

Scholarships for Freshman Only

Michael Abbott Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship was established by Michael's sister, Kate-Lynn Parker, to honor and remember her late brother. To be eligible a student must be a freshman, graduating from Chatham High School; enrolled as full-time or part-time student in the Air Conditioning and Refrigeration (HVAC) program and have a minimum 2.5 grade point average (GPA). Other criteria include:

- Maintain high moral character
- Demonstrate a concern for others
- High ideals
- Good citizenship
- Possess leadership qualities
- Participate in community outreach
- Demonstrate a financial need

American National Bank and Trust Company Scholarship

This scholarship was made possible by American National Bank and Trust Company. The award is presented to an entering freshman who is enrolling full time in a two-year program of study at DCC. The same student will be given preference for the award during his/her second year. The student must demonstrate a clear commitment to completing the academic program in a timely manner and cannot be eligible for other types of financial assistance.

Barkhouser Endowed Scholarship

Richard and Kit Barkhouser established the Barkhouser Endowed Scholarship in 1998 to support a full-time freshman at DCC. The first-year student must reside within the DCC service region or in Caswell County, NC, and must demonstrate scholastic achievement, have at least a 2.50 high school GPA, and exhibit leadership potential.

O. T. Bonner Memorial Scholarship

The O. T. Bonner Memorial Scholarship was established in 1996 by Dr. John Bonner in memory of his father, O. T. Bonner, an educator who served as the first chair of the Danville Community College Board. The award is presented to a fulltime student at DCC.

Elizabeth B. Bustard Endowed Scholarship

The Elizabeth B. Bustard Endowed Scholarship is awarded to a full-time freshman who is committed to high ideals and demonstrates leadership and good citizenship. Scholastic achievement of at least a 3.00 GPA is the final criterion for this award.

Roger Cook Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship is awarded to an incoming female student enrolled in Business and/or Marketing. The student must be a Tunstall High School graduate who has maintained a minimum 2.0 grade point average.

- Maintained high moral character
- Demonstrated a concern for others
- High ideals
- Good citizenship
- Possesses leadership qualities
- Participated in community outreach
- Demonstrated a financial need

P. Niles and Carol Daly Scholarships

The P. Niles and Carol Daly Scholarships are presented to entering freshmen who are enrolled full-time and need financial assistance. Preference is given to Daly Seven Hotel employees and children of Daly Seven employees. The recipients must reside within the local area, must maintain a minimum 2.5 GPA, and exhibit leadership potential and good citizenship.

Stephanie Ferguson Memorial Scholarship

Created in memory of Stephanie Ferguson by her parents and friends in 1991, the scholarship was first awarded in 2000. The recipient must be a current graduate of Dan River High School, maintain at least a 2.50 GPA, enrolled as a first-year student in the Child Development, Liberal Arts, or Science program, participated in extracurricular activities during high school exemplifying leadership, and exhibited a great determination to succeed.

Henrietta G. Geyer Dental Hygiene Scholarship

Created in memory of Henrietta G. Geyer by her grandson, this award is presented to a recent graduate from George Washington

High School who intends to pursue a career in dental hygiene. The recipient must also have achieved a 2.5 grade point average or higher in high school and have financial need.

Mickey D. Geyer Nursing Scholarship

Created in memory of Mickey D. Geyer by her son, this award will be presented to a recent graduate from George Washington High School who intends to pursue a career in nursing. The recipient must also have achieved a 2.5 grade point average or higher in high school and have financial need.

Rebekah L. Heldreth Memorial Scholarship

The Rebekah L. Heldreth Memorial Scholarship has been established in memory of an exceptional young lady. In order to be eligible, the recipient must be a female senior graduating from Chatham High School who has achieved a 3.0 GPA for her senior year in high school and has academic promise with a commitment to complete college, maintained high moral character, demonstrated concern for others, high ideals, good citizenship and possess leadership qualities, participated in community service, demonstrated financial need and enrolled full-time in the transfer Science program of study.

Ethel C. and Henry A. Mitchell Memorial Foundation Scholarship

The Ethel C. and Henry A. Mitchell Memorial Foundation Scholarship was established at DCC in 2002. The scholarship will be awarded to three first-year African-American students at DCC who have maintained a high school GPA of at least 2.50; have enrolled in Public Service, Child Development, or a Liberal Arts program; have demonstrated financial need; and have performed at least one year of community service, either school-sponsored or community-based. Preference will be given to residents of the Almagro and surrounding communities within the City of Danville limits.

Ann and Frank Mobley Endowed Scholarship

The Ann and Frank Mobley Endowed Scholarship is presented to an incoming full-time student from Pittsylvania County, with preference being given to a Tunstall High School student. Need, scholastic achievement of at least a 3.00 GPA for the last year in school, academic promise, and good citizenship are among the criteria for selection.

Rexford E. O'Neil Endowed Scholarship

The Rexford E. O'Neil Endowed Scholarship, named in memory of DCC's long-time registrar, is awarded to an entering freshman enrolled fulltime in an associate degree or diploma program. The award is restricted to tuition and fees. The recipient should be a student who does not qualify for other types of financial assistance and shows promise of educational success.

Peoples Mutual Telephone Company, Inc. - Tech Prep Scholarship

Peoples Mutual Telephone Company, Inc. an independent telephone firm located in Gretna, Virginia, expanded its scholarship endowment in 1998 in order to provide a scholarship for a graduate of the Tech Prep program who has maintained at least a 2.50 GPA and who will continue his/her education at DCC. Preference for the scholarship will be given to a Gretna High School student or to a student from Pittsylvania County.

Edna S. Powell Family Memorial Scholarship

The Edna S. Powell Family Memorial Scholarship was established by Shannon L. Hair to honor and recognize his family. In order to be eligible, the recipient must be a senior graduating from a high school in the college's service area and who has achieved a 3.0 GPA or better for his/her senior year. He/she must have academic promise with a commitment to complete college, maintained high moral character, demonstrated a concern for others, high ideals, good citizenship, possess leadership qualities, participated in community outreach, demonstrated a financial need and will be enrolled as a full-time student. In efforts to show tribute to the Powell Family, the scholarship will be awarded annually to a student who demonstrates the previous criteria.

George Rogers – Educational Foundation Scholarship

The George Rogers – Educational Foundation Scholarship was created in 2012 to honor one of the great technical professors from DCC. Mr. Rogers has committed his life to the betterment of the Danville/Pittsylvania County community. The annual award is for tuition and/or books using the following criteria:

- First year or second year student enrolled full-time.
- Student must have maintained in high school a GPA of 3.0 and/or at DCC maintained a GPA of 2.5.
- Student must demonstrate a financial need and is not eligible for Federal Aid.
- Preference will be given to a student who has performed at least one year of community service either in a school-sponsored or community-based activity.
- Preference will be given to a resident of Danville and Halifax or Pittsylvania County communities.

Peyton Sellers Champion Award

Peyton Sellers, a DCC 2004 motorsports management graduate, received the 2005 Dodge Late Model Weekly Championship. Because of his outstanding leadership, a \$1,000 award has been established in his name and the first award made in 2006-2007. To be eligible, the recipient must be a current high school graduate from Danville, Halifax County or Pittsylvania County, majoring in a technical program. The recipient must have academic promise and possess and display leadership potential.

Schoolfield High School Reunion Committee Endowed Scholarship

The Schoolfield High School Reunion Committee Endowed Scholarship was established in 2001 through the generosity of members and alumni of Schoolfield High School. The scholarship will be awarded to a current high school graduate who has maintained at least a 3.00 GPA while in high school, has financial need, has been involved in community and school-related activities and demonstrated leadership potential. The student may be enrolled in any DCC program either full time or part time.

Stendig-Miller Family Endowed Scholarship

Stendig-Miller Family Endowed Scholarship was established by Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stendig and the late Mrs. Minnie Miller. It is awarded annually to a student entering DCC, enrolled full time or part time in a program. The award is to be used for tuition and books. Selection is determined by financial need and the student's strong commitment to acquiring an education.

Jack I. White Endowed Scholarships

The Jack I. White Endowed Scholarships were established by a bequest from the estate of Miss Annie E. White in memory of her sisters, Miss Elizabeth H. White and Miss Juliette I. White. Recipients must be graduates of Dan River High School who demonstrate financial need and sufficient aptitude and commitment to complete a college education. One or more full tuition scholarships will be made each year. Announcement of the recipient(s) will be made at the Dan River High School Commencement.

Woodward Scholarship

The Woodward Scholarship will be awarded to a high school senior who has overcome obstacles in order to graduate and obtain a high school diploma. The recipient must have potential for success in post-secondary education and future work; enroll in any certificate, diploma, or degree program at DCC; and maintain at least a 2.00 GPA while enrolled at DCC. Recommendations will be solicited from the Regional Alternative Schools in Halifax County and Danville/ Pittsylvania County, the Southside Regional Group Home in Halifax; Patrick Henry Boys Home; and the directors of Social Services in Danville, Halifax, Pittsylvania, and Farmville.

Scholarships for Full-Time Students

(including Freshmen)

Alliance One International Endowed Scholarship

Funded by Alliance One International in 2000, the endowed scholarship is given to a full-time student who is in good academic and social standing with the college. Preference is given to students who are dependents of employees of Alliance One International or its predecessor companies. Second preference is given to students who are dependents of other local tobacco industry employees. Third preference is given to students who have lived for at least one year in Danville, Pittsylvania County or the surrounding area. In instances where multiple candidates meet the eligibility requirements, determination shall be based on a combination of the student's financial need and past academic achievement.

Amy Jo Murray Bell Memorial Scholarship

The Amy Jo Murray Bell Memorial Scholarship was established by family and friends in memory of Bell who attended DCC and later transferred to the Danville School of Radiology. The scholarship will be awarded annually to a student who is enrolled in the First

Year Studies program with plans to complete training in radiology. The recipient must also have maintained a minimum of a 3.0 grade point average in high school or college. Preference will be given to an individual who is a single parent and has participated in community service activities.

Alexander Berkeley Carrington, Jr. and Ruth Simpson Carrington Charitable Trust Scholarships

The Carrington Charitable Trust Scholarships are awarded to two full-time students who demonstrate a commitment to completing the academic program in a timely manner and who have financial need.

Chatham Rotary Club Scholarship

The Chatham Rotary Club Scholarship is available to a student who is a resident of Pittsylvania County and enrolled full-time at DCC. The selection is based on academic merit and financial need.

Climate Control, Inc. Endowed Scholarship

The Climate Control, Inc. Endowed Scholarship was established by the company's Board of Directors and Mr. John Cannon. Preference is given to children of employees of Climate Control, Inc. and then to Halifax County residents. To be eligible, a student must be enrolled full-time in a degree, diploma, or certificate program. The award is renewable for a second year, provided the recipient maintains a 2.50 GPA and reapplies.

Commonwealth Legacy Scholarship Program

The Commonwealth Legacy Scholarship program was established in 2006 by the Virginia Foundation for Community Colleges to increase access to higher education and to develop student leadership potential. Subsequent scholarships and awards may be given to a student attending DCC for the first time. The recipient must demonstrate academic excellence during high school; be a full-time, associate degree seeking student with plans to graduate from a Virginia Community College; demonstrate a willingness to promote community college education and the Commonwealth Legacy Scholarship Program; demonstrate a willingness to mentor future scholars; and demonstrate a commitment to developing leadership potential.

Philip & Frances Daly Annual Scholarship

This scholarship was established for a first or second-year student enrolled full-time, with a minimum high school grade point average (GPA) of 3.0 and/or DCC GPA of 2.5. The recipient must have maintained a high moral character, demonstrated concern for others, high ideals, good citizenship, and possesses leadership qualities; participated in community service, and demonstrated financial need.

Dan River Inc. Endowed Scholarship

The recipient of the Dan River Inc. Endowed Scholarship must be a full-time student who demonstrates a clear commitment to completing a degree program or transfer program at Danville Community College.

D. Randolph "Randy" Davis Memorial Scholarship

The D. Randolph "Randy" Davis Memorial Scholarship was established to honor and memorialize Mr. Randy Davis, community and civic leader of Danville, VA. Mr. Davis attended the VPI-Danville Extension in 1962 and later graduated from Virginia Tech in 1966. He committed himself to the betterment of Danville and Pittsylvania County by serving in his profession and volunteerism. Mr. Davis fought and lost his battle to colon cancer in 2012. In order to be eligible, the recipient must meet the following criteria:

- Be a male student who played a high school sport (1st choice)
- Be a full-time student enrolled in the Accounting Curriculum (2nd choice)
- Must have academic promise with a commitment to complete college
- Maintains a high moral character
- Demonstrates a concern for others
- High ideals
- Good citizenship
- Possess leadership qualities
- Participates in community outreach
- Demonstrates a financial need

Excelsis Research Scholarship

The recipient of the Excelsis Research Scholarship must be a full-time student majoring in Science who is enrolled in college-transfer and demonstrates scholastic ability, financial need, and good citizenship.

Thelma E. Forney Endowed Scholarship

The Thelma E. Forney Endowed Scholarship has been established as a memorial to a deeply respected individual who was

employed at Danville Technical Institute and Danville Community College for 27 years. The scholarship is awarded to a full-time student in the Administrative Support Technology Program, or in any other diploma-certificate program at DCC. Selection is based upon potential ability and financial need.

Walter L. and E. Stuart James Grant Memorial Endowed Scholarships

The scholarships are awarded to children and immediate family members (defined as living in the same household) of Danville Register and Bee employees. In the event that there are no applicants from immediate family members of employees, then consideration will be given to a current Danville Register and Bee carrier in good standing or the spouse, son, or daughter of a current carrier (good standing to be determined by the Danville Register and Bee) or former carrier who gave up a route in good standing. To receive the award, the recipient must agree to assist for three hours per week with the Estelle H. Womack Collection housed at the Danville Science Center. The full-time student must show evidence of financial need and the ability to successfully complete college-level academic requirements. Recipients are eligible to reapply for successive years.

Dr. Harold Henry – Educational Foundation Scholarship

The Dr. Harold Henry – Educational Foundation Scholarship was created in 2012 to honor one of the great professors and administrators from DCC. Dr. Henry has committed his life to the betterment of the Danville/Pittsylvania County community. The annual award is to be used for tuition and/or books using the following criteria:

- First year or second-year student enrolled full-time.
- Student must have maintained in high school a GPA of 3.0 and/or at DCC maintained a GPA of 2.5.
- Student must demonstrate a financial need and is not eligible for Federal Aid.
- Preference will be given to a student that has performed at least one year of community service either in a school sponsored or community based activity.
- Preference will be given to a resident of Danville and Halifax or Pittsylvania County communities.

Bobbie R. Ingram Educational Fund for Women

The Bobbie R. Ingram Educational Fund for Women was established to recognize the late Mrs. Bobbie Reid Ingram. This scholarship will provide a lasting memory of the impact she made in the lives of students here at Danville Community College until her retirement in 2001. In 1981, she began her 20- year affiliation with DCC as a part-time “Mom” and as a student development office assistant. Mrs. Ingram provided invaluable support for student activities and was always there to offer a sympathetic and empathetic ear. A full-time female student possessing the same qualities as Mrs. Ingram will be awarded this scholarship annually.

Dr. Harry T. Kolendrianos Endowed Scholarship

The Dr. Harry T. Kolendrianos Endowed Scholarship was endowed in 2012 by the proceeds made from the annual DCC Half Marathon/8K Race sponsored by Virginia Bank and Trust Company. Virginia Bank and Trust Company, the leading sponsor, wanted to recognize their fellow board member and retired DCC professor for his great work at DCC, with the bank, and in the community. The following criteria will be used in awarding the annual scholarship:

- First year or second-year student enrolled full-time.
- Student must have maintained in high school a GPA of 3.0 and/or at DCC maintained a GPA of 2.5.
- Student must demonstrate a financial need and is not eligible for Federal Aid.
- Preference will be given to a student who has performed at least one year of community service either in a school-sponsored or community-based activity
- Preference will be given to a resident of Danville and Pittsylvania County communities.

Charles R. Lingafelt Electronics Scholarship

The Charles R. Lingafelt Electronics Scholarship was established to honor and recognize Charles R. Lingafelt. In order to be eligible, the recipient must meet the following criteria:

- Have a minimum 2.5 GPA (on a 4.0 scale) or better in high school if applying as an incoming student.
- Maintain a 3.0 GPA or better in coursework at DCC.
- Enrolled as a full-time student at DCC: 1st Preference given to student accepted into the Electrical/Electronics program (letter of acceptance required); 2nd Preference given to student accepted into the Engineering program.
- Preference given to graduates of Pittsylvania County Schools
- Preference given to first generation college students
- Demonstrates financial need.
- Preference given to work experience - letter of recommendation required from employer.
- High moral character with high ideals and good citizenship - letter of recommendation required. (This and following recommendations may be contained in the letters of recommendation listed below.)
- Demonstrates a concern for others.
- Participates in community outreach - letter of recommendation required.

- Active in a religious organization - letter of confirmation required.
- No criminal conviction within the last 5 years (traffic convictions excluded except DUI & DWI)
- Must provide 2 letters of recommendation

An eligible student may continue receiving scholarship for up to a total of four semesters as long as the student remains eligible for scholarships.

Rosalie C. Mead Women in Manufacturing Scholarship

The Rosalie C. Mead Scholarship was established to honor and recognize Ms. Mead.

In order to be eligible, the recipient must meet the following criteria:

- Maintain a 3.0 GPA or better in coursework
- Previous Work Experience (if applicable)
- Must be at least 18 years of age
- Must be accepted into the Integrated Machining Program or the Dimensional Metrology Program (letter of acceptance required)
- Maintains a high moral character
- Demonstrates a concern for others
- High ideals
- Good citizenship
- Possess leadership qualities
- Participates in community outreach
- Demonstrates a financial need
- Enroll as a full-time student
- Must provide a written essay on the impact this scholarship would have on the student's future life and career (explaining career aspirations)
- Must provide 2 letters of recommendation (preferably from a previous instructor or employer)

James R. Meissner II Memorial Scholarship

The James R. Meissner II Memorial Scholarship was established by Mrs. Judith Meissner in January 1998 in memory of her husband who was a long-time faculty member in the Precision Machining Technology program. The scholarship will be awarded to a full-time freshman or sophomore who is enrolled in the Precision Machining Technology program and who has maintained at least a 3.00 GPA.

Clyde and Joyce Midkiff Endowed Scholarship

The Clyde and Joyce Midkiff Endowed Scholarship is awarded to a graduate of Gretna Senior High School, enrolling full-time at Danville Community College. The award is applicable to tuition and books in the academic year in which the award is made. The award is based on financial need.

Vera B. Murphy Memorial / John M. Langston High School Reunion Committee Scholarship

This scholarship was established in memory of a former Danville principal and educator, Vera B. Murphy. The award will be made to a graduating high school senior who will enroll full-time at DCC, has maintained a 2.5 or better GPA, and resides in Danville, Pittsylvania County or Halifax County.

Shaun William Murray Memorial Scholarship

The Shaun William Murray Memorial Scholarship was established by family and friends to recognize the former DCC student who died October 29, 2004. The award is given to a second-year student who is enrolled in the Liberal Arts program with plans to major in fine arts, or enrolled in the Graphics Imaging Technology program. The recipient must have maintained at minimum of 3.0 GPA in high school or in college. Preference is given to a recipient who has participated in community service activities, and who has lived in North Danville and attended any one of the following three schools: Woodrow Wilson, Irvin Taylor, or O.T. Bonner schools.

Kenneth L. Neathery Memorial Endowed Scholarship

The Kenneth L. Neathery Endowed Memorial Scholarship has been established at DCC to provide students with educational opportunities. Mr. Neathery devoted many years of service to the College. His deep concern for students and his belief in the worth of each individual guided his every action. This scholarship shall be awarded to a full-time program-placed business student at DCC. The scholarship may be awarded to a student in any curriculum who demonstrates scholastic achievement and a commitment to high ideals.

Don Nodtvedt Boys and Girls Club Scholarship

The Don Nodtvedt scholarship was created in 2012 to honor Don Nodtvedt and his accomplishments in Danville/Pittsylvania County. Mr. Nodtvedt, recently retired Boys and Club Director, committed his life to the betterment of the Danville/Pittsylvania County community. The annual award is to be used for tuition and/or books using the following criteria:

- First year or second-year student enrolled full-time.
- Student must have maintained in high school a GPA of 3.0 and/or at DCC maintained a GPA of 2.5.
- Student must demonstrate a financial need and is not eligible for Federal Aid.
- Preference will be given to a student who has performed at least one year of community service either in a school-sponsored or community-based activity.
- Preference will be given to a resident of Danville and Pittsylvania County communities.

Nelson and Thelma Pippin Scholarship for Vocational and Career Education

Created in honor of Nelson and Thelma Pippin by their children, this award is presented to students enrolled full-time in the following programs: precision machine technology, air conditioning and refrigeration (HVAC), advanced manufacturing, electrical concepts or welding. The recipient must have a grade point average (GPA) of 2.8 or higher. Priority selection in order goes to graduates from the following area schools: (1) Gretna High School or Faith Christian School; (2) any other Pittsylvania County School; (3) Danville City School; and (4) Halifax County School.

Rippe Endowed Scholarship for Women in Science and Business

Established in 1992 by Rippe's and Ben Rippe, this scholarship is awarded to a full-time female student enrolled in a college transfer program, majoring in business or science. The selection criterion is based on the educational ability of the student.

Fredrick Morris Robertson Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship is awarded to an incoming or returning student enrolled full-time in the Drafting & Design program. The recipient must demonstrate scholastic ability, good citizenship and financial need.

Herbert R. Silverman, M.D. and Evelyn N. Silverman Scholarship Fund

The Herbert R. Silverman, M.D. and Evelyn N. Silverman Scholarship Fund provides scholarships for full-time students enrolled in DCC's Nursing programs. To be eligible, a student must be a permanent resident of the City of Danville or Pittsylvania County; demonstrate a financial need for the scholarship; demonstrate a commitment to obtain a nursing degree and, thereafter, pursue a career in nursing; and be a good citizen with the highest ethical and moral character.

The Fred Webb Welding Scholarship

The Fred Webb Welding Scholarships was established by his son, Fred Webb to honor and remember his father, the late Mr. Fred Webb, Sr. Mr. Webb worked diligently for decades as a welder, a trade he learned while attending DTI. Mr. Webb mastered the art of welding and worked for many contractors and associated businesses in the Danville-Pittsylvania County. This scholarship has been created to provide financial assistance for one Danville Community College student annually. In order to be eligible, the recipient must meet the following criteria:

- Be enrolled in the following programs: Welding (first priority); Industrial Maintenance (second priority); and Precision Machining (third priority)
- Maintains a high moral character
- Demonstrates a concern for others
- High ideals, Good citizenship
- Possess leadership qualities
- Participates in community outreach
- Demonstrates a financial need
- Enroll as a full-time student and maintain at least 3.0 GPA

Plumer Wiseman Endowed Scholarship

The Plumer Wiseman Endowed Scholarship was established in memory of Mr. Plumer Wiseman, a dedicated volunteer at the Estelle H. Womack Museum of Natural History, by the John James Westbrook Society and the DCC Educational Foundation. The purpose of the award is to provide an opportunity for a full-time student to receive tuition assistance in return for working for six hours per week with the Estelle H. Womack Collection housed at the Danville Science Center. The student must have at least a 2.50 GPA in the major field and be working towards a degree, diploma, or certificate.

Scholarships for Part-Time and Full-Time Students

(Including Freshmen)

Ahmed Children Scholarship

The Ahmed Children Scholarship is awarded to a full-time or part-time student who has enrolled for self-improvement with the intention of completing a program or has plans for a degree. The recipient must maintain a 2.5 or better GPA and have financial need.

Dr. B.R. Ashby Nursing Scholarship

The Dr. B.R. Ashby Nursing Scholarship was established to create a lasting legacy in memory of Dr. B. R. Ashby. In order to be eligible, the recipient must meet the following criteria:

- Be enrolled in either the Practical Nursing or Registered Nursing Program
- Maintains a high moral character
- Demonstrates a concern for others
- High ideals
- Good citizenship
- Possess leadership qualities
- Participates in community outreach
- Demonstrates a financial need
- Enroll as a full-time student or part-time student
- Maintain a 3.0 GPA
- Scholarship is renewable

Ashby-Pryor Endowed Scholarship

The Ashby-Pryor Endowed Scholarship was established in memory of Fred James and Pernie Sizer Ashby and Claude Edison and Mary Early Pryor. It is awarded to a DCC student each fall who is enrolled in at least nine credit hours and who demonstrates scholastic ability and good citizenship.

Baggerly Administration of Justice Scholarship

The Baggerly Administration of Justice Scholarship was established by William T. and Christine S. Baggerly to support and add educational assistance to our community's active duty law enforcement officer. The scholarship will be awarded annually to a student who demonstrates the following criteria:

- First year or second year student enrolling in Administration of Justice (AAS) with a specialization in Law Enforcement, Corrections, Protective Services and/or Cybercrime Investigation
- Scholastic achievement of at least a 2.0 GPA
- Preference will be given based on the following criteria:
 - a. Active Duty, Pittsylvania County Sheriff's Office
 - b. Active Duty, Danville Police Department
 - c. Student currently enrolled in the Administration of Justice program
- Scholarship will pay for tuition, books and fees only

Sinatra Isaac Isaiah Banks, Jr. Memorial Scholarship

The Sinatra Isaac Isaiah Banks, Jr. Memorial Scholarship was established by his parents, Sinatra Banks, Sr. and Renee Banks, to honor and remember the late Mr. Sinatra Banks, Jr. who was on course to graduate in the Spring 2015 before his life was taken on May 30th, 2014 due to injuries from an automobile accident. Along with Sinatra, his mother and sister had planned to graduate from DCC in 2015 as a family. Sinatra's father, mother and sister are all graduates of Danville Community College. Banks was a 2012 graduate of George Washington High School (GWHS). This scholarship has been created to provide financial assistance for one Danville Community College student annually. In order to be eligible, the recipient must meet the following criteria:

- Be enrolled in Computer Drafting & Design
- Scholastic Achievement of 3.0 GPA or higher
- Maintain a high moral character
- Demonstrate a concern for others
- High ideals
- Good citizenship
- Possess leadership qualities
- Participates in community outreach
- Demonstrate a financial need
- Enroll as a full-time student or part-time student

Note: Scholarship can be awarded to a graduate of GWHS if a recipient cannot be found within the Computer Drafting and Design program.

Carrington and Happy Bidgood Scholarship for Business and Marketing

The Carrington and Happy Bidgood Scholarship for Business and Marketing was established in memory to honor and recognize the late Mr. Carrington Bidgood and Mrs. Happy Bidgood. In order to be eligible, the student must be enrolled in one of the following programs:

- Business Management
- Marketing (both AAS degrees).

The student must also meet the following criteria:

- a. Must have academic promise with a commitment to complete college
- b. Maintained high moral character
- c. Demonstrated a concern for others
- d. High ideals
- e. Good citizenship

Thomas B. Cannon Scholarship

This scholarship is awarded to part-time or full-time student enrolled in the Information Systems Technology curriculum who demonstrates scholastic ability, good citizenship and financial need.

Philip and Frances Daly Memorial Scholarship

The Philip and Frances Daly Memorial Scholarship was created to honor the Daly's legacy. Mr. and Mrs. Daly will be remembered for their commitment to the betterment of lives in the Danville/Pittsylvania County community. The annual award is to be used for tuition and/or books using the following criteria:

- First year or second-year student enrolled full-time
- Student must have maintained in high school a GPA of 3.0 and/or at DCC maintained a GPA of 2.5.
- Student must demonstrate a financial need and is not eligible for Federal Aid.
- The preference for this award will be given to Daly Seven Hotel employees and children of Daly Seven employees.
- Additional preferences will be given to a student that has performed at least one year of community service either in a school sponsored or community based activity and/or that has athletic promise.
- Preference will be given to a resident of Danville and Halifax or Pittsylvania County communities.

Danville Kiwanis Club Scholarship

The Danville Kiwanis Club Scholarship provides awards for each of the two years a student is enrolled. The award covers tuition and books to a full-time or part-time DCC student who demonstrates financial need, scholastic ability, and good citizenship.

Danville Lions Foundation Endowed Scholarship

The Danville Lions Foundation Endowed Scholarship was established for full-time or part-time students who demonstrate visual or hearing impairments or other disabilities. The award(s) may be made for tuition, books, and fees. Tuition assistance is also available through the Danville Lions Foundation Endowment to train local teachers in sign language and other communications skills for the hearing impaired.

Danville Regional Medical Center Retiree Scholarship for Nursing

The Danville Regional Medical Center (DRMC) Retiree Scholarship was established to honor and remember the retired staff of DRMC. The many years of commitment, tradition and excellence given to DRMC over their tenure will now be highlighted with the creation of this scholarship. The DRMC Scholarship is intended to provide financial assistance for an incoming nursing student. In order to be eligible, the recipient must meet the following criteria:

- Be enrolled as a full-time nursing student
- Must have academic promise with a commitment to complete college, either at DCC or a four-year institution
- Demonstrates high moral character and concern for others
- High ideals and leadership qualities
- Good citizenship and participation in community outreach
- Demonstrates a financial need

Davenport Scholarship

The Davenport Scholarship was established by Mr. and Mrs. Ben Davenport, Jr., to benefit the child of an employee of Banister Bend Farms, Chatham Communications, Chatham Security Inc., Davenport Energy, First Piedmont Corporation, or Piedmont Transport. The student must be enrolled in a degree, diploma, or certificate program; and the basis of selection will be: scholastic achievement, financial need, and good citizenship. In order to receive the scholarship for a second semester, the student must maintain a 2.50 GPA for the first semester. The amount of the award will not exceed tuition for 16 hours per semester.

Dewberry Endowed Scholarship

The Dewberry Endowed Scholarship was established by Mr. Sidney O. Dewberry, Chairman of the Board of Directors and Founder of Dewberry, and his respected employees to provide financial assistance to a student enrolled in a Transfer Associate Degree Program at DCC. The recipient must meet the following criteria:

- Four Year Degree seeking student with academic promise and a commitment to complete his/her Engineering degree at a four year institution in the State of Virginia
 - a. George Mason or Virginia Tech Engineering transfer student (first choice)
 - b. University of Virginia, Old Dominion University, Virginia Commonwealth University and/or Virginia Military Institute Engineering transfer student (second choice)
- An Engineering student enrolled in the Associate in Applied Science (A.A.S) two year degree program that would enter the engineering field directly after graduation from Danville Community College (third choice)

All applicants will be considered on the following criteria after the before mentioned are met:

- Demonstrates a financial need
- Maintains high moral character and high ideals
- Possess leadership qualities
- Good citizenship and participates in community outreach

DRMC Scholar Award

The Danville Regional Medical Center (DRMC) Scholar Award was established in 2011 by Danville Regional Medical Center and LifePoint Hospitals. The intent of this scholarship is to award the best nursing students an opportunity to learn at Danville Community College without the stress of the financial burden of college costs. This scholarship will be awarded to nursing students who showcase the highest potential in their field of study. Between 12 and 16 students can be eligible for this annual award that is renewable for their second year of nursing program study. There are other specific requirements that each student must adhere to before accepting this scholarship, which will be outlined upon selection. A separate application process must be completed and submitted to the DCC Nursing Faculty for approval as well as the standard DCC Educational Foundation Scholarship Application.

The criteria below will be used for the selection process:

- 3.2 Entrance GPA
- Community Service involvement with letter of verification of service
- Scholarship dependent on acceptance into the RN
- Preference will be given to residents from the College's service area (i.e. City of Danville, Pittsylvania County and Halifax County)
- Preference will be given to students with proven leadership roles
- Three reference letters required should be from an instructor, employer and facilitator of community service organization (no letter should be written by a family member). Letters of reference should be sealed with a signature and date on the seal
- Student must submit an essay discussing his/her reasons for entering a healthcare profession which will include present and future goals
- Any student unable to complete the program for any reason will repay the scholarship as defined by the donor
- Upon graduation, the student must return a minimum of two years of service to DRMC as an RN (obligation is contingent upon available employment at DRMC or an approved LifePoint Hospital)
- Should a student decide not to accept a position offered by DRMC upon graduation the student must repay all scholarship costs incurred during program attendance to the DCC Educational Foundation
- Student should submit any honors or previous awards received
- Student must submit complete official transcripts with application from any institution attended
- Everything must be submitted together in the application packet or application will be considered incomplete. Any incomplete application will not be considered for scholarship

Robert Wayne Grasty Memorial/High Street Baptist Church Scholarship

The Robert Wayne Grasty Memorial/High Street Baptist Church Scholarship was established to provide financial assistance to a student, enrolled in the Administration of Justice or Business Management curricula seeking an Associate of Applied Science Degree. The recipient must meet the following criteria:

- Preference given to a High Street Baptist Church member

- Demonstrates a financial need
- Must have academic promise with a commitment to complete college
- Maintains high moral character and high ideals
- Possess leadership qualities
- Good citizenship and participates in community outreach

Norman D. Haar Endowed Scholarship

The Dr. Norman D. Haar Endowed Scholarship has been established in memory of an exceptional DCC Professor of Psychology. In order to be eligible, a student must have successfully completed Developmental Studies requirements and entered his/her chosen curriculum.

Hancock-Dees-Murray-Sacred Heart Church-School Scholarship

The Hancock-Dees-Murray-Sacred Heart Church-School Scholarship was established in 1996 by Pat and Cathy Daly in honor of Marguerite "Eddie" Hancock, former principal of Sacred Heart School. The scholarship is awarded to a Sacred Heart School Alumnus, a member of Sacred Heart Church, or a resident of the City of Danville, Virginia who demonstrates financial need or is no longer receiving parental support.

Intertape Polymer Group Scholarships

The Intertape Polymer Group Scholarships provide awards to children of employees of Intertape Polymer who are enrolled in a degree, diploma, or certificate program. The recipients must demonstrate scholastic achievement, financial need, and good citizenship.

Ms. Nancy Fleshman Jiranek Memorial Scholarship

Established by the Danville Reading Center to honor and remember the late Ms. Nancy Jiranek. The recipient must be enrolled as a full-time or part-time student in Early Childhood Education or Development or General Education curriculums. To be eligible the student must:

- Maintain high moral character
- Demonstrate a concern for others
- High ideals
- Demonstrate good citizenship
- Possesses leadership qualities
- Participate in community outreach
- Demonstrate a financial need

Vincent P. Kania Scholarship

The Vincent P. Kania Scholarship is awarded to a part-time or full-time student who demonstrates scholastic ability, good citizenship and financial need.

Kolton Brim Karnes Memorial Scholarship

The Kolton Brim Karnes Memorial Scholarship was established by Kolton's family, friends, and community as a living tribute to a young life that was dramatically taken from this earth without reason. In efforts to honor Kolton, the scholarship will be awarded annually to a student who demonstrates the following criteria:

- Incoming freshman or second year student enrolling or enrolled in Fire Science or Administration of Justice programs
- Preference will be given to students in Fire Science program
- Scholastic achievement of at least a 3.0 GPA
- Demonstrated concern for others, high ideals, good citizenship
- Participated in community service

E. Budge and Carolyn Kent Scholarship

The E. Budge and Carolyn Kent Scholarship is awarded to part-time or full-time student who demonstrates scholastic ability, good citizenship and financial need.

Nathan Lester Excellence Endowed Scholarship

The Nathan Lester Excellence Endowed Scholarship has been established by The Lester Family. The award will be made to a goal-directed, motivated young person who has displayed a positive sense of excellence in art, music, or another academic arena. The recipient should be someone who might be unable to attend college without some financial assistance.

Mildred H. Smoot McCall/SHS Class of '45 Memorial Endowed Scholarship

Established in August 2002 by Robert McCall in memory of his wife, this scholarship will be awarded to a first or second-year student who has maintained at least a 2.50 GPA while in high school and during the first year at DCC. The recipient is enrolled in either full-time or part-time as a program-placed student in a transfer program.

Robert E. Morgan Memorial Endowed Scholarship

The Robert E. Morgan Memorial Endowed Scholarship was established in memory of Robert E. "Bob" Morgan, a long-time professor of Electrical/ Electronics at Danville Technical Institute and DCC. The award will be made to a student in the Electrical/Electronics curriculum who shows potential for successfully completing the program and does not qualify for other financial assistance.

Lyle Carter Motley, Sr. Endowed Scholarship

The Lyle Carter Motley, Sr. Endowed Scholarship was established in memory of Lyle C. Motley, a broadcaster of WMNA in Gretna, VA. The award will be made to a student who has graduated from any Pittsylvania County High School. The recipient must be enrolled in the Electronics program and have maintained at least a 3.0 GPA during high school or during the first year at DCC. Preference will be given to a student who is interested in working in the communications field such as radio or television.

Wayne and Nancy Oakes Scholarship

The Wayne and Nancy Oakes Scholarship is awarded to a part-time or full-time student who demonstrates scholastic ability, good citizenship and financial need.

Lawrence Olds Memorial Endowed Scholarship

The Lawrence Olds Memorial Endowed Scholarship was established as a living tribute to an individual dedicated to the education of the community. The scholarship is awarded annually to a student who demonstrates academic potential and good citizenship.

Albert L. & Sandra D. Payne Dental Hygiene Scholarship

This scholarship was established by Dr. and Mrs. Albert Payne to assist with the educational expenses of a student enrolled in the DCC/Virginia Western Dental Hygiene curriculum. It can be used for tuition, books and fees based on the following criteria:

- Be a Tunstall High School student
- Maintains a high moral character
- Demonstrates a concern for others
- High ideals
- Good citizenship
- Possess leadership qualities
- Participates in community outreach
- Demonstrates a financial need
- Enroll as a full-time student or part-time student
- Must maintain a 2.0 GPA

Peoples Mutual Telephone Endowed Scholarship

The Peoples Mutual Telephone Endowed Scholarship, established in 1989 by the E. B. Fitzgerald III family, is awarded annually and may be used for tuition and fees. The recipient shall be selected in accordance with the following criteria:

- Up to six semesters and three summer sessions provided the student maintains at least a 2.50 GPA, has entered a curriculum, remains in the program, demonstrates good citizenship, and reapplies annually.
- If no candidate qualifies under the above, then the scholarship shall be awarded to a student who has resided in the Peoples Mutual Telephone service area for one year prior to the award.

Phoenix Lodge #62 Scholarship – The Knights of Pythias Engineering Scholarship

The Phoenix Lodge #62 – Knights of Pythias created a lasting legacy by creating five scholarships with the Danville Community College Office of Institutional Advancement. The fully endowed scholarships will directly benefit students in the vocational trades, program of nursing, program of engineering and a graduating student enrolling at Virginia Tech pursuing a degree in Business. This specific scholarship has been created to provide financial assistance for one Danville Community College student annually. In order to be eligible, the recipient must meet the following criteria:

- Be enrolled in the following programs: A.A.S. in General Engineering or Transfer Engineering Program
- Maintains a high moral character
- Demonstrates a concern for others
- High ideals
- Good citizenship
- Possess leadership qualities
- Participates in community outreach

- Demonstrates a financial need
- Enroll as a full-time student or part-time student
- Student must maintain a 3.0 GPA and scholarship is renewable

Phoenix Lodge #62 Scholarship – The Knights of Pythias Nursing Scholarships

The Phoenix Lodge #62 – Knights of Pythias created a lasting legacy by creating five scholarships with the Danville Community College Office of Institutional Advancement. The fully endowed scholarships will directly benefit students in the vocational trades, program of nursing, program of engineering and a graduating student enrolling at Virginia Tech pursuing a degree in Business. This specific scholarship has been created to provide financial assistance for two Danville Community College students annually. In order to be eligible, the recipients must meet the following criteria:

- Be enrolled in the following program: Associate of Applied Science Degree in Nursing (RN)
- Maintains a high moral character
- Demonstrates a concern for others
- High ideals
- Good citizenship
- Possess leadership qualities
- Participates in community outreach
- Demonstrates a financial need
- Enroll as a full-time student or part-time student
- Student must maintain a 3.0 GPA and scholarship is renewable

Phoenix Lodge #62 Scholarship – The Knights of Pythias Vocational Scholarship

The Phoenix Lodge #62 – Knights of Pythias created a lasting legacy by creating five scholarships with the Danville Community College Office of Institutional Advancement. The fully endowed scholarships will directly benefit students in the vocational trades, program of nursing, program of engineering and a graduating student enrolling at Virginia Tech pursuing a degree in Business. This specific scholarship has been created to provide financial assistance for one Danville Community College student annually. In order to be eligible, the recipient must meet the following criteria:

- Be enrolled in a vocational program
- Maintains a high moral character
- Demonstrates a concern for others
- High ideals
- Good citizenship
- Possess leadership qualities
- Participates in community outreach
- Demonstrates a financial need
- Enroll as a full-time student or part-time student
- Student must maintain a 3.0 GPA and scholarship is renewable

Dr. Shirley Day Primiano Scholarship

The Dr. Shirley Day Primiano Scholarship has been established by Dr. Shirley Primiano, a local educator. The award may be used for tuition and books, and is given to a full-time or part-time student. The selection of the recipient will be based upon financial need, scholastic ability, and good citizenship.

Robert H. Ramey, Jr. Endowed Scholarship

The Robert H. Ramey, Jr. Endowed Scholarship is available to a student in a degree, certificate or diploma program and must maintain at least a 2.5 grade point average prior to the award and during the academic year.

- Preference will be given to a male student who attends any unit of the Boys and Girls Clubs within the city limits of Danville, VA.
- Second preference will be given to a minority student, preferably a male who is enrolled in an industrial/technical program.
- Third preference will be based on financial need.

Dr. B. Carlyle Ramsey Scholar Award

The Dr. B. Carlyle Ramsey Scholar Award is presented to students who demonstrate financial need and are not eligible for Federal Aid. The recipient must perform 50 hours of community service during the semester of award at an approved non-profit agency within the College's service area.

Sandra Lee Riddle/RACO Endowed Honor Scholarship

This scholarship shall be awarded to a graduate of Gretna Senior High School or someone who has lived within ten miles of Gretna for five years. The award may be used for tuition and books in the academic year the award is made. The recipient must be a full-

time student entering a curriculum at DCC. Preference will be given in the following order:

- A student planning to enter a registered nursing program
- A business student
- A student in other programs

In order to use this scholarship for a second semester, a full-time student must earn at least a 2.50 GPA for the first semester of the scholarship.

Riverdan Benevolent Fund Endowed Scholarship

The Riverdan Benevolent Fund Endowed Scholarship has been established for Dan River Inc. employees and their dependents. The award may be used for tuition, books, and fees in the academic year in which the award is made. Length of continuous employment at Dan River Inc. is a factor in determining eligibility. This award is also available to sons, daughters, and spouses of deceased employees, who at the time of death had three or more years of continuous service.

Roberts-Hunt Endowed Scholarship

The Roberts-Hunt Endowed Scholarship is awarded to a student who is a resident of South Boston or Halifax County, and is made possible by a gift of Dr. and Mrs. Lucien W. Roberts.

James A. Robertson Scholarship

The James A. Robertson Scholarship was established through the generosity of James and Ann Robertson in 1992. Upon Mr. Robertson's death in 2001, the scholarship was first awarded in 2002. Multiple scholarships are awarded annually to students who have financial need.

Wendell O. Scott Memorial Scholarship

The Scott family and the Wendell Scott Scholarship Foundation initiated the Wendell O. Scott Memorial Scholarship fund in 1994 with the first academic award presented in 1999. The award is given to a student enrolled in the automotive/auto body program or a related technical program. The student must maintain at least a 2.50 GPA and have athletic potential.

Charles and Jennifer Snead Family Scholarship

The Charles and Jennifer Snead Family Scholarship was created anonymously to honor the Snead Family. Charles Snead, a local accountant and his wife, Jennifer, a local educator, have committed their lives to the betterment of the Danville/ Pittsylvania County community. The annual award is to be used for tuition and/ or books with the following criteria:

- First year or second year student enrolled in either the Accounting program (Associate of Applied Science) or the Associate of Arts and Science Degree Program – English Transfer Program.
- Student must have maintained in high school a GPA of 3.5 and/or at DCC maintained a GPA of 3.5.
- Student must demonstrate a financial need and is not eligible for Federal Aid.
- Preference will be given to a student who has performed at least one year of community service either in a school-sponsored or community-based activity.
- Preference will be given to a resident of Danville and Pittsylvania County communities.

Obra E. and Shirley J. Spangler Endowed Scholarship

The Obra E. and Shirley J. Spangler Endowed Scholarship Fund was established in 1996. A recipient must be enrolled in the printing program; have maintained at least a 2.50 GPA; and have demonstrated good citizenship through community involvement.

Christopher Daniel Turner Scholarship

The Christopher Daniel Turner Scholarship was first awarded in 1997 in memory of an outstanding young man who died tragically during his military service. The award was established by his parents and provides for tuition, books, and fees. The scholarship is given to a student who has been a Law Enforcement Explorer in Post 911, Danville, VA for at least six months, resides in Danville or Pittsylvania County, and is enrolled or enrolling in the Administration of Justice program. The recipient must demonstrate financial need and have a GPA of at least 2.50.

Melvin C. Vernon, Jr. and Michael Solomon Memorial Scholarship

Established in 2012-2013 by Jean Carol Harper Vernon and sons Melvin Vernon III and R. Hutchings Vernon to honor the memory of Melvin C. Vernon, Jr., a member of the original Foundation Board, and Michael Solomon (April 3, 1945 - May 29, 2010), who possessed outstanding ability to engage his DCC students in various ways to sustain the environment especially through design and passive solar architecture. The scholarship should support a student who shows an interest in architecture, construction, engineering or related subjects.

Whittle Family Endowed Scholarship

The Whittle Family Endowed Scholarship, established by Mr. and Mrs. Henry D. Whittle, Jr., is an award for tuition and books. Selection of the recipient is based on need, scholastic ability, and good citizenship.

Charles T. "Ted" Williams Veterans Scholarship

The Charles T. "Ted" Williams Veterans Scholarship was established to honor Mr. Ted Williams and his 23 years of military service and to recognize veterans on the DCC campus. Mr. Williams served two years in the U.S. Army (1945- 1947) and 21 years in the U.S. Air Force (1951-1972) where he retired as Senior Master Sergeant. Mr. Williams also served during World War II, Korea and Vietnam. In order to be eligible, the recipient must meet the following criteria:

- Be a veteran (part-time student or full-time student) where he or she was in active duty or a branch of the reserve.
- Must have academic promise with a commitment to complete college
- Demonstrates a high moral character and a concern for others
- Good citizenship and high ideals
- Possesses leadership qualities and participates in community outreach
- Demonstrates a financial need

Ruth Williams Cancer Survivor Scholarship

The Ruth Williams Cancer Survivor Scholarship was established to honor Mrs. Ruth Williams, a breast cancer survivor. Mrs. Williams was diagnosed with this disease in 1995. Her disease has been in remission since 1996. In order to be eligible, the recipient must meet the following criteria:

- Be a female student (part time or full time) who has fought cancer or who has been diagnosed with cancer while a student attending DCC
- Nursing student preferred
- Must have academic promise with a commitment to complete college
- Maintains a high moral character and ideals
- Demonstrates good citizenship and a concern for others
- Possesses leadership qualities and participates in community outreach
- Demonstrates a financial need

Womack Foundation Scholar Award Scholarship

The Womack Foundation Scholar Award Scholarship was created in 2012 with contributions made by the Womack Foundation. For over two decades the Womack Foundation has given the DCC Educational Foundation funds for emergency situations to be used for tuition and/or book payment for eligible students. This premise still exists for fifty (50) worthy students throughout the academic year. The following criteria must be met by each student accepting this scholarship:

- Student must demonstrate a financial need and is not eligible for Federal Aid.
- Student must volunteer and perform community service within the semester the scholarship is granted.
- Student must arrange his/her volunteer hours (50 hours) with an approved non-profit agency (within the college's service area) before applying and accepting the scholarship award.
- Student is only awarded one (1) \$500.00 scholarship per semester and must re-apply after each semester to be eligible the following semester. The maximum scholarship award per student, upon eligibility will be for three (3) semesters total.

Zan and Bobbye Raye Womack Entrepreneur Scholar Award

The Zan and Bobbye Raye Womack Entrepreneur Scholar Award was established to provide financial assistance to a student who possesses an "entrepreneurial" spirit in his or her classwork, participates at his or her employment and has a personal desire to have his or her own business located within the College's service area. This student will also be expected to understand and at times take part in activities associate with the Barkhouser Free Enterprise Center.

Anita J. Wyatt Scholarship

The Anita J. Wyatt Scholarship was established by Ms. Wyatt to provide financial assistance to a student enrolled in either the Administrative Support Technology Program (AAS) or the Business Administration Program (AA&S). The recipient must meet the following criteria:

- Demonstrates a financial need
- Must have academic promise with commitment to complete college
- Maintains high moral character and high ideals
- Possess leadership qualities
- Good citizenship and participates in community outreach

Garland M. Wyatt Endowed Scholarship

The Garland M. Wyatt Endowed Scholarship is presented to a student enrolled in a business related curriculum at DCC who demonstrates financial need.

Harry and Edith Wyatt and Vernon Wyatt Memorial Scholarship

The Wyatt Family Scholarship was established in memory to honor and recognize the late Mr. Harry Wyatt, Mrs. Edith Wyatt (parents) and the late Mr. Vernon Wyatt (brother). This scholarship was given by their daughter and sister, Ms. Anita J. Wyatt. In order to be eligible, the recipient must be enrolled in Administrative Support Technology (Associate of Applied Science degree) or Business Administration (Associate of Arts & Science degree). The student must also meet the following criteria:

- Must have academic promise with a commitment to complete college
- Demonstrates high moral character and a concern for others
- Good citizenship and high ideals
- Possesses leadership qualities and participates in community outreach
- Demonstrates a financial need

L. Wilson York Endowed Memorial Scholarship

The L. Wilson York Endowed Memorial Scholarship was established as a tribute to an outstanding member of the community who placed a high value on education. York served on the DCC Educational Foundation Board as treasurer, and was a member of the Scholarship Committee. The award is presented to a student who shows academic promise regardless of financial resources.

John H. Zechman Scholarship

The John H. Zechman Scholarship was established to honor Mr. John H. Zechman and in memory of Mr. and Mrs. J. Howard Zechman and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde C. Neal. Mr. John H. Zechman was employed at DCC as the Director of Finance and was instrumental in providing direction and leadership with faculty and staff. In addition to his qualities, he feels, as does his wife, the shortage in nursing staff will continue to cause problems in the Danville/Pittsylvania County region. This scholarship has been created to provide financial assistance for an incoming nursing student. In order to be eligible, the recipient must meet the following criteria:

- Be enrolled as a full-time nursing student
- Must have academic promise with a commitment to complete college, either at DCC or a four-year institution
- Maintains high moral character and high ideals
- Demonstrates good citizenship and a concern for others
- Possesses leadership qualities and participates in community outreach
- Demonstrates a financial need

Scholarships for Sophomores Only

CIT Group/Factoring Scholarship

The CIT Group/Factoring Scholarship was created by the CIT Group, Inc., located in Danville, VA. The scholarship will be given to a Danville area resident, a full-time sophomore student that demonstrates a financial need. The student must also demonstrate academic promise, leadership potential with on-going commitment to community service. Individuals receiving other assistance from the CIT Group will not be considered for award.

Corning Incorporated Endowed Scholarship

The Corning Incorporated Endowed Scholarship is presented each year to a rising sophomore who has demonstrated academic excellence. The recipient must be a full-time student (12 credit hours) enrolled in Electronics, Information Systems Technology, or Accounting.

Robert and Jim Dunaway Scholarship

The award is made in memory of Robert and Jim Dunaway. Robert graduated from Danville Community College, Virginia Tech, and the University of North Carolina and pursued a career as an accountant. He received the McGovern General Excellency Scholarship when he graduated from DCC in 1988. Jim worked 12 years for the Pittsylvania County Sheriff's Office as a deputy.

Two scholarships will be awarded to recipients based upon the following criteria:

- Recipient must be a second-year student enrolled in a business transfer program (focusing on accounting), who has maintained at least a 3.0 GPA and plans to transfer to a four-year institution with preference given to a student planning to attend Virginia Tech. Preference will also be given to a student who graduated from Tunstall High School.
- Recipient must be a second-year student enrolled in the Administration of Justice program who has maintained a minimum 3.0 GPA. Preference will be given to a student or an immediate family member who is employed by the Pittsylvania County

Sheriff Department.

Other requirements include: community involvement and demonstrated leadership potential and financial need even though the recipient may not qualify for financial aid. This award may be used for tuition, books, and fees.

Roy and Joan Gignac Endowed Scholarship

The Roy and Joan Gignac Endowed Scholarship is provided for a second-year student enrolled in electronics. If no candidate meeting this criterion is available, then the scholarship may be awarded to a student enrolled in Marketing or Business Administration. The student must also be a resident of Danville or Pittsylvania County, and preferably have a brother or sister who is attending an accredited institution of higher education as a full-time student. A 2.80 GPA in the curriculum is required for each of the two semesters that the scholarship is utilized. The scholarship must be used within 12 months of the date it is awarded and can only be used for tuition and fees. The student must demonstrate a clear commitment to completing the academic program in a timely manner and have a record of good citizenship.

Graphic Imaging Excellence Scholarship

In 2001, an anonymous donor established a scholarship which will be awarded each semester to a second-year student enrolled in the Graphic Imaging Technology program. The recipient must have financial need, maintained a 2.50 or better GPA, and exhibited academic promise in the printing field.

Thelma Swann Johnson Memorial Endowed Scholarship

The Thelma Swann Johnson Memorial Endowed Scholarship was established in 2001 by Harry Johnson in memory of his wife, Thelma Swann Johnson. The scholarship is awarded to a sophomore who has maintained a 3.00 or better GPA and has enrolled full-time in a two-year program. The recipient must have participated in multiple activities during the first year at DCC, exemplified leadership within the community and at the College, and exhibited great determination and will to succeed.

Fred Lloyd III Memorial Scholarship

The family and friends of long-time DCC History professor, Fred Lloyd, III, established a scholarship in his memory in 2002. The scholarship is awarded to a rising sophomore enrolled full-time in a transfer program (Liberal Arts, Science, or Business Administration). The recipient must have maintained at least a 2.5 GPA and exhibited good citizenship, character, and sound values that have been demonstrated through leadership and civic involvement.

Vickie Holland Taylor – Phi Theta Kappa Scholarship

The Upsilon Phi Chapter of Phi Theta Kappa, the Honor Society for Two-Year Colleges, created this scholarship to honor long-time advisor, Ms. Vickie Holland Taylor in 2014 to afford qualified members with extreme financial circumstances the opportunity to continue his/her education at Danville Community College. Potential recipients must explain any hardship circumstance and/or financial need in a 250 word-or-less essay along with the certificate of enhanced membership to the current advisors of the chapter. Selected recipients must be an Enhanced Member of the chapter when applying to receive the scholarship. The scholarship will be awarded at that time based on the following qualifications:

- Be an Enhanced Member of the Upsilon Phi Chapter of Phi Theta Kappa as established in chapter By-Laws.
- Explain why there is a hardship circumstance and/or financial need for the scholarship in 250 words or less.
- Recipient is expected to remain an active member of the chapter.

A separate application is required for this scholarship.

Virginia Bank and Trust Company Endowed Scholarship

Established by the Virginia Bank and Trust Company, this tuition scholarship is presented to a rising sophomore who has completed 30 semester hours in Business Management or Marketing at DCC. The student is required to have a 2.75 GPA or above, reside in the Danville area (within 30 miles of the main office of Virginia Bank and Trust Company), and be taking at least 12 credit hours. The award will be based on need, scholastic ability, and good citizenship.

Wilkins and Co. Realtors Scholarship

Hampton Wilkins of Wilkins and Co. Realtors created the scholarship in 1999 to recognize a rising sophomore enrolled in the Marketing program who demonstrates academic ability and has maintained a 2.50 or better grade point average. Wilkins and Co. Realtors also provides funding for four students to take the Virginia Real Estate Licensing Exam.

Wyatt-Benton Endowed Scholarship

The Wyatt-Benton Endowed Scholarship was established by Landon and Kathryn Benton Wyatt in memory of their parents. The award is made to a rising sophomore, based on need, scholarship, and good citizenship.

Wyatt-Townes Family Endowed Scholarship

Honoring F.W. "Bill" Townes, III and Catherine "Kitty" Wyatt Townes, the Wyatt- Townes Family Endowed Scholarship was established in July 2010 by their children. In order to be eligible, the recipient must be a rising sophomore, have financial need, scholarship ability and good citizenship.

Graduation Scholarships

Barksdale Honors Scholarship

The estate of Ms. Mary M. Barksdale endowed the Barksdale Honors Scholarship in 2000. DCC graduates who are transferring to accredited four-year colleges or universities must be considered by the College as "most likely to succeed." The recipients must have compiled exceptional records, both in academics and in extracurricular activities. Recipients also must have displayed leadership qualities on campus or in the community which influence positively the actions of others.

James Bustard Endowed Scholarships

These scholarships, established in memory of James Bustard, a friend of the College, are presented annually to graduating DCC students who plan to transfer to an accredited four-year college or university. Other award criteria include commitment to high ideals, leadership, good citizenship and scholastic achievement.

James T. Catlin, Jr. - Kiwanis Scholarship

The James T. Catlin, Jr.-Kiwanis Scholarship is presented to a student who has completed two years of study at DCC; is a legal resident of Virginia Community College Region Number 12; and is transferring as a full-time student to a senior institution in pursuit of a baccalaureate degree. The purpose of the award is to recognize scholarship, to further the educational development toward leadership and citizenship of DCC students and to honor the memory of James T. Catlin, Jr. The scholarship recipient is selected by a Danville Community College Scholarship Committee with the approval of the Board of Directors of the Kiwanis Club of Danville, Virginia. The basis of selecting the recipient shall be: (1) financial need, (2) scholastic achievement, (3) leadership, and (4) citizenship.

Danville Virginia Tech Alumni Scholarship

The Danville Virginia Tech Alumni Scholarship is presented annually to a graduating DCC student who plans to transfer to Virginia Tech as a full-time student. The award is based on commitment to high ideals, leadership, good citizenship, and a GPA of 3.00 or better in the graduate's curriculum.

D. Randolph "Randy" Davis Memorial Scholarship

The D. Randolph "Randy" Davis Memorial Graduation Scholarship was established to honor and memorialize Mr. Randy Davis, community and civic leader of Danville, VA. Mr. Davis attended the VPI-Danville Extension in 1962 and later graduated from Virginia Tech in 1966. He committed himself to the betterment of Danville and Pittsylvania County by serving in his profession and volunteerism. Mr. Davis fought and lost his battle to colon cancer in 2012. In order to be eligible, the recipient must meet the following criteria:

- Be a full-time DCC student transferring to Virginia Tech and has completed two years of study (minimum 48 credits) (1st choice)
- Be a full-time DCC student transferring to Virginia Tech and a student athlete (DCC sponsored sport) while attending DCC (2nd choice)
- Be a full-time DCC student, enrolled in the Accounting curriculum and transferring to Virginia Tech
- Must have academic promise with a commitment to complete college
- Maintains a high moral character
- Demonstrates a concern for others
- High ideals with good citizenship
- Possess leadership qualities
- Participates in community outreach
- Demonstrates a financial need

McGovern Endowed General Excellency Award

The McGovern Endowed General Excellency Award is presented each year at graduation. This scholarship is the result of a gift by Dr. and Mrs. Francis H. McGovern of Danville, Virginia. The recipient of this award will be a student who has completed two years at Danville Community College; has fulfilled the requirements of an Associate of Arts and Science Degree; is a legal resident of Virginia Community College Region Number 12; and is transferring to a senior institution in pursuit of a baccalaureate degree. The purpose of this award is to recognize scholarship and to further the educational development toward leadership and citizenship of Danville Community College students. The basis of selecting the recipient shall be: (1) scholastic achievement; (2) leadership; and (3) citizenship.

Phoenix Lodge #62 Scholarship – The Knights of Pythias Business Scholarship

The Phoenix Lodge #62 – Knights of Pythias created a lasting legacy by creating five scholarships with the Danville Community College Office of Institutional Advancement. The fully endowed scholarships will directly benefit students in the vocational trades, program of nursing, program of engineering and a graduating student enrolling at Virginia Tech pursuing a degree in Business. This specific scholarship has been created to provide financial assistance for one Danville Community College transfer student annually.

In order to be eligible, the recipient must meet the following criteria:

- Transferring to Virginia Tech in Business Management or equal program
- Maintains a high moral character
- Demonstrates a concern for others
- High ideals
- Good citizenship
- Possess leadership qualities
- Participates in community outreach
- Demonstrates a financial need
- Enroll as a full-time student or part-time student
- Student must maintain a 3.0 GPA

Bobby Stinespring Jr. Memorial Scholarship

The Bobby Stinespring Jr. Memorial Scholarship was established in 2007 to honor the memory of Bobby Stinespring, Jr. for a DCC student planning to attend Virginia Tech. In efforts to honor Bobby, the scholarship will be awarded annually to a student who demonstrates the following criteria:

- Financial Need
- High School participation in girls' softball