



PANTHER SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM



MORTON **MC** COLLEGE

Morton College Panther Scholarships are awarded to Morton College Students who reside in the Community College District 527. Applicants must demonstrate outstanding academic ability and community service. The award covers (in this order) the cost of tuition, fees (such as course, lab, and material fees), books, and other items approved as a college expenses as defined by the Department of Education.

Eligibility Criteria:

1. Applicants must have a GPA of 2.00 or higher on a 4.0 scale.
2. Must complete the admission process to be admitted into Morton College.
3. Must be enrolled at Morton College pass the refund date for the term the award is received.
4. Applicants must reside in Community College District 527.
5. Must enroll in a minimum of 6 credit hours.
6. Cannot be a recipient of a Morton College institutional scholarship (Academic Excellence, Leadership & Talent, Athletic Scholarship, or Highschool Equivalency Scholarship).

Maintenance of Award:

1. Scholarships are awarded and paid in one term.
2. All scholarship monies must be utilized in the academic year awarded (Fall 2020, Spring 2021, or Summer 2021). Scholarships not used will be returned to the Panther Scholarship Fund.
3. Students must maintain a minimum 2.0 in the term the scholarship will be paid.

Application Process:

1. Submit the attached Panther Scholarship application form.
2. Submit a transcript.
 - a. The Grade Point Average (GPA) from Morton College will be used in the GPA review. If the student has no GPA due to pass/fail courses, then the GPA assigned will be 2.00. If you are a recent high school graduate or attended another college or university, you may submit those transcripts for GPA consideration (Only if you don't have a Morton College GPA). Please note we do not average GPA's from other institutions.
3. Submit a typed narrative statement (Minimum 550 words) answering the questions below (Typed, double space, font size 12 and font type Arial or Times New Roman).
 - a. How will this scholarship impact your life?
 - b. What special attribute or accomplishments sets you apart?
 - c. What are your career and educational goals?
4. This application and all required information are due on June 15, 2020. This deadline will not be extended, no exceptions. All information must be submitted to financial.aid@morton.edu. Please use 2020 Panther Scholarship Application in the subject line.
 - a. For instructions on scanning documents into a pdf for online submission please visit www.morton.edu, Financial Aid, and Financial Aid Forms



Panther Scholarship Application 2020-2021

Applicant Information

Full Name: _____ Date: _____
Last First M.I.

Address: _____
Street Address Apartment/Unit #

City State ZIP Code

Phone: _____ Email _____

Last School Attended _____
Institution: Address:

Rank in Class: _____ /: _____ / _____ Grade Point Average: _____
Rank Class size

Involvement

Program of Study at Morton College: _____

Extracurricular Activities or Student Clubs: _____

Community Service Activities (outside of school): _____

Narrative Questions

Students must respond to the questions below. Your narrative must be at least 400 words answered in paragraph format. (Typed, double space, font size 12 and font type Arial or Times New Roman)

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Disclaimer and Signature

Meeting all eligibility criteria does not guarantee that an applicant will receive an award. The Scholarship Committee will review all applications and select recipients based on merit, quality of essay and letter of recommendation.

I certify that I have read and understand the scholarship guidelines and criteria and the above information is correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature: _____ Date: _____