

LINCOLN TRAIL COLLEGE AWARD GED AWARD APPLICATION GUIDELINES

Application for the GED Lincoln Trail College Award should be made on the reverse of this page. This application must be received in the Learning Skills Center office at Lincoln Trail College, 11220 State HWY 1, Robinson, IL 62454. The scholarship provides a tuition waiver of \$1,000 per semester for Fall and Spring. Courses taken at other IECC institutions will not be covered. All award recipients are required to complete a fiscal application for Federal and State Financial Aid. This application must be processed by the deadline. Failure to meet this requirement will void your scholarship/waiver at LTC. Recipients must maintain a 2.5 cumulative GPA.

GED Scholarship Award

Lincoln Trail College is pleased to provide a tuition waiver for classes to be awarded to GED graduates who have completed classes in the LTC Adult Education program. The waiver will help cover tuition for approximately 12-13 credit hours of instruction per semester for Fall and Spring. The following requirements must also be met:

- Completed a Post-TABE test, following 40 hours of class attendance
- Attend the Annual Honors Night in April
- Completed a Transition Class (or have a waiver from the Director Learning Skills Center)
- Completed the COMPASS or ASSET Test
- Provided a written recommendation from either a GED instructor, your employer, your pastor, or a leader of an organization you belong to, this cannot be a family member.

Lincoln Trail College GED Scholarship Program

Student Responsibilities

Lincoln Trail College is pleased to provide a scholarship for college level classes at LTC to be awarded to recent GED graduates. The scholarship provides \$1,000 per semester, for two semesters for a total of \$2,000 for tuition. The scholarship monies will cover tuition for approximately 12-13 credit hours of instruction per semester. It is available to students who earned their GED in the Lincoln Trail College program.

In order to be eligible for this scholarship you are required to:

- _____ 1. Complete classes in the LTC Adult Education program.
Students must have attended class for at least 8 weeks within the fiscal year (July 1 to June 30).
- _____ 2. **Complete a Post-TABE test** following 40 hours of class attendance.
- _____ 3. **Pass the GED exam.**
- _____ 4. **Attend the Annual Honors Night in April**
- _____ 5. **Attend a Transition Class** to prepare you for college enrollment.
 - **Complete the ACCPLACER Test.**
 - **Complete a FAFSA** and the Financial Aid Application- in a timely manner. (Books are not covered by the scholarship. Federal Financial Aid can pay for that cost if you are eligible. If you are not eligible for Federal Financial Aid fill out an Improving Lives Scholarship. Your Transition Skills I teacher will show you how to complete both of these requirements.
- _____ 6. **Schedule an appointment with an advisor** to enroll in classes.
- _____ 7. **Complete the LTC GED Scholarship application.**

I understand and accept these responsibilities for eligibility for the GED Scholarship to attend Lincoln Trail College.

Student Signature

Learning Skills Center Director

Date