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We offer our sincere appreciation for your support of HACC students and the entire HACC community. Your gifts, no matter the size, make a meaningful difference in changing lives and opening opportunities at HACC, Central Pennsylvania's Community College.

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Dear HACC Foundation Donor,

I want to take a moment to extend my gratitudes for having been selected to be a receiver of the Dr. Michael D. Klunk Scholarship at HACC for the Spring 2025 semester. It is an honor to have the backing of a scholarship for my academic journey. I intend to take complete advantage of the opportunity graciously extended to me. Being a student at HACC has opened doors I never thought would open for me in the past, like getting to meet new people, learning about new career opportunities, and having a second chance to prove to myself that I can achieve anything I put my mind to. I am a current nursing student in HACC's LPN program, going into my second semester with now a renewed sense of determination to achieve the best grades while simultaneously progressing my clinical skills to become a competent and efficient nurse in the future. I currently work on an as-needed basis at the Bethany Village Assisted Living Facility as a Resident Assistant and at Claremont Rehab and Nursing Facility as a Transportation Aide as part of my commitment to growing my skills in healthcare and gaining relevant experience in the field. My plans after graduation are to return to HACC to earn my Associate in Nursing and finally graduate as a Registered Nurse and be able to work in the hospital setting, eventually working my way to the Labor and Delivery unit, where I have the most passion for helping and looking after women, especially the demographic of women that are affected from not being able to receive needed care for various reasons.
I am grateful for the scholarship support as it will lift the burden of financing my studies off of my mother and give her more resources to look after my other siblings as she is another great support system I have in my life and I am grateful that she can finally relax when it comes to the finances of my education. It will also gives me the chance to work much reduced hours so I can continue to prioritize my studies and excel at my courses whenever I can. Thank you on behalf of HACC students.

Again, my greatest gratitude,

Maryam
Class of 2025







Dear HACC Foundation Donor,

Thank you very much for awarding me the Margaret J. Keyser Nursing Scholarship. I am honored to be a recipient of this scholarship.

I have returned to HACC as an older adult to study to become a registered nurse. The first semester of studies is now complete and I am soon to begin the first spring "mini-mester." In the fall, I did well in classes and had a chance to spend one day in clinical. In the upcoming session, I am looking forward to, but not without some trepidation, increased clinical time as well as continued class work. I'm eager to better understand the hospital setting and to learn the basics of providing quality patient care. I hope that by the end of May, I will be able to look back with a smile and nod of confidence at all I've learned.

Your scholarship is much appreciated. With two of my children currently enrolled in college, and a third child ready to attend a university in August, all financial help is appreciated. Thank you.

Sincerely,
Johanna







Dear HACC Foundation Donor,

I wanted to write to express my gratitude and appreciation for awarding me the Fulton Bank Scholarship. I am so honored to have been selected as a recipient of this generous support.

The Fulton Bank Scholarship will help me significantly as I pursue my studies in Diagnostic Medical Sonography at Harrisburg Area Community College. I am entering my last semester of the clinical program where I will be doing clinical days and studying for my boards to officiate me as a registered sonographer! I hope one day to become registered and help many patients of all ages get the answers that they need for their health. It not only assists with the financial pressure but also motivates me to work even harder to achieve my career goals and finish strong.

Thank you for your generosity and helping me become closer to where I want to be with my life, this truly helps me in so many ways. I am committed to making the most of this award and taking full advantage of your investment in my education for classes and resources that help me learn.

Thank you again,
Madison









Hello my name is Akyerah. I just wanted to say thank you for awarding me with this scholarship. I greatly appreciate it and I will use this money to further push my educational goals. This was a huge motivation in this hard and trying time. I will not disappoint and I promise to make this scholarship worth it.

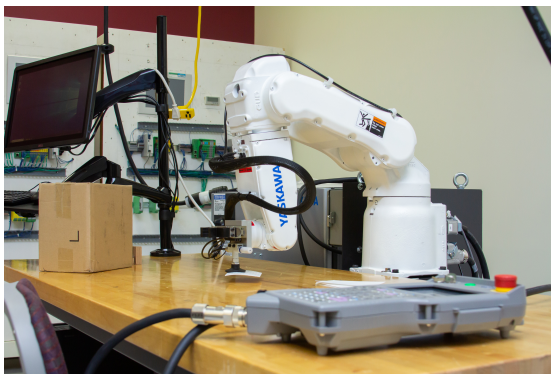
Dear HACC DONOR

I am honored to be chosen by THE BOYD FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP AWARD this Spring 2025 as one of the beneficiaries of their generosity and I'm very grateful. May God almighty bless this organisation. This is going to be my first term as student in this great institution and I'm already excited to be here. I promised to combine focus and commitment to my studies to make this dream come true and make my donor proud for the trust.

Happy new year and thank you very much
Andre







Dear HACC Foundation Donors,

Thank you so much for your consideration and choosing me to receive the Anthony and Margaret DeGennaro Scholarship for the Spring 2025 semester. It is truly an honor and a blessing to receive this scholarship and the opportunity it enables.

I am currently a Social Science major at HACC Gettysburg Campus. I intend to use the associates I receive from HACC to transfer into a Secondary Social Studies Education program and become a high school teacher.

I have been working at the Walmart down road from the Campus as part of the Stocking 2 Team. Scholarships like the Anthony and Margaret DeGennaro Scholarship allow me to not work so many hours to focus on my academics and school work.

The scholarship also affords me time so that I can be a part of productions at Gettysburg Community Theater, most recently in The Time Machine.

Thank you again for your kindness and consideration,
From here to tomorrow,
Nathanael





Dear HACC Foundation Donor,

I am writing to express my sincere gratitude to you for choosing me as a recipient of the William M. and Florence E. Bliss Memorial Scholarship. I now can continue as a full-time student and get one step closer to achieving my academic goals. I am deeply appreciative of your support and all the good that you do.

I am currently majoring in Nursing and hope to go into the field of medical. There were times when my dream of pursuing a higher education seemed impossible, but the financial assistance you have provided me will help me tremendously. I can follow my dream and graduate with my undergraduate degree in 2027. Upon my graduation from HACC, I am hoping to proceed to graduate school as soon as possible.

Thank you again for your very important financial assistance.

Sincerely,
Usha







Dear Marian Spong Donor,

I am honored to be a recipient of the Marian Spong Scholarship.

As a sophomore majoring in psychology, I am excited to continue my education and be the first in my family to graduate from college. I have always known from a young age I wanted to become a therapist. With the help of The Marian Spong Scholarship, I am confident that I will be able to make my dream come true. This support will allow me to work fewer hours, allowing me to focus more on my studies. In the future, I plan to pursue a Master's Degree and become a therapist, so I can help individuals in my community lead healthier and happier lives.

I am also actively participating in HACC's esports program, being the captain of a team in a game called Overwatch, and co-strategist of a game called Marvel Rivals. In addition, I am helping other students get better at leading, so when I graduate, HACC can keep having amazing leaders, which has been a fulfilling way to give back to the community.

Receiving the Marian Spong Scholarship helps ease the financial burden of paying for tuition entirely on my own. It allows me to focus more on my studies and extracurricular activities, such as coaching new players and fostering a supportive environment for all members of our team. Your generosity inspires me to continue striving for excellence both in and out of the classroom.

Thank you for your incredible support of students like me. Your kindness has made a significant difference in my journey, and I am truly grateful.

Warm Regards,
Reanna





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