

ROBERT V. MARBLE-LINN STATE TECHNICAL COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP GUIDELINES

GENERAL DESCRIPTION

Sponsored by Gertrude Marshall of Columbia, MO, this endowed scholarship was established in 1992. Annually one scholarship in the amount of \$750 is available to individuals pursuing an Associate of Applied Science Degree or Certificate from Linn State Technical College. In addition to fulfilling scholarship criteria, consideration is based on availability of funds.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- A. Applicant must be rehabilitated through and released by Boonville Correctional Center.
- B. Applicant should meet admissions requirements of Linn State Technical College and the program in which they enroll.
- C. Applicant must be a high school graduate or have earned a GED.
- D. Applicant must receive recommendation of the Boonville Correctional Center education counselor.
- E. Applicant should be a citizen of the United States.

SELECTION AND AWARD OF SCHOLARSHIP

- A. Selection criteria. To be considered, applicants must forward a complete application packet by the scholarship application deadline. The criteria used to evaluate applications for award will be based equally upon the following:
 - Ability to communicate clearly defined personal goals through personal goal statement (on application).
 - Financial need.
- B. Selection Priority. This is a one time, annual scholarship awarded to full time students attending Linn State Technical College.
- C. Scholarship Award. The scholarship provides \$750, which is applied to recipient's account at Linn State Technical College in the fall semester upon the student's verified enrollment. The scholarship may be used for the cost of tuition, fees, books, tools, and/or other costs associated with a student's education.

APPLICATION PACKET

Deadline for application to assure consideration for the upcoming academic year is **February 15**. Please submit the following to be considered:

- Linn State Technical College Admissions Application.
- High school transcript or official GED score report.
- ACT scores to Linn State Technical College (LSTC ACT Code: 5105), or take the COMPASS Test at the LSTC main campus.
- Complete the online Scholarship Application (including personal goal statement and two character references) at www.linnstate.edu/admissions/scholarships/apply.php.
- Letter of recommendation from the Boonville Correctional Center education counselor.

EXPECTATIONS OF THE SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT

- A. Upon accepting the scholarship, the student agrees to remain enrolled on a full-time basis (minimum of 12 college credit hours), attend classes regularly, model appropriate behavior and maintain satisfactory academic standing (2.0 GPA or better).
- B. In the event the recipient does not fulfill the scholarship criteria, the recipient will forfeit the scholarship award.
- C. Release of Information. In submitting the application, the applicant grants authority for release of information contained in the application packet and to contact character references to Linn State Technical College, the Foundation for Linn State Technical College and the scholarship sponsor. This includes the right to promote and publicize the scholarship and recipient(s).
- D. If selected, the recipient agrees to participate in ceremonies hosted to honor scholarship winners and the recipient must send a thank-you letter to the scholarship sponsor. Thank you letters must be submitted to the Foundation Office at Linn State Technical College no later than one month after award is announced.

Submit application information to:
Linn State Technical College
Attn: Robert V. Marble Scholarship Committee
One Technology Drive
Linn, MO 65051