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# Engaged Student Scholarships - Application Guidelines and Form

Name _____ NEC ID # _____

Mailbox # _____ Phone #_____

Academic Advisor _____ Academic Major _____

**Scholarships**
Students who meet the eligibility requirements below, submit a completed application, and attach required essays (see next page) before the deadline may receive scholarships ranging from $500 to $3000. These awards will both be based primarily upon merit (academic achievement and/or community involvement) although financial need may be taken into consideration when awards are being offered.

There are two basic types of engaged student scholarships:
- *Academic Achievement and Progress*
- *Community Involvement and Leadership*

A description of each of these scholarships is provided on the next page of the application.

**Eligibility**
- Undergraduate students who have earned (or who anticipate earning) 12 or more credits by the end of the Spring 2009 semester at New England College,
- Undergraduate students who have a 2.50 or higher cumulative grade point average, and
- Undergraduate students who are in good standing with New England College.

**Awards**
- Engaged Student Scholarships are for one academic year only
- Eligible students are encouraged to reapply each year for these scholarships
- Scholarships range from $500 to $3000, and are based upon merit and financial need

**Deadlines**
- *Friday, March 13, 2009*
  Completed application form and attached essay questions are due in the Student Development Office
- *Wednesday, April 1, 2009*
  Students applying for financial assistance for the 2009-2010 academic year must have a completed file with Student Financial Services

Signature _____ Date_____

***Please return completed application form and attached essays***
***to the Student Development Office in the Simon Center by March 13, 2009***

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# Engaged Student Scholarships - Descriptions and Essay Questions

## Academic Achievement and Progress Scholarship

*Description*
The Academic Achievement and Progress Scholarship awards students who demonstrate a high degree of academic achievement and/or students with a history of improved academic progress at New England College. The college values students who are actively engaged in the academic life of the institution. Furthermore, the college wishes to reward those students who have made significant and sustained improvement in their academic performance, including academic improvement while at college and/or improvement over high school or previous institution cumulative grade point average.

*Requirements*
In two double-spaced pages or less (10-point font), compose an original essay describing:

- your participation in academic life at New England College
- your academic improvement while at New England College
- your academic goals for next year at New England College
- your goals after graduation from New England College

## Community Involvement and Leadership Scholarship

*Description*
The Community Involvement and Leadership Scholarship benefits students who are committed to the campus and local community through active participation and leadership. Students may demonstrate such commitment though involvement in a number of community activities, including but not limited to campus activities, clubs, academic programs and organizations.

*Requirements*
In two double- spaced pages or less (10-point font), compose an original essay describing:

- your past and current participation and leadership roles at New England College and/or in the community
- your participation and leadership goals for next year at New England College and/or in the community
- your participation and leadership goals after graduation from New England College

***Please keep this sheet for your records***