

Gloucester County Education Association Scholarship Program

The Gloucester County Education Association will award two (2) scholarships to students pursuing a career in education and one (1) to a student pursuing a career in the vocational/technical field. If for any reason there are not enough applicants in one of the scholarship categories then it will open up another opportunity for a scholarship in the other category. The scholarships are in the names of Mrs. Marianne Eitel (Kingsway), Mr. Bill Gaines (Paulsboro), and Mr. Attila Matusek (GCIT). All were outstanding educators and advocates of public education, who worked selflessly to build strong public schools.

Requirements

Applicants for Bill Gaines and Marianne Eitel Awards:

- A Gloucester County resident currently enrolled in a Gloucester County public school and graduating in June of this year.
- Pursuing a career in the field of education (i.e. Teacher, School Social Worker).

Applicants for Attila Matusek Award:

- A Gloucester County resident currently enrolled in a Gloucester County public school and graduating in June of this year.
- Pursuing a career in the vocational/technical field (i.e. HVAC Technician, Culinary Arts).

Procedure

In order to be eligible for consideration as a scholarship candidate, you must submit the following:

- Completed scholarship application (including personal narrative) along with the necessary **signatures**.
- **Two** letters of recommendation, (from a teacher, school counselor, or school administrator).
- An official high school transcript that includes grades through the third marking period of the applicant's senior year.
- Verification of **acceptance to college or technical school**.

E-Mail the Completed Application to: manager@gceanj.org

Application Deadline: April 10th

Check List:

Applicants are responsible for submitting the following information:

- _____ 1. An official high school transcript that includes grades through the third marking period of the applicant's senior year.
- _____ 2. Two written recommendations from teachers, school counselors, or school administrators.
- _____ 3. Verification of acceptance to college/trade school.
- _____ 4. Typed **(250+ words)** personal narrative explaining your plans for the future and why you want to continue your education.

Signatures

I hereby certify that all information in this application is accurate and complete.

Signature of Applicant

Date

Signature of School Counselor

Date

I hereby grant permission for my child to apply for this scholarship.

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date

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Please Note: No incomplete or late applications will be accepted.

Questions? Call (856) 853-6673 or email manager@gceanj.org