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# PHCC ILLINOIS

## AUXILIARY SCHOLARSHIP RULES

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Scholarships for college or vocational education are awarded by the Illinois Auxiliary for a minimum of \$500.00 up to a maximum of \$2,000.00 each year in June, as funds are available.

1. The applicant must be at least a freshman in college having completed one full semester with at least 8 credit hours of study. Seniors in high school may NOT apply.
2. No person may receive more than one award from the Illinois Auxiliary during his or her academic career. There cannot be more than two awards per family per year. A permanent list of recipients will be kept in the scholarship files.
3. In addition to the completed application form, the applicant must submit the following:
  - A letter from the applicant with personal data, family size, explanation of need for scholarship monies, and career plans. Also include information about participation in high school, college, and community activities as well as work experience. Knowledge of and/or working experiences with plumbing industry may be included, but is not necessary.
  - Three letters of recommendation.
    - One letter must be from a sponsor who is a member in good standing of the Illinois PHCC Auxiliary.
    - The other two letters must be from people who know the applicant personally and can attest to the applicant's character. They may also provide additional pertinent information such as academic performance and involvement in extra-curricular activities. Knowledge of parents does not necessarily qualify them for having knowledge of applicant.
  - Photo of the applicant.
  - Official transcripts—see details on application form.
4. **The deadline for submitting the application is May 24, 2024.**
  - Application must be postmarked no later than this date and include all the information required. If it is incomplete, application materials will be discarded and applicant will not be considered for a scholarship. Applicants may resubmit the following year.
  - The scholarship committee will have the final decision in awarding these scholarships. If you have any further questions, please feel free to contact Gail McWilliams.

*Please send completed application by May 24, 2024 to:*

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