



Triangle Community Center

### Triangle Community Center Scholarship

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## 2021/22 INFORMATION SHEET

### PURPOSE:

The Triangle Community Center (TCC) Scholarship was established to provide scholarship awards to lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, and queer (LGBTQ+) individuals attending accredited technical, vocational, undergraduate or graduate programs. The Scholarship Committee will determine award recipients. In reviewing the application, the Committee will consider academic accomplishments, leadership and community service.

### APPLICATION PROCESS AND DEADLINE:

The Scholarship Committee must receive **applications no later than Friday, June 18, 2021**. The Committee will review applications and awardees will be selected in mid June. Notification will be sent to all applicants about the status of their applications by the end of June.

### AWARD:

TCC will award two, \$2,000 scholarships, and one, \$1,000 scholarship for the 2021/22 school year. The award check will be given to the enrolled recipient via their institution's Financial Aid Office, at the beginning of the term.

### ELIGIBILITY:

The eligibility rules governing the competition for the Triangle Community Center Scholarship include the following:

1. Applications are available to all **lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, and queer (LGBTQ+) students**.
2. During the year in which the award is dispersed, applicants must be enrolled in an accredited vocational, undergraduate or graduate program leading to a degree, certificate, license, or diploma in their field.
3. Applicants from an accredited vocational, undergraduate or graduate program must have a minimum cumulative average of a C+ in all prior college or high school level coursework.
4. Applicants must meet all satisfactory academic progress requirements normally applied by the institution for its federal, state, and institutional financial aid programs.

### INSTRUCTIONS AND REQUIREMENTS:

1. The institution must send official high school and/or college transcripts directly to the Triangle Community Center (mailing address & email address below). All materials must be **received** (not postmarked) by TCC by June 18, 2021. Please allow one week for mail delivery.
2. Applicants must meet all material submission requirements and deadlines that are included in

the annual announcement of the competition. An applicant must provide the following documents in order to be considered for the award:

- a. Completed and signed Application Form with general demographic information.
  - b. Written statement describing how the student meets the requirements of the scholarship program as described in the eligibility section above.
  - c. Any other documents subsequently requested by the Scholarship Committee.
3. Applicants may include additional information to support their application, including documentation of activities cited in their statements.
  4. Applications with all supporting documents must be **RECEIVED** (not postmarked) by **Friday June 18, 2021**. No application received after this date will be considered. Please mail completed application and any supporting materials to:

**Triangle Community Center Scholarship**  
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*Applications received electronically or downloaded from the website, as well as any supporting materials, may now be submitted electronically as a Word (\*.doc) or PDF (or \*.pdf) attachment to [scholarship@ctpridecenter.org](mailto:scholarship@ctpridecenter.org) on or before the indicated deadline.*

Include with your email message a statement indicating your intent to enter the 2021/22 TCC Scholarship competition. Include your name, address, telephone number, and email address in the body of the email. You will receive a confirmation email that your submission has been received within a week of its receipt.

**Note:** Electronically submitted official high school and/or college transcripts must be sent **by the institution** directly to Triangle Community Center to the email address listed above. Forwarded emails will not be accepted. Please include the applicant's name, address, telephone number, and email address in the body of the email with any related correspondence or attachments and "TCC Scholarship" in the Subject Line.

5. Applicants must inform the Scholarship Sub-Committee of changes of address or enrollment status. Failure to notify the Committee of any changes may affect Scholarship disbursement. Notification can be made to the address listed above.

**\*\*\*For questions, please contact the Scholarship Committee\*\*\***

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**Materials submitted become the property of TCC and will not be returned.**

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2021/22 APPLICATION

FORM Deadline: June 18, 2021

## PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last  
First MI

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Street

\_\_\_\_\_ City State Zip

E-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

Home Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security Number \_\_\_\_\_  
(Or school identification number)

## ACADEMIC INFORMATION

### A. High School Seniors Only - High school attended OR GED program

\_\_\_\_\_ High  
School Name  
\_\_\_\_\_ City State  
ZIP  
Graduation Date \_\_\_\_\_ Class Rank \_\_\_\_\_  
Cumulative GPA (4.0 scale) \_\_\_\_\_ ACT / SAT Scores \_\_\_\_\_

### Program you will attend upon high school graduation

\_\_\_\_\_ School Name  
\_\_\_\_\_ City State ZIP

### B. Vocational/Undergraduates/Graduate Students Only -

\_\_\_\_\_ School Name

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City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Credits Earned to Date \_\_\_\_\_ Cumulative GPA (4.0 scale) \_\_\_\_\_

Current Class Standing \_\_\_\_\_  
(Ex: first semester sophomore)

Anticipated Graduation Date \_\_\_\_\_ Declared Major \_\_\_\_\_

**Other Schools You Have Attended**

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College/University City, State Zip \_\_\_\_\_

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College/University City State ZIP \_\_\_\_\_  
Cumulative GPA (4.0 scale) \_\_\_\_\_ Cumulative GPA (4.0 scale) \_\_\_\_\_

My major field of study during the upcoming academic year will be:  
\_\_\_\_\_

**C. EDUCATIONAL AGENDA (TO BE ANSWERED BY ALL)**

My major field of study during the upcoming academic year will be:  
\_\_\_\_\_

I expect to finish my current degree objective in the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_.  
Semester or Trimester Year

**D. EXPERIENCE**

**Please Answer on a Separate Sheet of Paper. Your responses must be typed.**

- A. List other jobs, extra-curricular activities, and/or volunteer work that you think contributes to your candidacy.
- B. List any school or community honors and awards you have received.

**E. ESSAY**

Please prepare an essay (typed, double-spaced, not to exceed three pages) discussing your accomplishments and goals, and how being a member of the LGBTQ community has shaped you. Describe how receiving this scholarship will enable you to make a substantial contribution to society. How do these goals contribute to the general LGBTQ population?

**REFERENCES**

Please provide the names of two references (not family members). These references may, at the discretion of the Scholarship Committee, be contacted to attest to your accomplishments or for further information about your application.

1. \_\_\_\_\_

Name	Title
_____	_____
School/Company/Organization	Daytime Telephone Number

2.

\_\_\_\_\_

Name

\_\_\_\_\_

Title

\_\_\_\_\_

School/Company/Organization

\_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Telephone Number

**CERTIFICATION**

*Note: Personal information collected as a part of the application process for The Triangle Community Center Scholarship will become the property of the Scholarship Committee, will be kept confidential, and will only be used by the Scholarship Committee for purposes of evaluating applicants.*

My signature below certifies that I have read and understand all the conditions and requirements of an applicant for The Triangle Community Center Scholarship as described on the INFORMATION SHEET, and that I meet all eligibility requirements:

\_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Applicant

\_\_\_\_\_

Date