

Frontier Community College

2026-2027

Program Specific Application

Deadline: October 2nd, 2026



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Financial Aid at IECC
is to remove financial barriers
and provide access
to financial resources in
a fair, sensitive
and confidential manner,
while informing
and educating students
and their families
about their financial options.*

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name _____ Date of Birth _____ Student ID _____

Address _____
Street City State Zip

Contact Number _____ Email _____

Have you filed a 2026-27 FAFSA? ____ yes ____ no

To file, go to studentaid.gov and use Illinois Eastern Community Colleges school code 001742. Applicants must have a FAFSA on file in the Financial Aid office by the October 2nd, 2026 application deadline.

SCHOOL EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES/EMPLOYMENT/COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

List your involvement in organizations or activities including leadership, accomplishments, employment, etc. Use additional sheet if needed.

HONORS AND AWARDS (ACADEMIC/COMMUNITY/OTHER)

List school or community honors/awards/special recognitions you have received.

I certify that all information is correct and that if awarded a scholarship, Frontier Community College is hereby granted permission to release this information for publication for a period of one year from the date stated below. Also, my signature below gives permission for my high school to provide any academic information requested on this application form. I authorize Frontier Community College to provide information pertaining to my enrollment status, hours enrolled, grades, financial assistance, tuition and fees to the Frontier Community College Foundation.

APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE _____ **Date** _____

Recipients of any scholarships are required to meet and maintain the guidelines set forth in the award description. Award monies are disbursed per semester. If the criteria is not met, student will not receive the additional portion of the award in the following semester.

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APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS:

Please mark the scholarships for which you wish to apply (may apply for more than one). See scholarship guidelines for any additional material that may be required and submit with this application.

Return to: Frontier Community College, Financial Aid Office, 2 Frontier Drive, Fairfield, IL 62837.

Deadline to apply is October 2nd, 2026. Incomplete or late applications *will not* be considered.

SCHOLARSHIPS:

Bill Brower Educational Scholarship

Wayne White Counties Electric Cooperative Scholarship

Earl R. Pottorff Memorial Scholarship

Steve Rafferty Memorial Scholarship

Kathrine Feiger Young Memorial Literacy Scholarship

Laura Louise Rodatz Scholarship

Peggy Robbins Medical Technology Award

SCHOLARSHIPS DESCRIPTIONS and GUIDELINES

EDUCATION

- Bill Brower Educational Scholarship

A one year, \$500 cash scholarship. Recipient must be a full time student and reside in Wayne County. The student must be seeking a degree in education.

ELECTRICAL DISTRIBUTION SYSTEMS

- Wayne White Counties Electric Cooperative Scholarship

A one year scholarship amount TBD. Students who are receiving no other type of funding (*Federal Student Aid, third party pay source, etc*) will be considered first. Recipients must be enrolled in the Electrical Distribution Systems program and maintain a 2.0 GPA. Student must submit an essay of less than 500 words explaining why they chose the EDS program, how obtaining an EDS certificate will improve their life, their need for financial assistance, any mentors they may have, and any other information that the student feels would interest the selection committee. **A letter of recommendation is also required.**

- Earl R. Pottorff Memorial Scholarship

A one year, \$2000 cash scholarship. Student must be enrolled in the Electrical Distribution Systems program and maintain a 2.0 GPA. Student must submit an essay of less than 500 words explaining why they chose the EDS program, how obtaining an EDS certificate will improve their life, their need for financial assistance, any mentors they may have, and any other information that the student feels would interest the selection committee. **A letter of recommendation is also required.**

- Steve Rafferty Memorial Scholarship

A fall semester, \$250 cash scholarship. Student must be enrolled in the Electrical Distribution Systems program and maintain a 2.0 GPA. Student must submit an essay of less than 500 words explaining why they chose the EDS program, how obtaining an EDS certificate will improve their life, their need for financial assistance, any mentors they may have, and any other information that the student feels would interest the selection committee. **A letter of recommendation is also required.**

LITERACY

- Katherine Feiger Young Memorial Literacy Scholarship

A one year scholarship, up to \$750 per semester. No monetary award directly to student is made. Katherine Fieger Young was a lifelong learner who had a passion for knowledge and a will to succeed. She completed her degree as an adult, class by class, until she reached her goal. This scholarship, created in her honor, is designated to a nontraditional student. This student can be enrolled full or part time, but needs to be seeking a degree in a program of study. Applicants should complete the attached application as well as write a short essay on the subject of literacy, which was near to Mrs. Young's heart. In an attempt for the committee to know more about the applicants, the essay should be titled "Where I Would Be If I Could Not Read or Write". **The essay, completed application, one letter of recommendation and high school or college transcript is required.**

Medical Laboratory Technician

- Laura Louise Rodatz Scholarship

A one year scholarship, up to \$750 per semester for one First level student and one Second level student. No monetary award directly to student is made. Student must be enrolled in the Medical Laboratory Technician program. Applicants should complete the attached application as well as write a short essay on the subject as to why they have selected this career path. **The completed application and essay are required.**

- Peggy Robbins Medical Technology Award

A one year, \$500 scholarship for MLT students. Peggy Robbins served as a medical laboratory technologist for 46 of her 50 years in the medical industry as a technician and mentor to many MLT students. She was very passionate, knowledgeable and very particular about the work she did. Peggy taught her students to finish what they started and treat each case as if it's the most important work they would ever do throughout their career. **The completed application is required.**