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**GCCP North Carolina Promise Tuition Scholarship**

**Announcement of Scholarship Award:** Gates County Community Partnership is a 501(c)3 public charity whose mission is to inspire and increase community engagement by the citizens of Gates County for the educational and social development of its youth. The purpose of this scholarship is to fund the first year of tuition for a 2021 Gates County High School graduate using the North Carolina (NC) Promise Tuition Plan at Elizabeth City State University, Western Carolina University or the University of North Carolina at Pembroke.

**Deadline:** Applications must be returned to gatescountycp@gmail.com by **Friday, April 16, 2021.** Incomplete or late applications will not be considered. The award recipient will be notified by Friday, April 23, 2021**.**

**Eligibility Requirements:**

* Must be a 2021 graduate of Gates County High School.
* Must have confirmed acceptance and attendance at one of the NC Promise schools: Elizabeth City State University, Western Carolina University or the University of North Carolina at Pembroke.

**Scoring:**

Applications will be scored on a 60 point scale:

* Academic Achievement (18 pts)
* Extracurricular Activities (12 pts)
	+ Work experience, school organizations and activities, awards and honors, community service and other extracurricular activities.
* Financial Need (20 pts)
* Personal Statements (10 pts)

**Scholarship Application Packet Includes:**

* Completed Application Form - Email the completed application form to gatescountycp@gmail.com with the subject “GCCP NC Promise Tuition Scholarship.”

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**Gates County Community Partnership North Carolina Promise Tuition Scholarship Application**

**Applications are due on April 16, 2021.**

Email the completed application form to gatescountycp@gmail.com with the subject “GCCP NC Promise Tuition Scholarship.”

**Which school will you be attending for the Fall 2021 semester?**

\_\_\_ Elizabeth City State University

\_\_\_ University of North Carolina at Pembroke

\_\_\_ Western Carolina University

**1. Personal Data**

**Please provide the following information:**

**Name**

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| --- | --- |
| First Name |  |
| Middle Initial |  |
| Last Name |  |

**Present Contact Information**

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| Street |  |
| City/State |  |
| Zip |  |
| Email Address |  |
| Phone Number |  |

**Permanent Contact Information (if different)**

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| --- | --- |
| Street |  |
| City/State |  |
| Zip |  |
| Email Address |  |
| Phone Number |  |

**2. Academic Achievement**

1. What is your current GPA and expected GPA at graduation from Gates County High School?

**3. Extracurricular Activities** [Work experience, school organizations and activities, awards and honors, community service and other extracurricular activities (also list major accomplishments)]

**4. Financial Need**

1. Current amount of scholarships and grants.
2. Anticipated out-of-pocket expense for tuition, fees and room and board (total for the Fall 2021 and Spring 2022 semesters).
3. Special circumstances, if any.
4. Briefly describe your personal financial situation.

**5. Personal Statements**

1. What are your career goals and how will earning a college degree help you achieve them?
2. Summarize why you feel that you deserve this scholarship?

**6. Certification**

All of the information in this application is true and completed to the best of my knowledge.

Signature of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Date\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_