



2018-2019 WOMEN IN TECHNOLOGY OF TENNESSEE SCHOLARSHIP GENERAL INFORMATION AND GUIDELINES

Women in Technology of Tennessee (WiTT, www.wittn.org) has established a scholarship through the Nashville State Community College Foundation with the goal of raising awareness and fostering development of women in the area of technology.

The recipients of the WiTT Scholarship will receive a maximum award of \$2,000.00 for the 2018-2019 award year.

1. Applicants must be female, attending or enrolled to attend Nashville State, and post 2+ years from public or private high school, home school or from receiving their GED with a passion for technology. Current students must have a minimum grade point average of 2.7. First-time freshman must have a minimum 2.7 high school grade point average. For purposes of this scholarship, a student who has completed at least 6 credit hours (inclusive of remedial and developmental hours) at NSCC will be considered a current student.
2. Applicants must be pursuing an Associate Degree or certificate program in a STEM related field at NSCC and must be enrolled in a minimum of six credit hours in remedial / developmental or college-level courses.
3. Applicants should provide an essay up to two pages (1.5 double line spacing) stating current career aspirations, motivational factors that pushed them to enroll or go back to school, and a why they chose a STEM related career path.
4. Applicants should also submit a list of academic or service club memberships, honors, offices, years involved, and highest position held in clubs, classes, etc.
5. Applicants are also asked to submit two (2) letters of recommendation stating leadership abilities and worthiness of student from a teacher, person from the student's community who is NOT a relative, or employer.
6. Recipients of the scholarship will be required to attend a WiTT Meeting during the 2018-2019 award year to be recognized by the members of WiTT. Recipients are also encouraged to become members of the FLinT group at Nashville State Community College.
7. Students who receive the WiTT Scholarship in the Fall Semester must maintain a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.7 and complete six credit hours to remain eligible for the Spring disbursement of the scholarship.
8. Applicable maintenance fee / tuition refunds will be credited to the WiTT Scholarship account 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.
9. All requested materials should be submitted to the NSCC Financial Aid office **by JULY 16, 2018**.