



Essence Supplemental Scholarship

2022-2023 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 2022-2023. 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. Students may be required to submit additional documentation to the HCC Student Financial Aid Office once you have completed the 2022-2023 FAFSA. Students must demonstrate **financial need** based on the FAFSA and enrollment status.

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 2022-2023 FAFSA (based on 2020 tax info) online at studentaid.gov. 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 process the FAFSA.
- I am a dually enrolled high school student during 2022-2023. 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. Eligibility amount based on active enrollment. Students enrolled in 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 additional scholarship opportunities.
- My parent/s (for dependent students) and I are residents of Maryland.
- I am a degree-seeking student. For course and degree program questions, please contact the HCC 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. If selected, I understand the terms and conditions of Maryland state awards and will remain drug free for the full term of the 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 available funding. 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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UNeed	____	Residency (student and parent)	____	Degree	____	Ver	____	Pledge	____
SAP	____	Credits	____	Home School	____	FARM	____	Essence	____
Staff Initial	____	Approve/Deny	____	Date	____	Amount	____		____