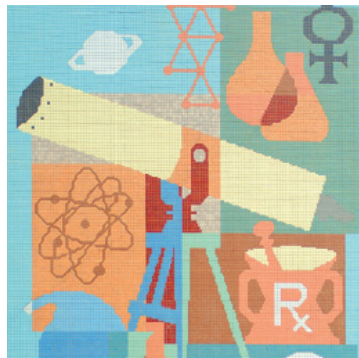


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Financial Aid Scholarship Information

Many students receive scholarships at MCC totaling almost \$500,000 each year which are provided through several sources. See the following section for detailed information about MCC scholarships.

Applications for first-time freshman scholarships should be filed at the same time admission applications are filed. Sophomore students and transfer students may begin applying for scholarships after February 1. To receive priority consideration for scholarships, applications should reach the Scholarship Coordinator's Office by April 1. Other applications are considered individually if funds are available.

You must print all of the pages of the application even if you don't use the extra lines (pages) the Financial Aid staff need the pages to enter information. Don't forget to sign and date the form. Mail the completed form to:

Meridian Community College
Financial Aid Department
910 Hwy. 19 North
Meridian, MS 39307

Financial Aid Scholarship Application

Download or Print an Application for a General Scholarship or a President's, Dean's, Eagle Scholarship

[General Scholarship Application](#)

[President's, Dean's, Eagle Scholarship Application](#)

NOTE! You must print **BOTH** pages of whichever form you use even if you don't use the extra lines on the second page. Financial Aid staff need the second page to enter information in the area at the bottom. Don't forget to sign and date the form on the FIRST page.

Mail the completed form to the address printed on the first page. For your convenience, the address is reprinted below.

Meridian Community College
Financial Aid Dept.
910 Hwy. 19 N.
Meridian, MS 39307

Meridian Community College

General/Non-Traditional Scholarship Application

Check one from each column:

I plan to enroll Fall 20_____

I am currently enrolled at MCC

I plan to enroll Spring 20_____

I have never attended MCC

I have previously attended MCC

I am transferring from _____

(Please Print)

Student ID: _____

Name _____
(Last) (First) (M.I) (Maiden)

Address _____
(Street) (City/State) (Zip)

Home Telephone Number: _____

College Major and Career Plans _____

Anticipated Graduation Date from MCC (List Month and Year) _____

College GPA _____

Have you ever attended Meridian Community College? Yes ___ No ___ If yes, when did you last attend? _____

I intend to enroll:

_____ Full-time (12 hours or more)

_____ Half-time (6-8 hours)

_____ Three-quarter time (9-11 hours)

_____ Less-than-half time (1-5 hours)

Extracurricular/Civic/Church/Sport Activities: _____

Academic Honors/Clubs: _____

Work Experience: _____

List any scholarships & financial aid which you have been awarded or for which you have applied for the year indicated above.

_____ Check here if none.

State your reasons for requesting a scholarship (need/merit). Be very specific and thorough. (Use reverse side if necessary.)

Submit to: Meridian Community College
Financial Aid Office
910 Hwy 19 North
Meridian, MS 39307

Signature _____

Date _____

Priority Deadlines: June 1 for Fall; December 1 for Spring

Lined area for notes or additional information.

For Office Use Only:

Pell Grant: _____
MTAG/MESG: _____
Fed. Work Study: _____
Student Loan: _____
Scholarship: _____

College GPA: _____

Standing: _____

Amount Awarded Per Semester : _____

Number of Semesters: _____



Meridian Community College

President/Dean/Eagle Scholarship Application

Check all that apply:

I plan to enroll Fall 20_____

I am currently enrolled at MCC

I plan to enroll Spring 20_____

I have never attended MCC

(Please Print)

Social Security Number: _____

Name _____
(Last) (First) (M.I) (Maiden)

Address _____
(Street) (City/State) (Zip)

Home Telephone Number: _____ Cell Phone Number: _____

Can we send you text messages: YES or NO (Circle one)

Email Address: _____

High School Attended: _____ Year Graduated: _____

College Major and Career Plans: _____

High School GPA (**Attach Transcript**): _____ ACT Score: _____

I intend to enroll Full-time: YES or No (Circle One)

Extracurricular/Civic/Church/Sport Activities: _____

Leadership Positions Held: _____

Academic Honors/Clubs: _____

Star Student Award (Awarded to One Student at Each High School): YES (attach documentation) or NO (Circle One)

Valedictorian or Salutatorian: YES or No (Attach documentation)

Relevant Work Experience: _____

List any scholarships & financial aid which you have been awarded or for which you have applied for the year indicated above. This includes scholarships that you may have received from other schools. If the scholarship is from another school, please attach documentation.

_____ Check here if none.

Turn over to complete the back side and to sign the application.

State your reasons for requesting a scholarship (need/merit). Be very specific and thorough. (Use reverse side if necessary.)

Submit to: Meridian Community College
 Financial Aid Office
Attn: Scholarship Coordinator
 910 Hwy 19 North
 Meridian, MS 39307

 Signature Date

Priority Deadlines: June 1 for Fall; December 1 for Spring

For Office Use Only:

Pell Grant: _____
 MTAG/MESG: _____
 Fed. Work Study: _____
 Student Loan: _____
 Scholarship: _____

Amount Awarded Per Semester : _____ Number of Semesters: _____

Meridian Community College does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, disability, religion or age in admission or access to, or treatment or employment in its programs and activities. Compliance with Section 504 is coordinated by Ms. Soraya Welden, Dean of Student Services, 910 Highway 19 North, Meridian, MS 39307. 601-484-8628, Fax: 601-484-8635, email: swelden@meridiancc.edu. Compliance with Title IX is coordinated by Mr. Derek Mosley, Social Science Instructor, Smith Hall, 910 Highway 19 North, Meridian, MS 39307. 601-553-3453, Fax: 601-484-8635, email: dmosley@meridiancc.edu.

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Scholarship Classifications

The following policies and regulations are used in administering the scholarships for MCC:

- All scholarship recipients must maintain at least 15 credit hours. Any recipient who falls below 15 credit hours will not be eligible for an academic scholarship in future semesters.
- All scholarship recipients must maintain the grade point average as specified in their award letter. There is no probationary period.
- Any scholarship recipient dismissed from school for disciplinary reasons forfeits his/her scholarship and is not eligible for another scholarship.
- A scholarship recipient who fails to attend school in consecutive fall/spring semester forfeits his/her award.
- Scholarships do not cover fees, such as registration, technology, safety and security, or summer school tuition and fees.
- Any scholarship recipient who officially or unofficially withdraws forfeits his/her scholarship. The student will then be ineligible for a scholarship for the following semester of attendance.
- Any scholarship recipient who withdraws from school is encouraged, but not required to pay back any of his/her scholarship. The student will not receive any refund of scholarship money.
- Scholarships are awarded for a maximum of four semesters.
- Any student in default on any type of financial aid is not eligible to receive any scholarship.

Additional Policies for President's and Dean's Scholarships

- President's and Dean's scholarships are only awarded to first-time, MS resident, and enroll in at least 15 credit hours. To qualify, students must attend MCC the fall semester immediately following their high school graduation. Students who attend MCC during the summer following their high school graduation are eligible for a President's or Dean's scholarship in the fall. Students must apply before the first day of fall semester classes.
- President's and Dean's scholarships are awarded on the basis of the date a completed file is received in the Financial Aid Office, not on the individual's ACT score. A completed file for a President's or Dean's scholarship includes a scholarship application and a copy of the student's high school transcript, including the ACT scores.
- Scholarship awards cannot be raised after the first day of classes for the first semester of enrollment.
- President's and Dean's scholarships are given for four semesters (excluding summers) provided the student maintains 15 credit hours and the required grade point average.

Financial Aid

Foundation Scholarships

A. D. Burdette Memorial Scholarship

Awarded to a student majoring in mathematics.

A. C. Johnson/Civitan Club Scholarship

Given to an MCC student who is either a relative of a Civitan Club member or who is a special education or elementary education major. Designated for books.

Anderson Hospital Sophomore Nursing Scholarship

Given to deserving nursing students for their second year of study.

Ann Belvin White Memorial Scholarship

Awarded to a nursing student who demonstrates a special interest in psychiatric nursing.

Casteel Memorial Scholarships

Awarded to students who are majoring in or interested in art or a related field. Students must be taking an art class.

William D. Mobley Memorial Scholarships

Awarded to second-year Dental Hygiene students.

Mabel and S. Carl Merritt Scholarships

Given to outstanding students. Based on need.

Maude Smith Memorial Scholarship

Given to a sophomore student who has an exceptional record in freshman English courses. Financial need and career plans are also considered.

Key Brothers Scholarship

Awarded to a Meridian or Lauderdale County graduate with a 3.00 or higher GPA.

Susie Burton Short Memorial Scholarship

Awarded a student in the LPN Program with a "B" or better in all nursing classes; good clinical performance; leadership potential; and exemplary work ethic.

Ralph E. Young Memorial Scholarships

Awarded to sophomore business majors. Based on merit and need.

Barnett All America City Scholarships

Given to employees of the City of Meridian. Awarded on a first-come, first-served basis, this scholarship pays for one course per semester.

Laura O. Williams Memorial Scholarship

Given to a nursing student. Recipient is asked to perform 10 hours community service each semester. Preference is given to single mothers.

Mary Lee Roberts Scholarship

Given to an education major. Recipient is asked to perform 10 hours community service each semester. Preference is given to single mothers.

Austin and Alice James Scholarships

Given to university transfer students who are taking or have taken accounting. Student must have made an "A" in accounting and have a 3.5 GPA.

Stennis "Judge" Little Memorial Scholarships

Given to students who have completed at least 6 hours with a "B" average. Part-time students are eligible.

Madeline Scott Callahan Memorial Scholarship

Awarded to a student in a health program who has shown a quest for knowledge and a willingness to help others.

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Foundation Scholarships

Jack Shank History Scholarship

Given to an education major who plans to specialize in history or social studies. Based on merit and need.

Rea, Shaw, Giffin & Stuart Scholarship

Given to an accounting or computer science major. Based on merit and need.

D. P. and Ruby Self Scholarship

Awarded on the basis of academic excellence and financial need.

Reva Breckenridge Memorial Science Scholarship

Given to a student who plans to be a teacher, preferably in the sciences.

Winnie P. Crampton Nursing Scholarship

Given to a deserving nursing student.

MS Association of Supervisors Scholarships

Given to entering freshmen from a public or private high school in Lauderdale County.

Linda And Marty Davidson Scholarship

Given to outstanding student' Preference given to a student in the arts.

W. H. Entrekin Mathematics Scholarship

Awarded to a mathematics major with an exceptional academic record.

W. H. Entrekin Music Scholarship

Awarded to a student who is interested in music.

Sara & Sam Niemetz Scholarships

Awarded to math majors who have completed 6 hours of transferable math courses with a 3.5 average in those classes.

Crescent City Grill Scholarship

Awarded to an outstanding student in the hotel and restaurant management program.

Eva Mae Gilbert Edwards Memorial Scholarship

Awarded to a deserving full-time student

Jack Malone Memorial Scholarship

Awarded to a student in the construction trades program or the horticulture program.

Robert Cochran Memorial Scholarship

Awarded to a graduation sophomore who plans to attend Mississippi State University or Milsaps College; Has to have been a contender for the Ivy Scholarships; Academic performance is the principal criteria

J.P. Gant Memorial Scholarship

Given to an MCC sophomore. Based on merit and need.

Otho R. Smith Memorial Business Scholarship

Awarded to a student who has completed at least 12 hours of business courses with an excellent GPA

L. O. Todd Memorial Scholarship

Awarded to a sophomore who has demonstrated talent in academics, leadership and community service. Financial need and career plans are also considered.

Mary Young Minniece Memorial Scholarship

Given to a sophomore student. Based on merit and need.

Bill and Gay Whitworth Scholarship

Awarded to a sophomore student. Based on merit and need.

Joyce Morrison Memorial Scholarships

Given to nursing students.

Bo Russell/Meridian Exchange Club Scholarship

Given to an incoming freshman from Meridian or Lauderdale County. Based on need and high school record.

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Foundation Scholarships

Miriam Roberson Memorial Nursing Scholarships

Given to outstanding nursing students for continuation of their studies in their second year.

Charles Armstrong Scholarships

Given to outstanding Meridian High seniors who will be attending MCC.

William & Dorothy Lerner Memorial Scholarship

Given to an MCC student who demonstrates financial need.

William & Dorothy Lerner Memorial Business Scholarship

Given to a deserving business or marketing student.

Elizabeth Riley Memorial Scholarships

Awarded to sophomore nursing students who are active in the community and who have shown an exceptional caring attitude in clinical settings.

Big & Ham Sanders Memorial Scholarships

Awarded to sophomore university transfer students. Based on merit and need.

Dorothy McCauley Bates Memorial Scholarships

Given to sophomore math or physical science majors.

C.B. "Dough" & Alice Rawlings Memorial Scholarships

Awarded to students who participate in sports as a manager, trainer, batgirl or cheerleader. Based on merit and need.

Mae Carroll Thornton Scholarship

Given to a student who is a mother and is studying in a health care program.

Cecil and Doris Seale Scholarship

Given to a deserving student who is in a two-year degree program.

MCC Alumni & Friends Scholarship

Awarded to a sophomore student based on merit/need.

Riley Volunteer Services Scholarships

Given to a sophomore in a health related field who is active in clubs and services and who has financial need.

Reuben S. Johnson Memorial Scholarship

Given to a student who enjoys playing golf. Does not have to be on golf team.

Northwood Golf Association Scholarship

Given to a student who enjoys playing golf. Does not have to be on golf team.

Kiwanis Club Scholarships

Awarded to students who show promise in academics and citizenship. Designated for books.

Dr. Jeff Hollingsworth Memorial Scholarship

Awarded to a student in their final year of the Associate Degree Nursing Program who has an outstanding academic record, who has financial need, and who has been active in student and community organizations.

Dr. William J. Anderson, Jr. Memorial Scholarship

Awarded to a student in their final year of the Associate Degree Nursing Program who has an outstanding academic record, who has financial need, and who has been active in student and community organizations.

Catherine Hovious Nursing Scholarship

Awarded to an outstanding Associate Degree Nursing student.

Rodney Walker Technology Scholarship

Given to an engineering or drafting major who has financial need.

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Foundation Scholarships

Beverly Barham Memorial Scholarship

Given to a deserving student who demonstrates need. Prefer recipient be member of Dusty Social Service Club.

Sallie Mae Bell Memorial Scholarship

Given to a student who is a graduate of a Lauderdale County high school who is studying elementary education and has a financial need.

Dr. Dan Thornton Memorial Nursing Scholarship

Given to a deserving nursing student.

Mary Ann Bonney Riley Elementary Education Scholarship

Given to an elementary education major.

Harry and Vivian Boureau Scholarship

Given to a sophomore music major.

Emma Ruth Corban Scholarship

Awarded to a student majoring in social science.

Marshall and Miriam Deonier Memorial Scholarships

Awarded to students majoring in religious studies or horticulture.

Career Women of Meridian

Given to a sophomore majoring in banking, finance, accounting, or business administration.

John and Ann Johnson Scholarship

Awarded to a business or education major who is a graduate of a Lauderdale County school. Must have a C average.

Jacob Chester Frist Memorial Scholarship

Given to a nursing student with financial need.

Walter and Cora Thompson Johnson Scholarship

Given to a graduate of West Lauderdale High School who exhibits citizenship, academic excellence, and versatility.

Thomas Y. Minniece Memorial Scholarship

Given to a student from Latin America.

Gloria Nuckolls Memorial Scholarship

Awarded to a student in a health education program who has financial need.

Brett Walden Memorial Art Scholarship

Awarded to a freshman who plans to major in an art field.

Dr. O. D. Polk, Sr. Memorial Scholarship

Awards an African-American or international student in the Associate Degree Nursing Program. Preference is given to single mothers.

Dixie Highway School Scholarship

Awarded to an outstanding student; preference given to a descendant of a Dixie Highway School graduate. Designated for books.

Emily Louise McDonald Memorial Scholarships

Given to outstanding first-year nursing students for continuing study during their second year.

Ralph Wilkerson Memorial Scholarship

Awarded to a student who has completed at least two social science courses during their freshman year with an excellent GPA. Financial need and career plans are also considered.

Structural Steel Services Scholarships

Given to deserving MCC students whose parents or spouses work at Structural Steel Services.

Glen Dewese Math Scholarship

Given to a sophomore student over 25 years of age who is interested in math or a related field.

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Foundation Scholarships

Nicholas Gianakos Memorial Scholarships

Awarded to MCC students in the university transfer program.

Ruth Van Dyke Nelson Memorial Scholarships

Awarded to students who plan to transfer to a university. Based on merit and need.

C. B. Bailey Memorial Scholarships

Given to outstanding students. Based on merit and need

Wilma G. Freeman Memorial Scholarship

Given to an education major. Recipient is asked to perform 10 hours community service each semester. Preference is given to single mothers.

George and Etta Mac Bounds Memorial Scholarships

Given to students with a good academic record and financial need.

Chuck Nicholson Community Bank Veteran Scholarship

Awarded to a veteran who has served in a combat area.

Royalty Education Scholarship

Awarded to an outstanding graduating sophomore who plans to continue their education in a field dedicated to work with young people.

Marilyn Hampton Memorial Scholarship

Awarded to a deserving student.

Clare Reynolds Memorial Nursing Scholarship

Awarded to an outstanding student entering their third semester of the Associate Degree Nursing Program.

L.J. Davis Memorial Scholarship

Awarded to a graduate of Enterprise High School entering the University Transfer Program or and Occupational Education Program at MCC. Criteria include potential for leadership, academic, excellence, and high moral standards.

Richard F. Riley, M.D., Nursing Scholarship

Awarded to an outstanding student entering their third semester of the Associate Degree Nursing Program. Preference is given to a male student.

Evans Phi Theta Kappa Scholarship

Awarded to the chapter president of Phi Theta Kappa.

Karen Hamilton Memorial Nursing Scholarship

Awarded to an outstanding student entering their third semester of the Associate Degree Nursing Program. Preference is given to a male student.

Laurie M. Autry memorial Scholarship

Awarded to an outstanding student in the Physical Therapist Assistant Program.

Gerry Price Memorial Scholarship

Awarded to an outstanding student in the Medical Laboratory Technology Program.

Lucile Reisman Rosenbaum Memorial Scholarship

Awarded to a graduating MCC student who is transferring to a senior university. Scholastic performance, exceptional leadership, and financial need are the criteria. The funds are to be paid directly to the institution of the recipient's choice.

Katherine Stanford Foster Memorial Scholarship

Awarded to a student who is a member of Central Baptist Church , 2nd preference to a choral student. This is designated for books.

Clifton M. "Buddy" Davis Memorial Scholarship

Awarded to a Clarke County (MS) student who plays golf, if one is not available it may go to a Lauderdale County student.

Norma R Webb Scholarship

Awarded to a non-traditional single parent female student.

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Foundation Scholarships

Thomas and Norma Bourdeaux Scholarship

Awarded to a student with a 'B' average who is studying pre-law, history, or political science. If one is not available this can be awarded to an art student.

State Farm Companies Scholarship

Awarded to a non-traditional student based on financial need and merit.

Riley Hospital Scholarships

Awarded to top students in the nursing and radiologic technology programs.

George J. Blackwell Scholarship

Awarded to a deserving student.

Margaret and Bill Smylie Scholarship

Awarded to a single parent with definite need in the nursing program.

Charles and Jean Winright Scholarship

Awarded to a top recent local graduate.

Irene Bradley Memorial Scholarship

Awarded to a minority student in a health field.

Eddie Holladay Scholarship

Awarded to a deserving student based on merit or need.

Dr. George Howell Memorial Scholarship

Awarded to a student in the nursing program with an excellent academic record.

Lee Anne Smith Memorial Scholarship

Awarded to a deserving student in the University Transfer Program.

Dr. Lemann H. and Wilma S. Bounds Scholarship

Awarded to a student in the health field.

Bill Herndon/Downtown Optimist Club Scholarship

Awarded to a Lauderdale County student who graduates from the Youth Challenge Program.

S. A Rosenbaum Scholarships

Awarded to students in the Construction Trades program.

Dr. Jeff Anderson Memorial Scholarship

Awarded to a student in their final year of the Associate Degree Nursing Program who has an outstanding academic record, who has financial need, and who has been active in student and community organizations.

Kathleen Newby McDaniel Memorial Scholarship

Awarded to a deserving student.

Newton Community Healthcare Scholarships

Awarded to students in either Laboratory Technology, Radiologic Technology, Respiratory Care Practitioner, or Physical Therapist Assistant Programs; Newton County resident; preference given to students who indicate a willingness to work in Newton County after graduation.

Garnett and James Cox Wilbourn Memorial Scholarship

Awarded to a deserving student based on merit and need.

William J. Gunn Memorial Scholarship

Awarded to a student in their final year of the Associate Degree Nursing Program who has an outstanding academic record, who has financial need, and who has been active in student and community organizations.

Mattie D. Hart-Emma Donald Music Scholarship

Awarded to a music major to be used for music supplies.

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Foundation Scholarships

Dr. William Anderson, III Memorial Scholarship

Awarded to a student in their final year of the Associate Degree Nursing Program who has an outstanding academic record, who has financial need, and who has been active in student and community organizations.

Linda and Billy Howard Computer Technology Scholarship

Awarded to a student studying computer technology.

Jacob Toney Memorial Scholarship

Awarded to a Clarke County resident in a health program.

Upward Bound Scholarships

Recipients selected through Boys and Girls Club.

Hotel Restaurant Supply/Jerry Greene Scholarship

Awarded to a local student majoring in Hotel/Restaurant Management Technology

Marguerite Jenkins English Scholarship

Awarded to a student majoring in English education.

Ed Lewis Memorial Scholarship

Awarded to a deserving student.

National Association of Retired Federal Employees Scholarship

Awarded to a deserving student.

WTOK Scholarship

Awarded to a deserving student in Broadcast Communication Program.

Bonita Lakes Mall Scholarship

Awarded to a recent local graduate of Lauderdale County majoring in business or marketing.

Margaret Reed Dulaney Memorial Scholarship

Awarded to a deserving student.

Joe Carson Memorial Scholarship

Awarded to a sophomore student based on merit and need.

Eli Pacetti Memorial Scholarship

Awarded to an instrumental music student.

Maude Reid History Scholarship

Awarded to a student majoring in history education.

H. M. Ivy Scholarships

Awarded to three outstanding May graduates of MCC.

Norma Rawlings Webb Scholarship

Awarded to a deserving student; preference given to a single parent.

Dan Self/Robbie Jones Pre-Law Scholarship

Given to a student who plans to pursue a career in law.

Tommy Webb Memorial Business Scholarship

Awarded to an outstanding business student.

Radio People Scholarship

Given to an outstanding student in the Broadcast Communication Technology Program.

Mitchell Companies Scholarship

Awarded to a sophomore in the Graphics Communication Program.

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Other Scholarships

Lauderdale County/Meridian Junior Miss

Awarded to the winners of the Junior Miss Competition.

Winston County Health Care Scholarship

Given to a student in a health related field who agrees to work after graduation in Winston County.

Mississippi Band of Choctaw Indian Scholarships

The Choctaw Indian Tribe offers numerous scholarships to its constituents to attend MCC.

Future Teachers of America (FTA)

Given to a deserving education major.

Lanier Walker Navy League Scholarship

Given to a deserving MCC student.

MCC Band and Chorus Scholarships

Awarded to MCC band members or chorus members.