

# A.L.I.E.N.E. Scholarship

A Learning Incentive, Everyone Needs Encouragement

Due:  
\$1500

**Purpose:** The purpose of this award is to provide assistance to a student, who has demonstrated perseverance in overcoming adversity, has a financial need and has a commitment to pursue postsecondary education. This is a need based scholarship centered on life experiences.

## Qualifications:

1. Recipient must have attended Guthrie High School for two years
2. Recipient must be a graduating senior of Guthrie High School
3. Recipient must attend a college or career technical center in the state of Oklahoma
4. Preference will be given to a student with a grade point average between 2.5 and 3.5

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Parents Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Siblings & Ages: \_\_\_\_\_

Prospective College/Career Technical Center: \_\_\_\_\_

Prospective Field of Study: \_\_\_\_\_

Cumulative G.P.A. \_\_\_\_\_

## Required Information:

1. Completed application
2. Resume to include (if any):
  - a. Work experience (nature of work, dates, employer)
  - b. Community service (nature of service, organization, dates)
  - c. Extracurricular activities (activity, grade levels, number of years)
3. Two letters of recommendation from a teacher, community member, or employer
4. Current high school transcript

5. Essay of at least 250 words outlining your educational plans, career goals, financial need, challenges you have faced, how you have overcome adversity, and how this scholarship would make a difference in your life.

**Selection Process –**

One \$1500 scholarship for the \_\_\_\_\_ school year will be awarded. A selection committee of the Aliene Anderson family will review each application and score based on quality of (narrative) responses and letters of recommendation.

**Payment –**

The scholarship will be paid directly to the Financial Aid Department of the college which the applicant has indicated he/she will attend. Half of the scholarship amount will be paid at the beginning of the fall \_\_\_\_\_ semester. The remaining half will be paid at the beginning of the spring \_\_\_\_\_ semester upon enrollment verification by the school. Failure to maintain enrollment status will result in the cancellation of the scholarship and funds will be returned to the A.L.I.E.N.E. Scholarship Fund.