

# Spring 2023

## Foundation Scholarship Application

### Available Awards

<i>Check One</i>	Fund Name	Criteria	Awards Available
	Automotive Scholarship	Must be actively enrolled PT or FT in the Automotive Collision Repair / Automotive Technology Program	(4) \$500 Awards
	Nursing Scholarship	Must be actively enrolled PT or FT in the Nursing Program	(2) \$500 Awards
	Early Childhood Scholarship	Must be actively enrolled PT or FT in the Early Childhood Program	(1) \$500 Award
	General Scholarship	Must be actively enrolled in a minimum of 12 credits in any LCC Certificate or Degree Program	(5) \$500 Awards
	Veterans Scholarship	Active Duty, Reserve, or military Veteran enrolled PT or FT in any LCC Certificate or Degree Program	(1) \$500 Awards

**Due Date: February 20<sup>th</sup>**  
**Submitted to LCC Financial Aid Office or**  
**Emailed To: lccfoundation@luna.edu**

- Completed Application
- Completed Essay Questions
- Copy of most recent High School or College Transcript
- FAFSA on file with Financial Aid Office

**Please ensure you keep a copy of everything that you've submitted!**

## Scholarship Guidelines & Process

**Who we are:** The Luna Community College Foundation is a private 501c3 organization formed for the purpose of assisting Luna Community College (LCC) in performing its mission of providing training and education for careers in technical and vocational fields for post-secondary students. That assistance may be accomplished in a variety of ways including support programs, financial assistance to students, financial assistance for LCC programs, physical plant enhancement, assistance in continuing educational opportunities for LCC administrative and instructional staff and the establishment and implementation of programs corollary to LCC instructional programs which augment and enhance the educational opportunities of LCC students.

The Luna Community College Foundation generates funding from private donors, fundraising activities, corporate grants, & employee contributions.

**Who Is Eligible:** Any student, in good academic standing (GPA 2.0+) who is actively enrolled at LCC (main campus or satellites) either on a part-time or full time basis in any program affiliated with the College.

**Financial Need:** Financial need is the general requirement for all LCC Foundation Scholarships. You must have a current FAFSA (Federal Application for Student Aid) on file with the LCC Financial Aid Office. Priority will be placed with student applicants who have a financial hardship that may prevent a student from attending or continuing an educational endeavor at LCC, this includes the inability of a student to purchase textbooks, supplies or other curriculum requirements essential for the courses for which they are enrolled.

**Application Process:** One application per student, per semester is allowed. This application must be submitted together with a copy of the students' current transcript and completed essay questions prior to the deadlines outlined herein; Fall semester deadline is September 20th, or the first business day after the 20th should it fall on a weekend or holiday. Spring semester deadline is February 20th or the first business day after the 20th should it fall on a weekend or holiday.

**Limitations:** The LCC Foundation Scholarships cannot be awarded in arrears to pay for previous semester costs. Unless otherwise indicated, scholarships are limited to cost of attendance as listed on the LCC Award Letter.

**Please submit your completed application and required documents to the Foundation Scholarship Coordinator within the student financial aid office or by email to: [lccfoundation@luna.edu](mailto:lccfoundation@luna.edu)**

The Coordinator will verify that a completed FAFSA (Federal Application for Student Aid) is on file with the Financial Aid office, and then present all applicants' required documentation to the Foundation Scholarship Committee for review, discussion and final action. Once finalized, applicants will be notified by the Foundation Scholarship Coordinator as to status and outcome of this application.

**Scholarship Disbursement:** Once a scholarship has been approved to award, the Foundation Scholarship Coordinator will initiate the process to fund the student's account at LCC with the award monies.

**Spring 2023 Award Cycle Application**

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone No: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ School ID#: \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Current Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Legal Resident of New Mexico: \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No      Anticipated LCC Graduation Month/Year: \_\_\_\_\_

Current Enrollment: \_\_\_\_ Full Time \_\_\_\_ Part Time      Academic Status: **Attach Copy of High School or College Transcript**

Course of Study / Major: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you received any other Scholarships or Grants for this period:      \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

If Yes, please describe: \_\_\_\_\_

**Financial need is the general requirement for LCC Foundation Scholarships. You must have a current FAFSA (Federal Application for Student Aid) on file with the LCC Financial Aid Office.**

Below are the scholarships available for the **Spring 2023** Semester. Please check one or more that you are applying for today. Current funding determines how many awards will be available this semester.

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Certification: By signing below, I certify that all of the information and documentation that I have provided to LCC Foundation on, and in connection with, this application is true, correct and complete, to the best of my knowledge. With my signature, I authorize the Foundation to request any type of other documentation or proof that is needed to process this application. I understand that LCC Foundation is a Section 501(c)(3) tax-exempt nonprofit corporation, and is subject to various legal requirements in awarding aid. All aid will be made in accordance with all applicable Federal and State laws. LCC Foundation seeks to support individuals who are eligible for assistance under its' guidelines. However, eligibility for an award does not guarantee that aid will be awarded. By signing this form, I acknowledge and agree that if aid is awarded: (1) the funds must be used for the purposes described in this application, and (2) any amounts not used for those purposes (or other purposes subsequently approved by the LCC Foundation) must be returned.

**Student Signature :** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Student ID#: \_\_\_\_\_

1.) *Tell us about yourself:* \_\_\_\_\_  
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2.) *What are your academic or career goals:* \_\_\_\_\_  
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3.) *How will this scholarship help you:* \_\_\_\_\_  
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By signing below, I understand that Luna Community College Foundation, a non-profit 501c-3 organization is highly dependent on private donations, corporate grants and other funding for this scholarship pool – I authorize my name and/or story to be used in printed materials, donor reports and general marketing efforts of the Foundation.

**Student Signature :** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_