City Colleges of Chicago
Campus Bookstore Scholarship Application

The City Colleges of Chicago Campus Bookstore Scholarship is sponsored by the individual campus bookstores and can be used by scholars to purchase books and materials for college courses. Full- and part-time CCC students are welcome to apply.

**Amount:** $200 per semester for students taking 12 or more credits, $100 for students taking 6 – 11 credits and $50 per semester for those enrolled in fewer than 5 credit hours. Please note: Scholarships will be awarded based on the availability of funds, on a first come basis.

**Eligibility:** Students applying for the Campus Bookstore Scholarship must:

- Attend one of the City Colleges of Chicago (current student or registering for classes in the semester in which they are seeking the scholarship), and have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher (college or high school).
- Complete/submit a Campus Bookstore Scholarship application including the required essay.

**Deadline:** The deadline for Fall 2012 Semester is Monday, August 27, 2012 (12:00 noon).

**Submission:** For Fall Semester 2012, applications should be returned to the Director of Financial Aid at the applicant’s home campus. Applications should be placed in a sealed, clearly marked envelope with Campus Bookstore Scholarship Application/Name of Home Campus written on the front and delivered to the Financial Aid Office by the stated deadline.

**Section I**

**Biographical Information**

Name: ____________________________  (Last)  (First)  (Middle initial)

CCC Student ID: ____________________

Address:
________________________________________________________

City: ____________________________  State: ______  ZIP: ____________________________

E-mail addresses:
CCC: ____________________________  Other: ____________________________

Home Phone: ____________________________  Cell Phone: ____________________________

Date of Birth: ___/___/____  Gender: ___ Female  ___ Male

**Enrollment Plans**

☐ I am currently enrolled at CCC Campus: ____________________________

CCC cumulative GPA: ______  Credit hours completed at CCC: ______

☐ I intend to enroll at CCC Campus: ____________________________
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☐ I am currently a high school student. (High school students must include an academic transcript with their packet.)
In the next academic year, I plan to enroll in (check one):
☐ 12 or more credit hours ☐ 9 to 11 credit hours ☐ 6 to 8 credit hours ☐ 3 to 5 credit hours
Area of study you will most likely pursue at CCC:

________________________________________________________________________

Expected date of graduation from CCC: ________________________________

Section II
General Essay – Required
Attach a personal statement describing why you are seeking scholarship support. Your essay should tell about yourself and the life experiences that have shaped your decision to go to college. Spelling, grammar and essay organization count. Please address the following as applicable:
• Your commitment to academics, to your community and your involvement in campus activities;
• Your goals and ambitions and enthusiasm for your career field;
• Your financial need and how receiving a scholarship will impact you;
• How your life experiences have shaped your decision to go to college.

Scholarship essay formatting requirements:
Your essay should be submitted electronically as a pdf meeting these requirements or on 8 1/2” x 11” paper, no more than two pages long, double-spaced in 12 point font and with 1 inch margins.

Financial Aid Overview
Did you complete a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)? ☐ yes ☐ no
If yes, do you qualify for financial aid (Pell, MAP or work study?) ☐ yes ☐ no

Please list all other sources/amounts of educational financial assistance you will receive for the 2012-2013 academic year, including scholarship support from CCC (scholarships and employer assistance). If additional room is needed please attach a page to this application:

All of the information provided is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge at the time of this application. I have read and understand the eligibility requirements for the Campus Bookstore Scholarship.

Applicant’s signature: ___________________________________________________________
Date: ________________________________

☐ This application has been approved for a scholarship in the amount of $ __________.
☐ Scholarship denied: ____________________________________________________________________

Director of Financial Aid: ___________________________ Date: __________
Dean of Students: _________________________________ Date __________