

Highlighted Scholarships for CIT*

Scholarship	Concentration	Requirements
Thomas Denton Memorial Scholarship	Architectural Technology	Awarded to a student in the Architectural Technology Program. Must have a 3.0 cumulative GPA or higher. Must be enrolled full time. Preference given to non-traditional students who are 30 years of age or older
Zachery Russian Memorial Scholarship	Automotive Systems Technology	Awarded to a 2nd year PCC Automotive Systems Technology student.
Greenville New Car Dealers Endowed Scholarship	Automotive Systems Technology	Awarded to a student in the Automotive Systems Technology curriculum.
Ricks Automotive Scholarship	Automotive Systems Technology	Awarded to a full-time, second-year Automotive Systems Technology student.
Wells Fargo Automotive Scholarship	Automotive Systems Technology	Awarded to a student enrolled in the Automotive Systems Technology program.
Action Auto Endowed Scholarship	Automotive Systems Technology	Awarded to full-time students enrolled in Automotive Systems Technology.
Petty's Garage Scholarship	Automotive Systems Technology	Awarded to students enrolled in the Automotive Systems Technology program.
Hildria Franco Smithwick Memorial Scholarship	Automotive Systems Technology	Awarded to a full-time or part-time student enrolled in Automotive Systems Technology program.
Craig F. Goess Endowed Scholarship	Automotive Systems Technology	Awarded to an Automotive Systems Technology student who demonstrates a high level of automotive lab and classroom skills, has a GPA of 3.0 or higher & must maintain a GPA of at least a 2.5 while receiving the scholarship.
Bill & Jane Brown Endowed Scholarship	Automotive Systems Technology	Recipients must be 2nd year Automotive Technology students with a 3.0 GPA or higher and must provide at least (1) PCC instructor's recommendation. Part-time or full-time students qualify. Preference will go to students who reside in Pitt County.

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Dr. Edgar Boyd Endowed Scholarship	CIT Division	Recipients must be enrolled in a major in the Construction and Industrial Technology Division.
Van Nortwick Endowed Scholarship	CIT Division	Recipients must be full-time students enrolled in a vocational or technical program.
Vernon E. White Endowed Scholarship	CIT Division	Recipients will be selected on the basis of academic achievement, pursuing a vocational/technical career and a demonstrated financial need. Recipients must be Pitt County residents.
Kenneth R. and Phyllis P. Ross Endowed Scholarship	CIT Division	Recipients must be enrolled in the Construction and Industrial Technology Division. Preference to Pitt County residents.
Pitt County American Legion Agricultural Fair Endowed Scholarship	CIT Division	Recipients must be a Pitt County resident and be enrolled in a technical/vocational degree program.
Dr. Charles and Lorraine Russell Endowed Scholarship	CIT Division	Recipients must be full-time students enrolled in a technical program.
Gene Hemby Endowed Scholarship	CIT Division	Recipients must be enrolled in a technical program.
Pat Chenier Memorial Endowed Scholarship	CIT Division	Recipients may be a first or second year full-time student in a technical or vocational program.
Gary & Wendy Evans Endowed Scholarship	CIT Division	Recipients must be enrolled in a major in the Construction and Industrial Technology Division.
Trey Kuhn Memorial Scholarship	Construction Field	Recipients must be enrolled in a Building Construction Related program and must reside in one of the following counties: Pitt, Beaufort, Edgecombe, Martin, Greene
Professional Construction Estimators Association Endowed Scholarship	Building Construction Technology	Awarded to a full-time student in a construction program in preparation of a construction career.
Service Roofing Endowed Scholarship	Building Construction Technology	Recipients are selected based on interest in the building trades, financial need, and academic ability.
James Brooks Scholarship	Building Construction Technology	Awarded to students enrolled in a Building Construction program.

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National Association of Women in Construction (NAWIC)	Building Construction Technology	Awarded to students who are pursuing degrees in a construction program and careers in construction. Must have a 2.8 cumulative GPA or higher.
Jenkins Building Construction Technology Program Scholarship	Building Construction Technology	Recipients must be enrolled in the Building Construction Technology program, must have completed the first semester in the program including Carpentry 111, must demonstrate a passion for the BCT program and show initiative in their studies.
John Payne - Pitt County Electrical Contractors Endowed Scholarship	Electrical Systems Technology	Awarded to students in the Electrical Systems program who have demonstrated high academics and excellent practical skills.
Electronics Engineering Technology Scholarship	Electronics Engineering Technology	Must be a second year student enrolled in Electronics Engineering Technology Program. GPA must be 3.0 or higher.
Danny Williams HVAC Memorial Endowed Scholarship	Air Conditioning, Heating, and Refrigeration Technology	Awarded to students in the HVAC program.

Applying for Scholarships

The PCC Foundation offers scholarships to new, current and returning students. Applications are accepted annually between Feb. 1 and April 1 for scholarships that will be awarded in the following academic year.

Eligibility

Students must meet certain criteria and complete the following steps to apply for PCC Foundation scholarships:

- Apply for Pitt Community College admission.
- Complete a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) for the upcoming academic year prior to the April 1 deadline. Students must submit a FAFSA each year they apply for scholarships.
- Post a GPA of 2.5 or higher to qualify for PCC Foundation general scholarships. Other scholarships may require higher GPAs.
- Submit an online scholarship application by the deadline.

Application Process

PCC utilizes an online application portal to accept, process and review scholarship applications.

- **STEP ONE:** Visit the [Scholarship Portal](#).
- **STEP TWO:** Log into the portal with the username and password provided in your PCC acceptance letter.
- **STEP THREE:** Complete the general application. Answer all questions thoroughly and accurately. The system will use the information you provide to automatically match you with all scholarships for which you are eligible.

(NOTE: The system may invite you to apply for additional scholarships that require additional information or a separate application. Please read the qualifications for these additional scholarships in order to determine your eligibility for them.)

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More Details

Once the online scholarship application has been started, information can be saved as a draft and completed later. Please keep in mind that applications must be “submitted” to be reviewed. Applications left in “draft” mode are incomplete and will not be considered.

Students selected for scholarships will be notified by an email to their PCC student account. Recipients must accept their awards by logging into the scholarship portal and clicking “Accept.” Students can also decline scholarship awards if they so choose.

High school graduates will receive scholarship award notifications in mid-May, in time for school award ceremonies. Current, returning and transfer students will be notified during the summer (usually June and July), in time for completing fall enrollment plans.

Scholarships awarded by the PCC Foundation may only be used to attend Pitt Community College. They are not transferable to any other college, university or institution.

Scholarships awarded to students enrolled in degree programs cannot be used for continuing education, certificate, or diploma programs and vice versa.

Government-funded awards and specific scholarships, such as the N.C. Education Lottery and Golden LEAF scholarships, are awarded by PCC’s Financial Aid Department.

For additional scholarship information, contact the PCC Foundation Office at (252) 493-7902.