



The Greater PineBelt Community Foundation Mississippi Tank Company Scholarship Fund

PURPOSE

The purpose of Mississippi Tank Company Scholarship is to provide an annual scholarship to a deserving high school senior who has been accepted to accredited college or university or to a deserving high school graduate currently enrolled in an accredited two and/or four year college or university. This scholarship was established by Mississippi Tank Company for the purpose of providing financial aid for Mississippi Tank Company's employees and family members who want to pursue a higher education.

The recipient will be a person graduating with a sound record of achievement in his or her studies. This annual award will also consider extra-curricular activities and recognition of leadership ability in the selection process.

SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

The Mississippi Tank Company Scholarship Fund will make available a scholarship in the amount of \$1,000 to a qualified candidate who will attend or is attending an accredited two and/or four year college or university. The scholarship is renewable for up to 4 years, and applicants must submit a new application and official transcript each academic year for renewal.

CRITERIA

In making a decision, the Scholarship Advisory Committee will use the following criteria:

- Relationship to a Mississippi Tank Employee
- Scholastic Achievements
- Financial Need
- Acceptance to an accredited college or university
- Extracurricular Activities

ELIGIBILITY

- Applicants must be related to an employee of Mississippi Tank Company. (Note: relationship to employee does not include cousin, in-law, or friend of employee)
- Applicants must be a citizen of the United States of America.
- **Renewal Applicants** currently enrolled in college, community and/or junior college must maintain a 2.5 grade point average on a 4.0 scale to be eligible and must provide an official transcript in a sealed envelope from the college attending.
- **New Applicants** desiring to return to college after an extended absence must have maintained a 2.5 grade point average on a 4.0 scale and must provide an official transcript in a sealed envelope from the college last attended.

- **New High School Applicants** must have a 2.5 grade point average on a 4.0 scale or an ACT score of 18/SAT score of 870 (*whichever is greater*) and must provide an official transcript in a sealed envelope from the high school currently attending that includes the first semester of senior year.

NOTIFICATION

Applicants will be notified by mail about the status of their application no later than April 15. Scholarship funds will be distributed directly to the institution of the applicant's choice no later than July 15.

GUIDELINES

Each complete application must be received by the Scholarship Advisory Committee by February 15.

- Completed application form
- Official high school and/or post-secondary school transcripts
- Copy of ACT or SAT score

QUESTIONS

Contact the PineBelt Foundation at 601.583.6180 or pinebeltcf@bellsouth.net

Or Debbie Ingram 601.544.6043 extension 3 or deb@tatumdev.com

Or Fred Sherard 601.264.1800 extension 269 or fsherard@mstank.com



MISSISSIPPI TANK COMPANY SCHOLARSHIP FUND
(Application is for the School Year beginning in the Fall & ending in the Spring)

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Full Name: _____ SSN: _____
Date of Birth: _____ Country of Birth: _____
Mailing Address: _____
Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____
Email Address: _____
Parent/Legal Guardian: _____
Parent/Legal Guardian's Address: _____

Name of Employee under whom Applicant is applying: _____
Relationship to Employee: _____
Employee's Branch Location: _____
Employee's Phone Number: _____

High School Attended/ Attending: _____ Graduated Date: _____
School Address: _____
Current GPA: _____
ACT Score: _____ or SAT Score: _____
Previous College and/or university attended: _____ Years Attended: _____
College and/or university you plan to attend: _____
Class Level: _____ College GPA: _____
School Address: _____
Major/Career Goals: _____

List honors/awards/scholastic achievements that you have received in the last four years:

Award/Honor/Achievement	Year Received

List school or community activities that have been most significant to you during the last four years:

Activity	Position Held	Involved from (mm/yyyy):	Involved to (mm/yyyy):

Name and amounts of any scholarships you expect to receive:
(Please do not apply if you are receiving a full scholarship, including books from another source)

I certify that all information on this form is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that I may be asked to provide proof of information stated on this form.

Signature of Applicant: _____ Date: _____

APPLICANT'S STATUS

- Renewable Scholarship Applicant
- New Applicant – High School Senior
- New Applicant – College

APPLICATION CHECKLIST

I have included one copy of the following:

- Completed application form
- Transcripts for High School Seniors must include 1st semester of Senior year
- College Transcripts (must include most recent semester that has been completed)
- Copy of ACT or SAT score (New applicants only)

Completed application must be received

at the address below by February 15:

Mississippi Tank Company Scholarship Advisory Committee

Post Office Box 388

Hattiesburg, MS 39403-0388