

# Acklie Charitable Foundation

## SOUTHEAST COMMUNITY COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP

### Scholarship Application

All requested information must be provided. If incomplete, your application may not be considered.

Name of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_ Last 4 of SS# \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant's Home Address \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant's City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant's Phone Number (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant's Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Employed Parent/Spouse/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant's Relationship to Employee \_\_\_\_\_

Employee's Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Parent, Spouse, or Guardian's Employer

Crete Carrier Corporation

Hunt Transportation

Electronic Contracting Company

Degree, Diploma, or Certificate Program Enrolled In \_\_\_\_\_

Academic Semester Commencing for Year \_\_\_\_\_

Fall Semester

Spring Semester

Summer Semester

(Reimbursement eligibility will be a maximum of 48 months. **Noncredit courses may not qualify.**)

#### RELEASE OF INFORMATION

I agree that Southeast Community College may release information regarding my cumulative grade point average (GPA) to Crete Carrier Corporation.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant's Handwritten Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Return to Kathy Haake at [khaake@cretecarrier.com](mailto:khaake@cretecarrier.com) or  
Crete Carrier Corporation  
Attn: Kathy Haake  
400 NW 56<sup>th</sup> ST  
Lincoln, NE 68528



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### Frequently Asked Questions and Answers

1. Who is eligible for the scholarships?
  - A dependent child or spouse of a full-time employee of Crete Carrier Corporation or one of its related companies.
2. Who is a “dependent child”?
  - A child, stepchild, grandchild, or step-grandchild is considered to be dependent if they can be claimed as such for federal income tax purposes.
3. Who are full-time employees?
  - To be considered a full-time employee, the individual must have been continuously employed by Crete Carrier or the related company for one year and be classified as full time for payroll purposes.
4. Are Owner-Operators considered to be full-time employees?
  - Yes, provided they have at least one continuous year of service.
5. How do I apply for the scholarships?
  - Applications are located online at <https://cretecarrier.com/scholarship/> and in the Educational Assistance and Scholarships folder on EnRoute. Complete the scholarship application and return it to Kathy Haake:

[khaake@cretecarrier.com](mailto:khaake@cretecarrier.com)

*or*

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Once the application is received and the student meets all requirements, a Certificate of Eligibility will be sent to Southeast Community College and will be valid for the current academic semester.

6. Are the scholarships renewable?
  - Yes. The scholarship will pay for tuition and fees for the number of credit hours required to complete the degree, diploma, or certificate program provided:
    - the student maintains a cumulative 2.0 GPA,
    - the student’s parent/guardian or spouse continues to be a full-time employee of Crete Carrier or one of its related companies, and
    - the student completes the requirements of a degree, diploma, or certificate within 4 years after the beginning of the first academic semester for which the scholarship is given.
7. How often do I need to reapply?
  - **You need to reapply before you register for classes each academic semester.** Upon verification of parent/guardian or spouse employment status, timeframe eligibility, and a cumulative GPA above 2.0, a new Certificate of Eligibility will be sent to Southeast Community College. Your tuition and fees will be paid as long as you continue to meet the eligibility requirements.

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8. Are the scholarships available for any course taken at Southeast Community College?
  - No. The scholarship may be used only for courses that fulfill the requirements for the degree, diploma, or certificate program to which the student has been admitted. Noncredit courses may not qualify. Verify prior to registering.
9. Can the scholarship be used for books, room and board, or other costs associated with attending Southeast Community College?
  - No. The scholarship is only for tuition and fees. All other costs are the student's responsibility.
10. Who are the "related companies" of Crete Carrier?
  - Divisions and subsidiaries of Crete Carrier Corporation, such as Shaffer Trucking and Hunt Transportation Inc., as well as companies related to Crete Carrier through common ownership, such as Electronic Contracting Company, are "related companies" for purposes of the scholarships.
11. How long will the scholarship program last?
  - There is no timetable for the duration of the program. If the program is discontinued, students already receiving a scholarship will not be affected.
12. What happens to my scholarship if I switch from one program to another after I enroll at Southeast Community College?
  - Ordinarily the scholarship will pay your tuition for the number of credit hours required to complete the requirements for the degree, diploma, or certificate program you were first admitted to. If you change to another program, you may request that your scholarship be continued for a period not exceeding four years after the date you enrolled in the first program. Your request will be acted upon by the Foundation based on its consideration of the circumstances.
13. Do I have to be a resident of Nebraska to receive a scholarship?
  - No. Scholarships are available to all eligible children or spouses regardless of where they reside. Southeast Community College does offer online degree, diploma, and certificate programs that do not require a student to be physically present on campus.
14. The Career Academy (TCA)—a joint venture between Lincoln Public Schools and Southeast Community College—provides dual credit courses through Southeast Community College. Can this scholarship be utilized by high school juniors and seniors for TCA tuition?
  - Yes, the scholarship can be applied to TCA tuition. However, students should be aware that the four-year coverage time limit starts once the scholarship is issued. Students who choose to go on to Southeast Community College must still complete the requirements of a degree, diploma, or certificate within four years from the beginning of the first academic semester for which the scholarship is given.
15. What happens to my scholarship if I lose my eligibility after enrolling at Southeast Community College?
  - If you are eligible at the start of an academic semester, your tuition and fees will be paid for the academic semester in which you lose your eligibility. After that, you will be responsible for your own tuition and fees.

Other questions? Contact Kathy Haake at [khaake@cretecarrier.com](mailto:khaake@cretecarrier.com) or 402-479-2037.