Great Falls College MSU  
2016-2017 Cameron Scholarships Application Instructions

The remaining Great Falls College MSU Cameron Scholarships may be pursued with this single scholarship application form. New freshman and transfer students, as well as continuing GFC students, may apply. A scholarship committee will match qualified applicants with available scholarships. Scholarships are not renewable and are not transferable. The awards are disbursed in two equal segments, one for each semester. Scholarships are shown as credits on your bill and funds are designated for payment of tuition, fees, books and supplies first. You must enroll at Great Falls College MSU for at least 6 credits (unless otherwise specified), as a degree-seeking student and maintain satisfactory academic progress. Please direct questions to the Financial Aid Office at (406)771-4327.

SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS There are seven remaining scholarships available with varying amounts and criteria:

- One $4780 scholarship is being offered for a graduating high school senior enrolling at GFCMSU. Student must be enrolled full time Fall 2016 and Spring 2017 (12 or more credits); must have a cumulative HS GPA of a 4.0 (on a 4.0 scale); and must be a MT resident.
- One $1000, and one $912 scholarship is being offered for students enrolling at GFCMSU who are an active or honorably discharged, or retired member of the US armed forces. Students must have a minimum cumulative GPA of a 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale); and must be a MT resident. Preference will be given to full time students (12 or more credits).
- One $2000, one $780, and two $1000 scholarships are being offered for students enrolling at GFCMSU in a Business Program pursuing an Associate of Applied Science Degree. Students must have a minimum cumulative GPA of a 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale); and must be a MT resident. Preference will be given to full time students (12 or more credits).

APPLICATION PACKET REQUIREMENTS:
Each of the following items must be completed for an application to be considered:

1. Scholarship Application: Complete the application form (on reverse side) in its entirety.
2. Personal Statement: Summarize why you chose your Major/Field of Study. Describe obstacles overcome, short-term goals, long-term goals, financial need, recent honors or awards, and any other information you believe is relevant to the selection committee. (Please type and limit to one page).
3. One Letter of Recommendation: Submit one letter from an instructor or from a personal reference, such as an employer, pastor, supervisor, etc. The letter must include the name, address, and telephone number of person making recommendation.
4. Summary of Leadership, Honors, & Volunteer Activities: List recent leadership responsibilities, honors, activities, and community volunteer service on a separate sheet of paper. (Please type and limit to one page)
5. Current Unofficial Transcripts: New freshmen must submit a current high school transcript. Transfer students must submit the most recent college transcript. Continuing GFC students who have completed at least one term at Great Falls College MSU do not need to submit transcripts.

ELIGIBILITY AND DEADLINES (deadline dependent on student type)
Freshman (new high school graduates)
Students must have graduated high school spring 2016 with a minimum GPA of 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale) and must be a resident of Montana. FOR PRIORITY CONSIDERATION, the application and all documents must be postmarked by June 30, 2016. Applications will continue to be accepted until July 29th, 2016. The Selection Committee has the right to reject any late or incomplete applications.

Transfer and continuing GFC students
Currently enrolled GFC students, former GFC students, and transfer students must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale) and must be a resident of Montana. THE APPLICATION AND ALL DOCUMENTS must be postmarked by July 29, 2016. The Selection Committee has the right to reject any late or incomplete applications.

Please mail or submit to:
Financial Aid Office  
Great Falls College MSU  
2100 16th Ave South  
Great Falls, MT 59405  
FAX: (406) 771-4410
Great Falls College MSU
Cameron Scholarship Application 2016-2017

See reverse side for additional requirements

For academic year 16-17, I will be a:  □ New Freshman  □ New Transfer  □ Continuing GFC Student

Name ___________________________________________ MSU ID# or Social Security # ______________________

Phone ___________________________ Email Address ___________________________

Address ___________________________ City, ST, Zip ___________________________

Intended Major/Program of Study ___________________________________________

High School Graduation Date _________ High School Last Attended ______________________

Prior Colleges Attended ___________________________________________

College Major(s) at Prior Colleges ___________________________________________

State of Legal Residence ___________________________ If Montana, county ___________

US Citizen  □ Yes  □ No

Reply optional: Gender  □ Male  □ Female  Race/Ethnic Background ___________________________

Reply optional: Marital Status ___________________________________________

Dependents  □ Yes  □ No  If yes, list ages ___________________________

Current Employer ___________________________ Hours worked/week _____

I am an active, honorably discharged, or retired member of the United States Armed Forces  □ Yes  □ No

Federal law requires Great Falls College MSU to obtain written permission from the award recipient for the release of academic and biographical information to the scholarship donor and/or news media. By signing below, I agree that relevant information may be released. Furthermore, by signing below, I confirm the accuracy of the enclosed information and understand that any false or misleading statements may invalidate my application.

Signature_________________________________________ Date ________________________