2016-2017 GFCMSU 1+3 Engineering Transfer Scholarships
Application Instructions

The GFCMSU 1+3 Engineering Transfer Scholarship Program at Great Falls College MSU centralizes multiple endowed scholarships and donations for engineering scholarships into a single application form. The number of scholarships awarded and the amounts of the awards will be based on available funding. The awards will be disbursed in two equal segments, one for each semester (Fall and Spring). Each semester, upon verification after the 15th day of class that the recipients are enrolled in the specified course work for 1+3 Engineering transfer options, the scholarship will be applied to the student account for payment toward tuition, fees, books, and supplies. Scholarship recipients must maintain satisfactory academic progress.

ELIGIBILITY
The GFCMSU 1+3 Engineering Transfer Scholarship award recognizes students who:

- Enroll at Great Falls College MSU in the courses for one of the 1+3 Engineering Transfer Options
- Have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale
- Are a Montana resident
- Meet additional requirements as determined by each available scholarship. (See below)

SCHOLARSHIP AWARD
The GFCMSU 1+3 Engineering Transfer Scholarship may be awarded in variable amounts. The number of scholarships awarded will be based on available funding. The awards will be disbursed in two equal segments, one for each semester (Fall and Spring). Each semester, upon verification after the 15th day of class that the recipients are enrolled in the specified course work for 1+3 Engineering transfer options, the scholarship will be applied to the student account for payment toward tuition, fees, books, and supplies. Scholarship recipients must maintain satisfactory academic progress.

SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

- The Dufresne Foundation 1+3 Engineering Transfer Scholarship Donated by Brad Talcott & Linda Caricaburu, and Women in Construction, will provide two (2) $1000 scholarships per academic year.
- The Stelling 1+3 Engineering Transfer Scholarship will provide one (1) $1000 scholarship per academic year for students pursuing the Civil Engineering 1+3 transfer option.
- The Stockman Bank 1+3 Engineering Transfer Scholarship will provide one (1) $1000 scholarship per academic year.
- The TD&H 1+3 Engineering Transfer Scholarship will provide one (1) $1000 scholarship per academic year.
- The Sara Holman Memorial 1+3 Engineering Transfer Scholarship will provide two (2) $1000 scholarships for the 2016-2017 academic year.
- The L’Heur’eux Page Werner 1+3 Engineering Transfer Scholarship will provide one (1) $1000 scholarship per academic year for a student who has a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale. Preference will be given to a traditional aged student who is a graduate of one of the following Great Falls high schools: CMR, GFHS, Central Catholic HS, Foothills HS.
- The Cameron Engineering Scholarship will provide one (1) $2000 scholarship, two (2) $1000 scholarships, and one (1) $780 scholarship for the 2016-2017 academic year for a student pursuing a degree in the 1+3 Engineering Transfer Option, or similar successor program who has a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale.
APPLICATION PACKET REQUIREMENTS:

1. **Scholarship Application**: Complete the application form in its entirety.

2. **Personal Statement**: One concise statement in paragraph format briefly but specifically explaining why you have the desire to enter the Engineering field. Please limit to no more than one page.

3. **Letter of Recommendation**: Submit ONE letter from an instructor or from a personal reference, such as a high school counselor, employer, pastor, supervisor, etc. The letter MUST include the name, address, email, telephone number, and signature of the person making recommendation.

4. **Current Unofficial Transcripts**: Provide your most current high school or college transcript.

5. **For PRIORITY CONSIDERATION, submit your application and all supporting documents by MAY 27th, 2016** to:

   Great Falls College MSU  
   Financial Aid Office – Student Central  
   2100 16th Ave South  
   Great Falls, MT 59405

   *Recipients will be selected by July 1st, 2016. However, applications will be accepted until August 12th, 2016. Additional scholarships may be awarded in September depending on available funding.

   **The Scholarship Selection Committee has the right to reject any incomplete applications.**
Name ________________________________________________

GFC MSU Student ID (if applicable) __________________________

Phone ________________________________________________

Email ________________________________________________

Address ________________________________________________

City, State, Zip ________________________________________________

High School Last Attended ___________________________ High School Graduation Date __________

Year Attending GFC MSU __________________________________

US Citizen Yes No

State of Legal Residence ___________________________ If Montana, county ________________

Are you currently employed Yes No

If yes, please list Current Employer ______________________________________________________

Hours worked/week __________

Federal law requires Great Falls College MSU to obtain written permission from the awardee 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 __________________________