

Application must be typed or printed legibly.

This form is available at www.clark.edu/scholarships and may be completed and printed from the web site.

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II. I am applying for the following scholarship(s) Continued:

☐ **Gerry Pinzone Nursing Scholarship – Eligibility Requirements:**

- Must be transferring to a four-year school to earn a degree in nursing
- Must have a cumulative GPA of 3.25 or better
- Must be graduating from Clark College during the 2014-2015 academic year

I certify that I meet the requirements of this scholarship and would like to be considered by the scholarship committee.

Initial

III. EDUCATIONAL GOALS

Attach a one or two page **TYPED** response to the following:

- Explain your educational goals as well as your choice of career and what qualifications, skills, and talents you feel you have for your chosen field. Relate your accomplishments to your educational goals.
- Explain how you plan to finance your education. Please include in this statement all resources, such as Financial Aid, parental assistance, income from work, etc. Also explain how you plan to finance your education if you do not receive scholarship funding.

IV. TRANSCRIPTS

Official transcripts are mandatory. Unofficial or unsealed transcripts will not be accepted. Transcript requests should be made early enough to ensure that transcripts arrive in time to be included as part of your complete application packet.

College Transcripts

Clark Students: Do not request your transcript. The Office of Financial Aid will automatically provide your Clark transcripts. Attach to your application transcripts from other colleges you have attended.

Clark College does not provide copies of your transcripts from other colleges.

V. RECOMMENDATIONS

Two recommendations from professional references (e.g., instructors, academic counselors, employers, volunteer supervisors) who can speak to your academic ability, personal qualities, etc., are required. **At least one recommendation must be from one of your recent instructors.** No more than two recommendations will be referred to the Scholarship Committee for any applicant.

VI. ACCOMPLISHMENTS List no more than five (5) items for each of the following categories. Please include your leadership roles relative to these items. Please do not include information prior to 2009.

A. School Activities Please list extracurricular club, athletic, student leadership and performing arts activities for which you have been a contributing member.	Months per Year	Date	Total Hours Outside Class Time

B. Civic Involvement Please list club, political, group, church and community involvement for which you have been a contributing member.	Months per Year	Date	Total Hours

C. Honors and Awards Please list the most significant honors and awards you have received. Include nature of award and year received.	Year Received

D. Current Employment and Position Please list current job and last job held.	Start Date	End Date	Hours per Week

E. Family Obligations Please note any unusual family obligations that would prevent you from participating in school and civic involvement.

VII. CERTIFICATION

I **certify** that the information contained in this application packet is correct. I agree to abide by the decisions of the Scholarship Committee and understand that the decisions of the Committee will be final and not open to contest. If awarded a Transfer Scholarship, I agree to attend a four-year accredited institution of higher learning and meet the requirements of the specific scholarship while receiving the award. I authorize the Clark College Financial Aid Office to release my Clark College transcript to the Clark College Foundation.

Applicant's
Signature _____

Date _____

Eligibility

The scholarships are awarded competitively on the basis of academic achievement, as well as other criteria, including recommendations and statements made by applicants.

Award Notification

Scholarships will be awarded in June for the 2015-2016 school year, beginning fall quarter. Applicants awarded scholarships will be sent announcements. Notification will also be sent to those who are not selected to receive awards. **Applicants must wait for notification by mail. Please do not call.**

To be considered for selection, you must meet the following deadline:

**Monday, May 4, 2015
5:00 PM**

Return completed application packet to:

**Clark College
Scholarship Office/GHL 101
1933 Fort Vancouver Way
Vancouver, WA 98663-3598**

Application Checklist

A complete Clark College Scholarship Application Packet consists of:

- ☐ Application - completed, signed and dated
- ☐ Educational Goals Section
- ☐ One official transcript for each college attended
The Clark College Financial Aid Office will automatically provide Clark transcripts
- ☐ Two recommendation letters



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