

NANCY MCSWEENEY PINK SCHOLARSHIP

Description

The Nancy McSweeney Pink Scholarship shall be distributed per academic year to a deserving full time freshman. The scholarship was founded by Brenda Gael McSweeney, PhD., who served as the College's 2007 Commencement Speaker. The scholarship is named in honor of her sister, Nancy, an educator whose own college education began in a two-year private college comparable to Lackawanna College. Recognizing the importance of accessibility and affordability that private, two-year colleges provide, Dr. McSweeney created this scholarship as a tribute to the positive impact that Nancy's alma mater provided in her undergraduate education. The scholarship is a stipend to be used for educational costs at the student's discretion, such as books, computer equipment or supplies.

Criteria

Scholarship is awarded annually to an applicant that is either an international students or a first generation United States citizen. The student recipient must enter Lackawanna College as a freshman and in good academic standing.

Award

The McSweeney Pink Scholarship awards will be awarded in an amount up to \$500 at the beginning of the first semester of freshman year. As the fund value increases, additional monetary rewards may be given at the discretion of the Director of Admissions.

Application Procedure

Student must submit the application to the Lackawanna College Admissions Office along with required materials by the application deadline. Selected students will be notified shortly after the deadline.

Deadline

Application deadline for this scholarship is **April 30th**.

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PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name _____ Social Security # _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone (____) _____ Mobile Phone (____) _____

Email address _____

ACADEMIC INFORMATION

High School _____ Graduation Date _____

Current/Final Class Rank _____ Intended Major _____

Current/Final GPA _____ SAT/ACT scores _____

List any honors, awards, or community service activities:

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- Must be an incoming freshman student applying for full time status.
- Preference will be given to students applying with International background or first generation United States citizen.
- Two hundred word essay on the importance of receiving this scholarship.
- Submit a copy of official high school transcripts and SAT/ACT SCORES.
- Student must maintain full-time enrollment status to be eligible.
- Student must complete 24 credits with a 2.5 GPA during first academic year to be eligible for second year.
- **Scholarship Application Deadline is April 30th.**

I give Lackawanna College permission to use information from my academic records and financial aid application during the review of my eligibility for any scholarship. I understand that additional information may be requested from me in order to properly complete the scholarship application.

Signature _____ **Date** _____