

2009-2010 GED Scholarship Eligibility Information

The purpose of this scholarship is to recognize and award students who have attained a GED with a score of average or above average (550 or above) and to provide an incentive for those students to continue their education.

The amount of the scholarship is \$500.00. This scholarship is to be used during the 2009-2010 school year.

Applicants must be a Stark County resident and plan to attend a college or university, or a career and technical education program.

The scholarship awards will be disbursed directly to the institution of learning.

The scholarship is competitive. Candidates will be judged upon the completed application and requirements outlined below. Incomplete applications will not be considered for award.

- **Copy of GED Diploma (with the attached scores)**
- A two hundred word essay explaining your plans for the future and how this scholarship will help you
- One letter of reference from non-relatives.
- Neatness and completion of application

For additional information please contact **Thelma Slater** at **(330) 458-2633**.

Mail applications to: The Canton Mayor's Literacy Commission

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Applications must be postmarked by May 16, 2009