

# Hocking College/JOMc Scholarship

## 2008-2009 Scholarship Guidelines and Important Information

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### Introduction/History

Hocking College is proud of its scholarship program, which endeavors to identify and assist talented, ambitious students who are likely to have successful careers as a result of a technical education. A variety of scholarship programs are administered by the Financial Aid Office, but for the most part awards are not based upon financial need.

The College is especially proud of its JOMc Academic and Foundation Scholarships. JOMc Scholarships awards are given annually to 25 first and second year students who are deemed most likely to succeed. Additionally, Foundation Scholarships are given to qualified first and second year scholars in each technology. Funds for these awards come from faculty and staff payroll deductions and fund-raisers. Private industries and organizations, lending institutions, foundations, private donations, and trusts also supply generous awards year after year.

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### Instructions

For your convenience, check off each item as it is completed.

- Ø 1. Applicant completes all parts of the Student Scholarship Application. Please print or type.
  - Ø 2. Applicant completes Parts A, B, and C on both Scholarship Recommendation Forms, selects recommenders (not relatives), and delivers forms.
  - Ø 3. Recommender completes form and submits it to the applicant.
  - Ø 4. The Scholarship Application and two Recommendation Forms must be submitted together, in one packet, to the Financial Aid Office.
  - Ø 5. All portions of the application must be received by February 29, 2008. Incomplete applications will not receive consideration. Please include completed Recommendation Forms with your Scholarship Application packet.
  - Ø 6. Mail completed forms to: The Scholarship Committee, Financial Aid Office, Hocking College, 3301 Hocking Parkway, Nelsonville, Ohio 45764-9704 **OR** fax completed forms to: 740-753-7085.
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### Timetable

- January 2008: Scholarship forms and materials to student applicants.
  - February 29, 2008: All scholarship materials must be postmarked or faxed by February 29 and mailed to the Financial Aid Office. Incomplete or late applications/materials will not be considered for scholarship funds.
  - April 30, 2008: Scholarship selections will be made. All applicants who have met the February 29 deadline, as outlined above, will be notified.
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### Suggestions for Additional Scholarship Sources

Hocking College department or technology of interest, Hocking College career services office

Guidance counselors and high school administrators, school or local libraries, newspapers

Employers (also parent's/spouse's employer)

Civic groups, churches/religious organizations, service organizations, political organizations

Labor unions or companies associated with your chosen technology

Internet/Web: We strongly suggest you use only FREE sites. There are many internet resources; a few of them are:

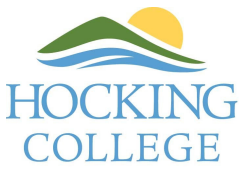
Fastweb: <http://www.fastweb.com>

College Quest: <http://www.collegequest.com>

Ohio Board of Regents: <http://www.regents.state.oh.us/sgs/index.html>

Embark: <http://www.embark.com>

FinAid: <http://www.finaid.org/>



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**2008-2009 Student Scholarship Application**  
Please postmark or fax by February 29, 2008

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_____	_____	_____	_____
Last Name	First Name	Middle Initial	Social Security Number
_____			_____
Permanent/Home Address			County and Township of Residence
_____	_____	_____	_____
City	State	Zip Code	Hocking College Technology
_____			_____
Email			Phone

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## New Hocking College Applicants

This section to be completed by new students applying for admission to Hocking College for the 2008-2009 academic year.

_____	_____	_____
Name of High School	High School Graduation Date	Current HS GPA
_____	_____	_____
College/University Attended (transfer students only)	Credits Earned	Current GPA

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## Current Hocking College Students

This section to be completed by students who have completed one or more quarters at Hocking College.

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Current Number of Credits Earned at Hocking	Current Hocking GPA

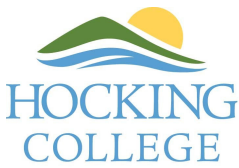
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## Discussion Questions

Please type or print clearly. Attach additional page(s) if necessary.

1. Please address these three questions in one 300-word essay. What long-range personal and professional goals have you set for yourself? What has motivated you to choose these goals? How will attending Hocking College help you accomplish these goals?
  
2. Think of situations in which you have demonstrated leadership. In a 300-word essay, describe one specific example of which you are most proud.

Submit the Scholarship Application and two Recommendation Forms by mail or fax **by February 29, 2008**.  
Mail to: Scholarship Committee, Financial Aid Office, Hocking College, 3301 Hocking Parkway, Nelsonville, Ohio 45764.  
Fax to: 740-753-7085.



# Hocking College/JOMc Scholarship

2008-2009 Recommendation Form

Please postmark or fax by February 29, 2008

## Instructions to the Student

Read and complete Parts A and B before passing form to recommender.\*

### Part A: Student Information

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student's Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Social Security Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Chosen Technology

### Part B: Student Release

Members of the Scholarship Committee, as part of the normal review process, will read your Scholarship Application and Recommendation Forms. In addition, the Financial Aid Office may be asked to assist private organizations in the selection of scholarship recipients. If it becomes necessary for the Financial Aid Office to share information about you with groups outside the college during a joint selection process, we will need your permission to do so by your signing the following statement:

I hereby give my permission to the Financial Aid Office to release all information I have provided on my application, my academic record, and possibly information from my financial aid application to non-college groups for the purpose of further consideration for scholarship assistance.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student's Signature

### \*Part C: Selecting Your Recommender

Please give one of these forms to each of two recommenders chosen by you. Students who have already completed at least one quarter at Hocking College are encouraged to use HC instructors or HC site coordinators as recommenders. Other applicants should choose recommenders who have recently served as teacher, employer, coach, counselor, etc. Do not use relatives.

## Instructions to the Recommender

The applicant named above has chosen you as one of only two individuals who will serve as a recommender for his/her scholarship application. If you don't know the applicant well enough to serve in this capacity or if you cannot complete this form by February 29, 2008, please notify the student immediately so another recommender may be chosen.

Hocking College scholarships are designed to recognize and assist talented students who have demonstrated ambition and who are likely to further succeed as a result of technical college training. Financial need, with few exceptions, is not a qualifying factor.

Complete Parts D, E, F, G, and H. Return the completed form to the applicant. The applicant should turn in the completed pieces to the Scholarship Committee by **February 29, 2008**.

### Part D: Your Relationship to the Applicant

Check all that apply and indicate approximate length of time.

Teacher/Instructor for \_\_\_\_\_ months/years

Principal for \_\_\_\_\_ months/years

Employer/Supervisor for \_\_\_\_\_ months/years

Coach/Advisor for \_\_\_\_\_ months/years

Guidance Counselor for \_\_\_\_\_ months/years

Other \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ months/years

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**Part E: Characteristics of the Applicant**

Circle the rating which best applies.

	Highest Rating				Lowest Rating
Dependability: (Completion of assigned duties)	5	4	3	2	1
Motivation for Success: (Drive/desire to finish what is started)	5	4	3	2	1
Attendance/Punctuality:	5	4	3	2	1
Ability to Set Priorities: (Plan and use time wisely)	5	4	3	2	1
Willingness to Work Beyond Ordinary Requirements:	5	4	3	2	1
Ability to Work Well With Others: (Could be considered a team player)	5	4	3	2	1
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Success in Chosen Field: (The probability of this student's success in his/her chosen technology and eventual career)	5	4	3	2	1

**Part F: Descriptors**

List several adjectives that describe the student applicant.

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**Part G: Comments/Explanations**

Please use this space for additional comments or information that might be helpful to the Scholarship Committee as it tries to get to know and assess this applicant.

**Part H: Recommender Information**

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Recommender's Printed Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Title/Position

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Recommender's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Street Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Telephone

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
 City

\_\_\_\_\_  
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