



Essence Supplemental Scholarship

2019-2020 Scholarship Application

Print Name: _____ HCC Student ID#: _____

The Essence Supplemental Scholarship is in addition to any tuition discount that you may already be eligible for during 2019-2020. Students must submit this application each semester. This scholarship (funded by the Maryland Part-Time Grant) is to provide additional assistance to dually enrolled Maryland High School students. You may be required to submit additional documentation to the HCC Student Financial Aid Office once you have completed the 2019-2020 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). Students must demonstrate **financial need**.

Students must meet all eligibility requirements. Please check the box after completing the requirement.

- I completed the HCC ESSENCE Program (Early College) Application.
- I completed the 2019-2020 FAFSA (based on 2017 tax info) online at <https://studentaid.ed.gov/sa/fafsa>. HCC's school code is 002074.
- I provided my Social Security Number on the HCC admissions application or provided a copy of my social security card to the HCC Admissions Office in order for the college to download the FAFSA information.
- I am a dually enrolled high school student during 2019-2020. Home School students and students receiving Free and Reduced Meals are not eligible for this additional scholarship.
- I am enrolled between 6-11 credits, which are part of my degree program. Students taking 12 or more credits during one semester or less than 6 credits are not eligible). Please see the HCC website at www.hagerstowncc.edu/financial-aid for other scholarship opportunities.
- My parents (for dependent students) and I are residents of Maryland.
- I am a degree-seeking student. For course and degree program questions, please contact the Admissions Office at 240-500-2238 or admissions@hagerstowncc.edu.
- MHEC Drug Free Pledge:** I pledge, as a condition of receiving student financial assistance, to remain drug free for the full term of the award. Unlawful use of drugs and alcohol may endanger my enrollment in a Maryland college as well as my Maryland financial aid award.

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Student Responsibilities

- I understand I am responsible for any tuition, fees, or book charges not covered by this scholarship.
- I understand I must submit all additional paperwork requested by the HCC Financial Aid Office.

I hereby certify that all information I have submitted is correct and I meet all of the requirements listed in the eligibility section of this application. If granted the scholarship, I agree to the conditions established for this scholarship award. I understand that this scholarship award is contingent upon the amount of funding available. Incomplete applications will not be considered and an award can be withheld if I am not following all of the requirements such as attending class and being actively enrolled on the college's census date. **Please return this application to the member of the HCC Admissions Office who helped you register for classes.**

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

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SAP ___ Credits ___ Home School ___ FARM ___ Essence ___ Sel Serv ___
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