

LINDA CRISP SCHOLARSHIP FUND, INC.

A Florida Non-Profit Corporation

APPLICATION INFORMATION

THE LINDA CRISP SCHOLARSHIP

Linda Crisp Scholarship Fund, Inc. was established to commemorate the life of Linda Crisp and to pay tribute to Linda's generous spirit, dedication to helping others, and profound belief in the value of an education. Linda loved engaging in community service and her community has been forever enriched by Linda's many hours of devoted service.

CRITERIA

At the time of application, the applicant must be:

1. A resident of Volusia County or Flagler County, Florida or a student in the Cincinnati Public School district.
2. A senior in high school, a high school graduate, or a GED recipient.
3. Committed to pursuing education or training beyond a high school diploma or GED.
4. Able to demonstrate present academic promise and commitment.
5. Able to demonstrate a present commitment to serving others.
6. Willing to provide information as to his or her financial need for scholarship funds, if such information is requested.

If chosen to receive a scholarship, the applicant will be asked to *Pay it forward* by engaging in at least ten (10) hours of community service per semester and a cumulative total of twenty (20) hours of community service per year.

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APPLICATION PROCEDURE

1. Applications will become available January 11th during the year of application.
2. Applications can be requested from LCSFinc@gmail.com.
3. Applications must be submitted on or before March 31.
4. Completed applications and required supporting documentation should be received at the following address(es):

LCSFinc@gmail.com

OR

Linda Crisp Scholarship Fund
4842 Tomahawk Trail
Milford, OH 45150

5. All applicants will be notified by email no later than April 30. Scholarship checks will be mailed the week of July 8th.
6. This application is for one college or university academic year, vocational course or technical training program ONLY and will not automatically renew for the following year. However, a scholarship recipient may re-apply in the following year, but must meet all of the qualifications. Prior receipt of a scholarship award neither guarantees nor precludes the receipt of a scholarship upon subsequent application.

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INFORMATION

1. Scholarship award recipients shall be selected by the Scholarship Committee of the Linda Crisp Scholarship Fund, Inc.
2. An applicant may receive up to \$1,000 in scholarship funds during any single application period.
3. The exact amount of any scholarship awarded to a particular applicant, up to \$1,000, shall be based upon the recommendations of the Scholarship Committee and upon the approval of Linda Crisp Scholarship Fund, Inc.
4. The number of scholarships awarded during any application period will be based upon the quality of the applicants and the availability of the funds as determined by Linda Crisp Scholarship Fund, Inc.
5. Scholarship funds will be paid to the recipient and the educational or training institution jointly to be attended by the award recipient.
6. Scholarship funds may be used for tuition. Upon request, the Scholarship Committee may, in its sole discretion, permit an award recipient to use scholarship funds for room and board, books, tools, training materials, or other fees and expenses associated with attending a particular class, course or program. The exact allocation of the award is flexible and is individually designed to be responsive to the needs of each recipient.
7. It is the policy and practice of Linda Crisp Scholarship Fund, Inc. to treat all applicants for scholarships with dignity and respect and to provide equal opportunity to all persons without regard to color, race, religion, sex, national origin, citizenship, age, disability, marital status, pregnancy, sexual orientation, military status, or any other category protected by law.

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APPLICATION

THIS APPLICATION SHOULD BE TYPED OR PRINTED IN BLUE OR BLACK INK. YOU MAY ATTACH ADDITIONAL PAGES IF NECESSARY, IN ORDER TO COMPLETE ANY NARRATIVE PORTION OF THIS APPLICATION.

Personal/Contact Information:

Name: _____

Complete Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Prior Recipient of LCSF Scholarship: Yes _____ No _____

School or Program Details:

Please describe the university, college, certification course or training program you are planning to attend: _____

Have you been accepted to the school, course or program? _____

Will you attend full-time or part-time? _____

How long is your course of study? _____

How much, if any, of your studies have you completed?

Why have you chosen this course of study? _____

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Employment Information (if applicable):

What type of work do you do? _____

Employer Name and Address: _____

Period of Employment: _____

Financial Need:

Please describe your family's gross annual household income:

_____ below \$25,000 _____ \$25,000-\$40,000 _____ \$40,000-\$55,000

_____ \$55,000-\$75,000 _____ \$75,000 or above

Briefly explain your financial need: _____

Academic History:

Name of High School or Current Univ: _____

Location: _____

Date of Graduation or Date Received GED: _____

GPA: _____ Best ACT or SAT (if in HS): _____

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Please feel free to list any recognitions, awards, or honors that you may have received in school, church, work, or for work you have done in the community in the last several years:

Activities:

List group or individual school activities in which you are an active member and identify any leadership role or responsibilities you may have.

Community Involvement:

Identify areas in which you have been active in your community.

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References/Letter of Recommendation:

Please provide at least two (non-family) personal references who will attest to your character, personal and educational goals. They will need to submit a written letter of recommendation on your behalf directly to the Linda Crisp Scholarship Fund, Inc. Scholarship Committee by the application deadline.

	Reference 1	Reference 2
Name:		
Title:		
Employer:		
Email:		
Relationship to applicant:		

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Personal Essay:

“Life’s most persistent and urgent question is, ‘What are you doing for others?’”
– *Martin Luther King, Jr.*

Please submit an essay (no more than one page) describing what this means to you and why it is so important to give back to your community.

Thank you for applying for a Linda Crisp Scholarship!

Your Signature: _____

Date: _____

Scholarship Application Checklist:

- Completed Application
- Recommendation Letters requested
- Essay
- Media Release Statement

For Internal Use Only:

Academic Period: _____

Fiscal Year End: _____

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Media Release Statement

The Linda Crisp Scholarship Fund, Inc. ("LCSF") periodically uses electronic and traditional media (e.g., photographs, video, audio, testimonials) for publicity or advertising purposes. By my signature on this form, I acknowledge receipt of this document and give permission to LCSF and its agents to take photographs of me and my property in connection with LCSF events and use such reproductions of my person in any and all forms of media for educational, publicity, or advertising purposes in perpetuity without further consideration from me. I understand that this release is a limited release of any confidentiality rights I may have under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act.

I hereby waive any right to inspect or approve the finished photographs or printed or electronic matter that may be used in conjunction with them now or in the future, whether that use is known to me or unknown, and I waive any right to royalties or other compensation arising from or related to the use of the photograph.

I understand that I will need to notify LCSF if any changes to my situation occur that will impact this media release permission.

I have read the above release and am aware of its contents.

Signed _____ Date _____

Printed Name _____

Signature of Parent or Guardian (if under 18) - I am the legal guardian of the minor named above and hereby agree that we will be bound by this release:

Signed _____ Date _____

Printed Name _____

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