

Occupational Therapy Assistant (OTA) Scholarship

Nashville State Community College
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The NSCC Foundation Occupational Therapy Assistant Scholarship is made possible by contributions from friends, faculty, and staff of NSCC and from a portion of proceeds from NSCC Foundation special events. The scholarship is designed to provide financial support to an OTA student who has or is expected to complete two full semesters in the NSCC OTA program. Recipients are awarded a maximum of \$1,000 in the Spring semester. Awards will be made contingent upon available funding.

Recipients will be selected based on recommendations from the NSCC OTA Advisory Board.

To qualify, please submit your NSCC Financial Aid and Scholarship Form through your myNSCC. You must complete this form each year by May 31st. We recommend that you submit your form early. Scholarships are awarded to qualified applicants on a first-come, first-awarded basis until funds are expended. Awards may be adjusted if necessary to preclude an over award in relationship to other financial aid assistance being received.

This scholarship is awarded to qualified applicants based on the following criteria:

- Applicants must be entering their last semester of the OTA Program.
- Applicants must submit one faculty reference letter and one OTA peer reference letter.
- Applicants must provide documentation of no unexcused absences or unexcused tardies in classes associated with the OTA program.
- Applicants must provide documentation of no professional behavior concerns associated with the OTA program.
- Applicants must complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).

Applicable maintenance fee/tuition refunds will be credited to the scholarship except in cases when the student is also receiving federal Title IV benefits and totally withdraws. In such cases, the refund is credited back to the appropriate program(s) according to the NSCC "Return of Title IV Funds" Policy.

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Completed(typed) application must be submitted to Mrs. Cynthia Morgan

Completed application includes:

- Demographic form
- Copy of documentation of participation in fundraising events(if applicable).
- One faculty reference letter and one OTA peer reference letter.
- Documentation of no unexcused absences or unexcused tardies in classes associated with the OTA Program (obtain from program coordinator)
- Documentation of no professional behavior concerns associated with the OTA program(obtain from program coordinator)

Applicants will be interviewed by OTA advisory board in November. Scholarship recipient will be notified via email no later than one week after interview with Advisory Board.

Late applications will not be accepted.

First Name	<input type="text"/>	Last Name	<input type="text"/>
A Number	<input type="text"/>	Phone Number	<input type="text"/>
Email	<input type="text"/>		
Address	<input type="text"/>		
City	<input type="text"/>	State	<input type="text"/>
		Zip Code	<input type="text"/>

In your own words, tell us why you think advocating for our profession is important to you as a future clinician, in our community, and future clients.

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As a current student, what advocacy/volunteer activities are you currently involved in with a student organization, NSCC, and/or the community?

As a future clinician, how do you plan to continue advocating for our program and give back to our community?

Is there anything else you would like the committee to know regarding your desire to be awarded this scholarship?