



2006/07 CAPFAA Scholarship

The Connecticut Association of Professional Financial Aid Administrators (CAPFAA) is pleased to announce the CAPFAA Scholarship for the 2006/07 academic year. This scholarship will be awarded to 10 students for \$1,000 each and is NOT renewable.

CAPFAA was founded in 1969 with the purpose of promoting professional preparation and cooperation between Connecticut college and university student financial aid administrators as well as others in educational institutions, government agencies, foundations, and private community organizations concerned with the support and administration of student financial aid. We feel this scholarship is an excellent way to promote our mission of effectively serving the interest and needs of students in their pursuit of a higher education.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:

All candidates:

- Must be enrolled in a Connecticut post-secondary institution as a full-time student (undergraduate or graduate) in a degree program OR in a program of at least 900 clock hours, 24 semester hours, or 36 quarter hours. The institution the student attends **MUST BE** a current institutional CAPFAA member.
- Must have completed a minimum of 1 term or semester (12 credits) or at least one-half of a clock hour or non-term based program.
- Must have a federal expected family contribution (EFC) of 5000 or less.
- Must have a minimum GPA of 3.0 or its equivalent for undergraduates and 3.5 minimum GPA or its equivalent for graduate students.
- Must have performed community service or volunteer activities in the past 12 months.
- Must not be a prior CAPFAA scholarship winner.
- Must not be an international student.

OTHER INFORMATION:

- Recipients and guest will be invited to attend the CAPFAA annual Business Meeting on Wednesday, June 7, 2006 at Mountainside in Wallingford, CT for the scholarship presentation.
- Scholarship checks will be made payable and sent directly to the school in two disbursements.

In order to be considered, you must submit the 2006/07 CAPFAA Scholarship application, signed by your school's financial aid officer; enclose all required attachments, including a copy of your academic transcript; and mail your application packet so that it is postmarked by April, 1, 2006. Incomplete or late applications will not be reviewed. Mail to:

**Bryan Lewis
Associate Director of Financial Aid Services
Capital Community College
950 Main Street
Hartford, CT 06103**



2006/07
CAPFAA Scholarship Application

Name _____ Social Security# _____

Home Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone # _____ Email Address _____

Local Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Local Phone # _____

Name of school you are attending for 2005/06 _____

Name of school you will be attending for 2006/07 _____

For the 2006/07 academic year will you be (check one):

Undergraduate Graduate

Major _____ Cumulative GPA _____

Anticipated Date of Graduation _____

ATTACHMENT 1: In one page or less, explain why you think you would be a good candidate for the CAPFAA scholarship.

ATTACHMENT 2: COMMUNITY SERVICE ACTIVITIES: In one page or less, please give a detailed description of your community/school/volunteer activities in the past twelve months. Be sure to include dates, approximate hours, and descriptions of activities.

ATTACHMENT 3: Please attach a copy of your academic transcript.

Student's Signature _____ Date _____

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TO BE COMPLETED BY YOUR SCHOOL'S FINANCIAL AID OFFICE

Is this student considered full-time? Yes No

If **NO**, but there are extenuating circumstances, please explain:

The data provided below is for the award year 2005/06 2006/07

Dependency status Dependent Independent

Student's cost of attendance \$ _____

Student's Federal EFC. \$ _____

Student's total need-based financial aid \$ _____

Student's total non-need based financial aid \$ _____

Will this scholarship replace an institutional grant award? Yes No

If **YES**, the student is not eligible

Additional Comments: _____

Name of Institution: _____

Name of Financial Aid Officer: _____

Title: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____