

# West Pine Bluff Rotary Club Scholarship

1900 Hazel Street, Pine Bluff, AR 71603 (870) 543-5909

The Rotary Club of West Pine Bluff is awarding a scholarship in the amount of \$500.00 to a deserving Southeast Arkansas College student. This academic scholarship will be awarded to a current student and is valid for full-time enrollment (minimum 12 semester credit hours) in a two-year Associate of Applied Science Degree technical career program or an Associate of Arts Degree academic transfer program. The recipient must have at least two remaining semesters at Southeast Arkansas College. The scholarship will be paid directly to Southeast Arkansas College for partial payment of the student's tuition at the rate of \$250.00 per semester for two semesters. Applications are available in the Financial Aid Office. The Scholarship Eligibility Criteria are listed below:

## Eligibility Criteria

A committee composed of faculty as well as professional and administrative staffs will select the recipient of the Rotary Club of West Pine Bluff Scholarship according to the following criteria:

- Current student with a 3.0 GPA on a 4.0 scale for the previous Spring Semester and a cumulative 3.0 GPA.
- Commitment to enroll at Southeast Arkansas College as a full-time student during the Fall and Spring Semesters of the upcoming academic year.
- Student is eligible for federal financial aid
- Is student recognized as a dependent for tax purposes?    Circle One:    Yes    No
- Record of good conduct at Southeast Arkansas College.
- 50 to 100-word essay stating educational goals and reasons for requesting scholarship— specifically financial need to complete degree at Southeast Arkansas College.

## Scholarship Renewal

The SEARK Rotary Club Scholarship is renewable on a semester basis for the Fall and Spring Semesters of the next academic year for a deserving student enrolled in a two-year Associate of Applied Science Degree technical career program (4 semesters), or an Associate of Arts Degree academic transfer program (4 semesters) according to the following guidelines:

- Full-time student status (12 semester hours)
- Satisfactory academic progress of a 3.0 GPA on a 4.0 scale during the preceding semester
- No documented disciplinary problems at Southeast Arkansas College

Application should be submitted to:

Director of Financial Aid  
Southeast Arkansas College  
1900 Hazel Street  
Pine Bluff, AR 71603

***Scholarship Deadline: August 1***

# West Pine Bluff Rotary Club Scholarship Application

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Student ID. No. \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Street or P.O. Box City State Zip Code

Name of parents, guardian, or spouse \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number \_\_\_\_\_ Date of birth \_\_\_\_\_

Year of high school/GED graduation \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a transfer student? If so, name of college \_\_\_\_\_

Major at Southeast Arkansas College \_\_\_\_\_

Degree / Certificate Objective \_\_\_\_\_

Are you employed? If so, where? \_\_\_\_\_

Number of hours worked per week \_\_\_\_\_

Attach a 50 to 100-word essay stating Educational Goals and reasons for requesting scholarship, specifically financial need to complete degree at Southeast Arkansas College.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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## To be completed by SEARK College Financial Aid Office

Please complete the checklist below to verify the eligibility criteria.

**Yes or No** Attended Southeast Arkansas College for the Fall and Spring Semesters of the previous academic year

**Yes or No** Grade Point Average at Southeast Arkansas College, **3.00 GPA is Required**

**Yes or No** Student is eligible for Federal Financial Aid

**Yes or No** 50-100 Word Essay Submitted (**Attach essay to back of this form.**)

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Financial Aid Officer's Signature

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