The Dr. Wallace Wilson Scholarship program supports students who demonstrate financial need and academic merit and who have chosen to pursue an associate degree in Architectural Engineering Technology or Civil and Construction Engineering Technology. Established in honor of Dr. Wallace Wilson, a longtime professor of architectural, civil, and construction engineering at Nashville State, this scholarship is made possible by the generosity of NSCC Alumni, friends of the College, and business and industry partners who employ graduates of these programs.

The scholarship is awarded to a maximum of two new students each semester; one student will receive the award based on financial need, while the other will receive the scholarship on the basis of academic merit. Each scholarship recipient shall receive $1,000 per semester for a maximum of four semesters as long as the student maintains eligibility.

Please note that holding prior post-secondary degrees and/or certifications will not preclude an applicant from receiving this scholarship award; all interested parties are encouraged to apply.

To apply, please submit your NSCC Financial Aid application through your myNSCC account. Supplementary application materials should be submitted directly to the Office of Financial Aid. **All awards will be contingent upon available funding.**

Final selection for the Dr. Wallace Wilson Scholarship will be made by the members of the Dr. Wallace Wilson Scholarship Committee.

**In order to be considered for the merit-based scholarship:**

- If applicant is a first-time freshman, applicant must have a minimum 3.0 high school grade point average.
- If applicant has previously completed college-level coursework, applicant must have earned a 3.0 cumulative grade point average.
- Applicant must enroll in at least 12 credit hours.
- Applicant must be in good academic standing and meet satisfactory academic progress.
- Applicant must submit a 300-500 word essay describing their desire to pursue study in the field of Architectural Engineering Technology or Civil and Construction Engineering Technology.

**In order to be considered for the need-based scholarship:**

- Applicant must complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) and complete verification.
- Applicant must have a family adjusted gross income of $36,000 or less.
- Applicant must enroll in at least 12 credit hours.
• Applicant must be in good academic standing and meet satisfactory academic progress.
• Applicant must submit a 300-500 word essay describing their financial need as well as their desire to pursue study in the field of Architectural Engineering Technology or Civil and Construction Engineering Technology.

To continue receiving the award, the criteria above (excluding essay submission) must be met and:

• Student must maintain a minimum grade point average (GPA) of 3.0, inclusive of remedial/developmental coursework, at the College for each semester the scholarship is received in order to be eligible for continued disbursement in the following semester.
• Student must successfully complete at least 12 credit hours per semester in order to be eligible for continued disbursement in the following semester.
• Student must re-enroll in at least 12 credit hours.
• Student must remain in good academic standing and meet satisfactory academic progress.

Applicable maintenance fee / tuition refunds will be credited to the scholarship except in cases when the student is also receiving federal Title IV benefits and totally withdraws. In such cases, the refund is credited back to the appropriate program(s) according to the NSCC “Return of Title IV Funds” Policy.