Malcolm X College  
Cornerstone Retirees Scholarship

Purpose
The Cornerstone Retiree scholarship fund provides financial assistance to defray educational costs (including tuition, fees, books and other direct/indirect educational costs) to Malcolm X College students who demonstrate academic excellence. This scholarship will award at least one student $1000.00 during their Spring 2016 semester of enrollment.

CRITERIA

Continuing Students (Students with 12 or more credit hours completed at MXC)

· Completed application
· Cumulative GPA of 3.25 or better
· Typed essay identifying career goals
· Two (2) letters of recommendation from teachers, employers, ministers or community representatives

New Requirement beginning Academic Year 2013-2014

All applicants tentatively selected for the Cornerstone Scholarship must meet in person with the scholarship committee to be considered for selection in the final round.

Submitting the Application

Submit the application and supporting materials. The Financial Aid Office will accept applications until January 15, 2016. All recipients will be awarded during the Spring 2016 semester.

Malcolm X College
Financial Aid Office
Malcolm X College Scholarship Committee
1900 West Van Buren Street Chicago, IL 60612
(312) 850-7070
mxcscholarshipcommittee@ccc.edu

All awardees must maintain full-time enrollment status to remain eligible. If awardees fail to maintain full-time enrollment status, the award may be canceled. All awards must be used for the Academic period for which they are awarded.

The number and amount awarded is subject to the availability of funds and at the discretion of the scholarship committee.
Cornerstone Retirees Scholarship Application

This scholarship is provided to qualified Malcolm X College students only. Eligible awardees must maintain full-time enrollment status (see Selection Criteria for specific qualifications).

Completing the Application (please Print or Type)

Part I: Personal Data

Student ID #__________________________________

Name: ______________________________________________________________________________

(First) (Middle) (Last)

Address: ____________________________________________________________________________

City __________________________ State ______ Zip ________ County ________________

Home Phone # _____________________ Date of Birth __________________________ Gender ______

Ethnicity: □ African American □ American Indian or Alaskan Native □ Asian □ Hispanic

□ White □ Other (please indicate) _____________________________

U.S. Citizen? Yes____ No____ If Yes, indicate date of citizenship____________________________

If No, indicate country of citizenship__________________________________________________

Part II: Academic History

Name of Program currently enrolled ________________________________ Cumulative GPA ______

Degree Goal at MXC __________________________ Career Goal ____________________________
Application Check List/Other Instructions

Continuing Students

_______ Complete Application
_______ Typed Essay Identifying Career Goals
_______ Two Letters of Recommendation
_______ Copy of Student Academic History (can be access through student account at my.ccc.edu)

I certify that the information given on this application is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge. I understand that I am responsible for forwarding official transcripts and records from schools I have attended and that such transcripts become the property of the college and will not be returned to me. I understand that the incomplete application will not be considered.

Student Signature __________________________________________________ Date _________________
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Deadline January 15th 2016