

CENTRALIA FOUNDATION

Scholarship Application

VAUGHN-GARDNER SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Application Deadline – March 16, 2018

(Applications received after this date will be considered after on-time applications.)

Return Application & Transcripts to:

**Centralia Foundation
Nina Buchele
115 E 2nd Street
Centralia, IL 62801**

(Located in the conference center at Centralia Recreation Complex)

VAUGHN-GARDNER SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA

MUST BE A GRADUATE OF ANY PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOL IN MARION COUNTY OR OF CHRIST OUR ROCK LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL. MUST BE PURSUING A DEGREE IN A NON-SPORTS RELATED AREA AND STUDENTS RECEIVING SPORTS SCHOLARSHIPS SHALL NOT BE ELIGIBLE. ONE AWARD OF FULL TUITION FOR A STUDENT ATTENDING KASKASKIA COLLEGE, PLUS AN ANNUAL STIPEND FOR OTHER EDUCATION RELATED COSTS. ONE AWARD OF FULL TUITION FOR A STUDENT ATTENDING A PUBLICLY FUNDED UNIVERSITY IN THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, PLUS AN ANNUAL STIPEND FOR OTHER EDUCATION RELATED COSTS. THESE ARE 2 AND 4 YEAR SCHOLARSHIPS AND ONLY ONE OF EACH OF THESE SCHOLARSHIPS WILL BE AVAILABLE AT ONE TIME. EACH SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT SHALL HAVE A GRADE POINT AVERAGE OF 3.0 ON A 4.0 GRADING SYSTEM (B AVERAGE), AND SHALL BE REQUIRED TO MAINTAIN THAT MINIMUM AVERAGE IN ORDER TO REMAIN ELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE THE SCHOLARSHIP MONEY..

Release Statement – Signature Required

I certify that, to the best of my knowledge, all statements submitted are accurate and my own. I understand this application and all records gathered during the process are confidential and will not be disclosed to me. Access will be restricted to appropriate committee members. If I am selected as a recipient of this award, I give permission to release my name and/or photo to the news media.

Signature of Applicant: _____ Date: _____

THIS APPLICATION MUST BE COMPLETED IN ITS ENTIRETY AND SUBMITTED WITH A COMPLETE TRANSCRIPT OF ACADEMIC RECORDS TO BE CONSIDERED. IN ADDITION STUDENT MUST PROVIDE PROOF THAT THEY HAVE SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED A FAFSA FORM. A HARD COPY OF APPLICATION WITH SIGNATURE REQUIRED.

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**VAUGHN-GARDNER SCHOLARSHIP
APPLICATION FOR 2018-2019 SCHOLARSHIPS**

Name _____ Social Security No. _____ - _____ - _____

Address _____ County _____

Street _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Email _____ Phone _____ H: _____ C: _____

Honors or Awards: (indicate whether community, high school, or university/college):

Activities: (indicate whether community, high school, or university/college):

Your career or educational goals:

What is your cumulative GPA? _____ What is your current academic status? (check below)

High School Senior College Freshman College Sophomore College Junior College Senior Other

What college do you plan to attend for the 2018-2019 academic year? _____

Year of high school graduation or GED _____ Anticipated year of graduation w/bachelors _____

Parent's name, occupation & annual income (must be completed by students if claimed as dependents on their parents income tax return.) (If student is selected as recipient, a copy of parents income tax return MAY be required to verify financial need.)

Father _____ Occupation _____ Annual Income \$ _____

Mother _____ Occupation _____ Annual Income \$ _____

Student Income \$ _____ Estimated Educational costs for full academic year \$ _____

Please provide all other financial assistance received (including scholarships) and any further information related to special needs or circumstances:

Reminder: Attach Transcript!