KISCO SPIRIT SCHOLARSHIP
FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Who is eligible for the Kisco Spirit Scholarship?

Current, retired, and former associates of Kisco Senior Living, along with their spouses and children, as well as residents of the local communities we serve, are eligible to apply for the scholarship.

How do I apply for the Kisco Spirit Scholarship?

Eligible applicants may apply during the designated application period by completing the online application form, then submitting two letters of recommendation and proof of tuition via email. Applications are not considered complete and will not be reviewed until all required materials are received by the deadline.

When can I apply for the Kisco Spirit Scholarship?

The scholarship application periods occur twice a year: in April for the Fall semester and in October for the Spring semester. Applications submitted during the Spring application period will be funded for the following Fall semester, while those submitted during the Fall application period will receive funding for the upcoming Spring semester. All materials must be submitted by each application deadline in order to be considered.

What can the scholarship pay for, and where can it be used?

The Kisco Spirit Scholarship covers tuition costs only and must be used for the semester for which the applicant applied. Scholarship funds must be paid directly to an eligible college, university, or other educational institution that meets the program's requirements. Funds cannot be transferred to another school or carried over to a future semester.

Who can write a reccommendation letter?

Each applicant is required to submit two letters of recommendation as part of their application. Letters should be written by professional contacts such as teachers, professors, coworkers, managers, supervisors, or mentors who can speak to the applicant's character, skills, abilities, and potential for professional growth. Letters may be submitted by the applicant or sent directly by the reference writer via email, following the submission instructions provided in the application. Each letter must be dated and include the reference writer's name, title or position, organization (if applicable), their relationship to the applicant, and the length of time they have known the applicant. Letters of recommendation must be provided by individuals who are not related to the applicant.

What qualifies as proof of tuition?

Applicants must submit supporting documentation that reflects tuition costs only. Acceptable documents include, but are not limited to, an official tuition bill, an enrollment verification showing tuition cost, or a screenshot from a student portal that clearly displays tuition charges. The documentation provided should match the tuition amount listed in the application.

When will recipients be notified?

After the application period closes, the selection committee will review all completed applications, which typically takes approximately four weeks. Award recipients will be contacted via email and may also be announced across the organization. Applicants who are not selected will not receive a separate notification; however, we strongly encourage all eligible individuals to apply again in future application cycles.

Who can I contact if I have addtional questions?

If you have questions about the Kisco Spirit Scholarship, please contact your Human Resources Leader, visit kiscospirit.com, or email info@kiscospirit.com for assistance.

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