



VINCENNES UNIVERSITY JOHN DEERE Tech SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

(Complete both pages of application)

Due Date: July 31 Address:_____ Email address:_____ High School GPA Estimated percentage of support for college expenses: Parents ______% Student ______% *Other ______% *Please list sources other than parent or student contribution Other scholarships applied for: (use separate sheet if needed) ____ Amount: ____ Awarded: __ Amount: _____ Awarded: _____ _____ Amount: ____ Awarded: ____ _____ Amount: ____ Awarded: ____ _____ Amount: ____ Awarded: ____ School Activities, Clubs, offices held, etc.: (use additional sheet if necessary)

Community/Church Activities:		
(use additional sheet if necessary)		
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Documentation that MUST ACCOMPANY THIS APPLICATION:

- High school transcripts
- Two letters of reference from individuals in a position to evaluate the student's potential for commitment to his/her goals (ie. teacher, employer, coach, etc.)
- 250-word essay addressing the topic "My Career Goals" including schooling plans.

Deliver application package by July 31 to:

Larry Bland

Program Coordinator, John Deere AG Tech

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Vincennes University John Deere Scholarship

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

The following guidelines are strongly focused on during selection of awardees, but the guidelines are flexible. Guidance counselors that encounter possible applicants with strong career potential, but applicant is outside of some guideline(s), may have student submit an application. Upon submission of such an application, the counselor must provide a reference letter as to why the applicant should be considered. However, in all cases the final decision as to application review, testing, interview and award will be made by the selection and award committee.

The applicant for the John Deere Tech scholarship must fulfill the flowing guidelines:

- 1. Academic Achievement: A 2.5 cumulative GPA calculated from the tenth, eleventh, and first half of grade twelve.
- 2. Attendance: A 90% attendance average for the tenth, eleventh, and first half of grade twelve.
- 3. Character Excellence: Provide at least two (2) character reference letters from individuals in a position to evaluate student's potential for commitment to his/her goals (ie. teachers, non-school personnel, ministers, business associates, coach, etc.). No students or relatives of student may give references.
- 4. Career Potential: Submit a minimum of 250 word typed essay, double spaced, using 12 font, statement including the applicant's occupational objectives and interests. Student should also include community and high school activities, work activities, and other information deemed appropriate.

The candidate must be willing to attend Vincennes University.

The candidate must be an applicant as a full-time student at Vincennes University. The entrance exam must be taken and acceptable scores received.

A break in enrollment or unsatisfactory progress in the program will terminate the scholarship except for extenuating circumstances (example: illness).