

The Gerber Foundation NCCTC Scholarship

Eligibility:

- High school seniors graduating from one of the following programs at the Newaygo County Career-Tech Center **and** pursuing higher education in that field through an accredited program (including a 13th year at NCCTC).
 - ✓ Agriscience
 - ✓ Automotive Technology
 - ✓ Business Applied Technology
 - ✓ Construction Trades
 - ✓ Cosmetology
 - ✓ Criminal Justice
 - ✓ Culinary Arts
 - ✓ Engineering
 - ✓ Future Educators
 - ✓ Graphic Communications
 - ✓ Health Sciences
 - ✓ Heavy Equipment Technology
 - ✓ Information Technology
 - ✓ Manufacturing Engineering
 - ✓ Welding

- The scholarship will support ½ of costs for required program related expenses up to a maximum limit per program. Required expenses may include tuition, books, course fees, required tools/materials, or certification exam fees. **Expenses are those that the student is required to pay towards the program or training.** Review the table on page 2 for examples of possible uses.

Value: Based on program listed and required tool/materials/certification costs for that program. See the table below for maximum scholarship program amounts.

Program	Estimated Costs	Maximum Scholarship Amount
AgriScience	\$1000	\$540
Automotive Technology	\$5320	\$2870
Business Applied Technology	\$2200	\$1200
Construction Trades	\$1500	\$800
Cosmetology	\$650	\$350
Criminal Justice	\$1670	\$900
Culinary Arts	\$1310	\$700
Engineering	\$2000	\$1100
Future Educators	\$2000	\$1100
Graphic Communications	\$2800	\$1500
Health Sciences	\$1700	\$900
Heavy Equipment Technology	\$3000	\$1600
Information Technology	\$3060	\$1600
Manufacturing Engineering	\$2000	\$1100
Welding	\$1200	\$600

To Apply: Go to <https://gerberfoundation.smartsimple.com>

Register using the Scholarship Registration button on the left. ***In the Organization Name box on the registration page, use NCCTC.*** The system will send you a temporary password to login for the first time.

Submission Deadline: February 28 of each year

For questions, contact The Gerber Foundation: 231.924.3175

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NCCTC Scholarship Examples of Possible Uses Table

Program	Examples of Possible Uses Stackable Credentials
AgriScience	Veterinary Assist. Certificate, Forestry Mgmt. Certificate, certificate programs offered in MCC/MSU partnership
Auto Technology	ASE Exams beyond Basic Maintenance, tools, Lab Coat
Business Applied Technology	Microsoft Master Specialist, Certifications beyond those earned in CTC program (Word, Powerpoint, Excel Expert, Quickbooks)
Construction Trades	Construction mgmt course, apprenticeship programs (ex. Penn Foster Michigan Electrical Apprenticeship, Lineman Tech Program), State Builder’s license exam, tools, State of MI residential license exam, International Code Council (ICC) certification exam
Cosmetology	Licensure exams (Cosmetology, Esthetician, Manicure, Barber), Exam supply kits or equipment
Criminal Justice	Background checks/fingerprinting, Academy equipment, tactical and safety gear
Culinary Arts	Certifications (ServSafe Allergen, Safe Alcohol, Serve Manager), Knife set, uniforms, shoes
Engineering	DASI Apprenticeship, CAD certification, tools, Coursera courses, Electrical Arduinos, Auto Desk
Future Educators	Child Development Associate Certification
Graphic Communications	Adobe Creative Suite, MAC Laptop with software
Health Sciences	CNA Certification, Medical Assistant Certification, Home Health certificate, State licensure, Stethoscope, EMT/Paramedic
Heavy Equipment Technology	Tools, S/P2 certification, Mechanical Safety, Mechanical Pollution, Prevention, Supervisor’s Course, Soft Skills
Information Technology	CISCO Certifications in CompTIA, A+, Network+, Security+, CCNP, CCIE, CCNA Routing and Switching, Black Box Termination Kits, Fluke Networks MicroScanner2 Termination and Test Kit
Manufacturing Engineering	CNC machining training, certificate or diploma programs, apprenticeship, additional certifications, Precision Machining Tools
Welding	State or National Certification, Underwater welding programs, tools, helmet, gloves, D1.1 Welder Qualification test, Boilermaker and Pipefitters apprenticeship

Note: Continuing education may include on-line courses. Tools/equipment can only be purchased if the student is entering a qualified program/apprenticeship and the tools/equipment are **required** for that program.

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