enrollment at PCCC (12 credits)

Demonstrate progress toward their stated goal of transferring to a four-year college or university.

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For Academic Year 2016-2017

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ PCCC ID# \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip code: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

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

High School Attended: \_\_\_\_\_

Year of graduation: \_\_\_\_\_ GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

Intended major at PCCC: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you completed your financial aid application (FAFSA) :  yes  no

**Statement of Educational Goals** - On a separate sheet, please tell us about your educational goals and future plans. Please specifically address your plans to continue on to a four-year college or university and why you have decided to start your college career at PCCC.

## Permission to access your PCCC records. Please read and sign below:

As part of my application for the Eric and Lindsay Koskinen Scholarship, I authorize the Scholarship Committee to access and review my Placement test scores and/or SAT scores, financial aid award, and Fall 2016 course schedule for the purpose of scholarship consideration.

Student applicants signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## Application check list:

- Completed application form
- Official high school transcript
- Statement of Educational goals
- Filed for financial aid and completed verification if required.

If you need assistance please contact Mr. Todd Sorber at [tsorber@pccc.edu](mailto:tsorber@pccc.edu)

Please reply by no later than **August 1, 2016**

The recipient will be notified by mail, no later than August 15