Title: Tuition Scholarship Program for High School Students

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Responsibility: Finance and Administration

Policy:

It is the policy of Cecil College to provide scholarships to high school students who attend Cecil College. Cecil County Public High School (CCPS) students, who enroll in Cecil College credit courses are granted a Dual Enrollment Scholarship equal to 25% of the in-county tuition rate. Cecil College will invoice CCPS who is responsible for the remaining 75% of the tuition and 100% of the cost of textbooks and appropriate fees.

All other designated high school students who enroll in Cecil College credit courses are granted a College Bound Scholarship equal to 25% of the in-county tuition rate. CCPS students will use the Dual Enrollment Scholarship Eligibility Form, for Fall and Spring Terms. If a CCPS student enrolls in Summer Term or for courses not on the approved dual enrollment list, they will complete the College Bound Scholarship Form and receive 25% off the in-county tuition rate. All other High School students will use the College Bound Scholarship Form.

Procedure:

- 1. The Office of Early College will obtain a list of high school students from approved high schools. Guidelines explaining the "High School Scholarship Program" will be given to these students.
- 2. To be eligible for this tuition waiver, a high school student must meet the following mutually agreed upon enrollment requirements:
 - a. Be at least 16 years of age or be approved for gifted and talented entry;
 - b. Possess a cumulative grade point average of 2.5 or above if a senior;
 - c. Possess a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 or above if not yet a senior
 - d. Be enrolled in one of the approved high schools; and
 - e. Be certified by the high school as meeting the eligibility requirements
- 3. The scholarship form must be completed and submitted to the Cecil College Student Services Enrollment Management Division prior to enrollment in any class. Eligible students will be identified in the student information system as a high school student for academic monitoring purposes.

- 4. The student will complete the College's admissions and registration processes and forms. Skills assessments and prerequisite requirements must be met prior to registration.
- 5. Cecil County Public Schools will be invoiced for 75% tuition, 100% applicable fees, and textbooks for students enrolled in approved CCPS dual enrollment courses
- 6. CCPS students who enroll in developmental courses, summer courses, or courses outside the dual enrollment MOU are eligible for the College Bound Scholarship, and they are billed directly by the Cashier's Office.