



## 2009-2010 Scholarship Application

THIS FORM MAY BE DUPLICATED

Name of Scholarship – A separate application form and packet needs to be submitted for each scholarship.

### Applicant Information

First Name \_\_\_\_\_ MI \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Century College Student ID# \_\_\_\_\_ Social Security # \_\_\_\_\_  
Required Optional

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Work ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

**Optional:**

Gender  
 Male  
 Female

Ethnic Background  
 Black  
 Asian  
 White  
 Hispanic

Am Ind/Alask  
 Hawaii/Pac  
 Unknown

I hereby certify that all information provided in my application packet is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. Furthermore, I give permission for members of the Century College Foundation and Scholarship Committees to review any and all information submitted with my application which may include access to my Century College files and transcripts. I understand that receipt of a scholarship is provisional upon my attending Century College during both fall and spring semesters of the 2009-2010 academic year. If I am selected as a recipient, I authorize Century College and the Century College Foundation to publicize my name, city, state and name of scholarship awarded on its website and in newspapers of its choice. I also agree to attend the Scholarship Awards Banquet in the fall of 2009 and authorize the use of any pictures and videos from the event to be used for publicity purposes.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE NOTE:** If you are selected to receive a scholarship, you will be expected to attend the Scholarship Awards Banquet in the fall of 2009. In many cases the donor/sponsor of the scholarship will be at the ceremony to meet you. Your presence is important. If you are unable to attend, you must have a valid excuse; and you will be encouraged to send a representative in your place.

Notification will be sent **ONLY** to those students who were awarded a scholarship. If you do not receive notification by July 10, 2009, you were not selected to receive a scholarship this year. You are encouraged, however, to reapply during the next scholarship application period. Please do not call. Refer to the Century College Foundation website for a list of the 2009-2010 scholarship recipients.

**Application Deadline – Monday, April 13, 2009**

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## **Scholarship Guidelines**

- Scholarships listed in this brochure are awarded according to the availability of funds.
- More than one award may be available for some scholarships.
- All recipients must be in good academic standing.
- Each student is eligible to receive only one scholarship but may apply for several.
- Students may reapply each year for scholarships even if they were previous recipients.
- Credits referred to in the scholarship criteria refer to credits earned by the completion of spring semester in the year that you are applying or as stated in the criteria.
- Submit a *separate* application form for each scholarship and be sure to provide all requested information with each application.
- You must meet *all* of the criteria stated in the scholarship description in order to apply.
- All students must submit at least one written letter of recommendation or as specified in the criteria.
- Each winner must sign an acceptance letter agreeing to the terms of the scholarship award and submit a thank you letter to be forwarded to the donor before funds can be applied to the student's tuition account.
- Winners are expected to attend the Scholarship Awards Banquet. In many cases, the donor/sponsor of the scholarship will be at the ceremony to meet you. Your attendance is very important. If you are unable to attend, you must have a valid excuse; and you will be encouraged to send a representative in your place.
- Students enrolled in or accepted into the Tuition-Free Program during the award year are not eligible to receive scholarships.

## **Letter of Application/Personal Letter**

A Letter of Application/Personal Letter is required and must be submitted with each application. In addition to the requirements stated in the criteria, you must answer the following questions in your letter:

1. What is your personal vision for the future? (Please include information about your educational and career goals.)
2. Describe your educational experiences and how they relate to this scholarship.
3. Describe your leadership activities on campus and/or in the community.
4. If the scholarship for which you are applying requires that you have a financial need, describe your need, stating why and how scholarship support is important to you and/or your family and your future. Be specific.
5. Address any other requirements listed in the criteria section of the scholarship(s) for which you are applying.

## **Letters of Recommendation**

You are required to submit letters of recommendation as defined in the criteria of the scholarship for which you are applying.

## **Scholarship Checklist**

Submit separate scholarship application packets in SEALED ENVELOPES. A complete scholarship application packet consists of the following:

- Scholarship Application Form
- Letter of Application/Personal Letter
- Letter(s) of Recommendation
- Additional information as requested in the scholarship criteria

**Only complete scholarship application packets will be considered and MUST be received on or before Monday, April 13, 2009, by 4:00 pm OR be postmarked on or before April 13, 2009. Mail or drop off your complete scholarship application packet(s) at:**

**Scholarship Review Committee  
Century College Foundation  
3300 Century Avenue North  
East Campus Room 2506  
White Bear Lake, MN 55110**

For further information, contact the Foundation office at (651) 779-3356.