

# John H. and Carol Luscombe Scholarship

## Program Information

The **John H. and Carol Luscombe Scholarship** is available for adult and non-traditional students residing in the greater Toledo area pursuing a certificate, associate degree, or bachelor degree at Owens Community College or Terra State Community College. This scholarship is also available to non-traditional students pursuing a degree in arts at the University of Toledo. This scholarship may be renewed for additional years after the initial award (not guaranteed), provided the student meets the renewal conditions.

APPLICATION DEADLINE	AWARD AMOUNT	TOTAL TO BE AWARDED	NUMBER OF AWARDS	AWARD TYPE	RENEWAL TERMS
June 8	\$3,000	\$16,000	Varies	Possible Renewal	Meets renewal conditions.

### APPLICANT ELIGIBILITY

*Applications are first carefully reviewed by the Greater Toledo Community Foundation (GTCF) staff to verify their eligibility.*

1. Must be a U.S. Citizen.
2. Must reside in Lucas County, Ottawa County, Sandusky County, Wood County or Monroe County (MI).
3. Must be pursuing certificate, associate degree, or bachelor degree at Owens Community College, Terra State Community College OR pursuing art degree at the University of Toledo.
4. Must be a non-traditional student, defined as meeting one or more of the following criteria:
  - Delayed or postponed college for personal and/or employment reasons;
  - Had college career interrupted due to personal and/or financial hardships;
  - Work full-time while attending college;
  - Have dependent children;
  - Did not receive a high school diploma, but obtained a GED Certificate or other high school completion certificate.

### SELECTION CRITERIA

*Eligible applicants are reviewed by a Scholarship Advisory Committee (SAC) based on the following criteria, in order of significance.*

1. Financial Need
2. Priority to students meeting multiple or all of the non-traditional student status criteria.

### SCHOLARSHIP PROCESS & TIMELINE

November	Application Available: <a href="#">Click here to apply on the Scholarship Portal</a>
June 8	Application Deadline: Applicants are fully responsible for uploading required documents by the deadline.
June	Review Process: SAC reviews & evaluates applications.
Late June	Committee Meeting: SAC meets to discuss applicants & select recipients.
Early July	Decision Notifications: GTCF notifies applicants of the Committee's decisions (approval & denial).
Mid July	Follow Up: Recipients must submit a Scholarship Recipient Form to verify enrollment at an accredited post-secondary institution, and submit a Thank You Letter which will be shared with the donor(s).
July	Payments: Scholarships are paid directly to post-secondary institution (never directly to student).