

# FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

## **Do I need to complete an application for each term?**

If you completed a fall term foundation scholarship application, you do not need to complete one for spring term. If you were not awarded in the fall term, your application will be reviewed and you will be considered for the spring term.

## **What is the website for scholarship information?**

<https://pbcc.scholarships.nelnet.net/>

## **How do you log in to this site?**

If you are a first time user to the PBCC website, you will have to register and create a login and password. If you already have a login and password for the PBCC website, you will use the same login and password.

## **How do I review what foundation scholarships offered?**

Go to the following website <http://www.pbcc.edu/x11986.xml> and you can click on list to review the foundation scholarships. Students do not apply for a specific scholarship. Your application will be considered for the scholarships in which you meet the donor criteria.

## **When are Foundation Scholarships awarded?**

Fall and Spring Terms  
Summer Term (if funds are available)

## **How do I know if I have received a Foundation Scholarship?**

If you have been selected to received a foundation scholarship, you will receive a letter in the mail from the Foundation. Scholarship award letters are mailed to students about mid-term. Students should pay their fees for school. The scholarship is posted your pantherweb account. If you are due a reimbursement, it will be mailed to you by the Cashier's Office approximately 3-4 weeks after the scholarship is posted to your account.

## **Do I have to be a US Citizen?**

No. However, immigrants must have established residency.

## **Can I be a transient student?**

No

**What if I am a new student at PBCC? Can I qualify for a foundation scholarship?**

The majority of scholarships require that you have a GPA at PBCC to apply for scholarships. We do have a few scholarships for incoming freshmen from designated area high schools.

**What if I receive a scholarship for the fall/spring terms and I don't meet the donor criteria requirements? For example, the scholarship requires a GPA of 3.0 and at the end of fall term my GPA is 2.5.**

If you do not meet the GPA or other donor requirements for the scholarship, your scholarship will not be awarded the next term.

**What if I receive a scholarship for the fall/spring terms and I transfer to another university?**

Foundation scholarship funds can only be used Palm Beach Community College. We are unable to transfer funds to another university.