

## **FTCC High School Connections Resource Fund Fall 2025 Scholarship Guidelines**

### **Overview:**

The FTCC High School Connections Resource Fund provides financial assistance to support students enrolled in the High School Connections (HSC) dual enrollment program. This fund covers the cost of instructional materials purchased through the FTCC bookstore, up to \$250 per students. Awards are based on demonstrated financial need.

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**Eligibility Criteria:** To be considered for the HSC Resource Fund, students must:

- Be enrolled in FTCC's High School Connections (dual enrollment) program
- Have a minimum GPA of 2.0
- Demonstrate financial need through a personal statement and counselor or principal support
- Submit a complete application with all required documentation

Examples of demonstrated financial need may include but are not limited to:

- Caring for siblings or working a job after school
  - Limited family income
  - Unexpected financial hardship
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**Application Requirements:** A complete application includes:

- Online application form (including parent/guardian acknowledgment)
- Financial need essay (300 word minimum) submitted by the student via email
- Counselor Support Form (completed by the student's school counselor after FTCC request)

Students will complete an online application. Once submitted, they will be prompted to email their financial need essay. FTCC staff will then follow up with the student's counselor to complete the support form. Students do not need to collect counselor forms or handle additional paperwork directly.

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### **Application Timeline:**

- Application Opens: August 9, 2025
- Application deadline: Wednesday, August 27, 2025
- Award notifications: Rolling, with final notifications by September 3, 2025

**Note:** Applications will be processed in the order they are received. Scholarships will be awarded through August 27 or until all available funds have been distributed, whichever comes first.

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### **Questions?**

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**Thank you for your support in helping students access the resources they need to succeed.**