



**The C. Waldo Scott Center for H.O.P.E Announces  
The Lylton L. and Augusta Inettie B. Edwards Vocational Scholarship**

**Scholarship Release Date: April 1, 2021**

**SCHOLARSHIP DUE DATE: ~~April 30, 2021~~ (by 5:00 p.m. EST) extended to: June 25, 2021**

**Purpose: Vocational Skills Training**

The C. Waldo Scott Center for H.O.P.E. announces a scholarship opportunity for youth and adult residents of the Southeast community of Newport News, Virginia who are interested in pursuing vocational education.

Mrs. Augusta Inettie B. Edwards was a long-time resident of Newport News, Virginia and retired as a teacher in the Newport News Public Schools. Mrs. Edwards and her husband, Lylton, both had a strong belief in not only education in general, but also in job training--vocational education. It has been approximately fourteen (14) years since the establishment and endowment of the **Lylton L. and Augusta Inettie B. Edwards Vocational Scholarship Fund.**

Mr. and Mrs. Edwards were passionate about building the community in which they lived and about providing opportunities for their community members. Embracing their passion, the scholarship fund was established by Mrs. Edwards to assist residents of the Southeast Community of Newport News with pursuing vocational trades. With today's shortage of skilled workers, we see that the vision of Mr. and Mrs. Edwards still holds true!

Applications received by the deadline (June 25, 2021) will be reviewed by the Scholarship Committee. The recommended application will be submitted to the Board of Trustees for approval. The decision of the Board shall be final.

The recipient will be presented to the Board for recognition and awarded the scholarship in June 2021. Initially only a certificate of award will be presented. The monetary award will be sent upon confirmation of enrollment in a program that provides vocational skills training.

If you have any questions or concerns related to this scholarship, please contact the Scott Center, 757-244-9223.

**This scholarship application is also available on the Scott Center's website:**

**[www.scottcenter.org](http://www.scottcenter.org)**



Lylton L. and Augusta Inettie B. Edwards

**Vocational Skills Training Scholarship Application**

Please TYPE/PRINT information requested on the form.

**Part A- General Information**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Last Name First Name Middle Initial

Date of Birth: Month \_\_\_\_\_ Day \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Zip Code

Telephone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**Education History:**

High School Graduate  Year Graduated \_\_\_\_\_

Obtained G.E.D.  Year Obtained \_\_\_\_\_

Last Grade Level Completed \_\_\_\_\_

Vocational programs to which you have applied:

\_\_\_\_\_

Name of vocational program you plan to attend:

\_\_\_\_\_

Have you been accepted to the vocational program of your choice? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

\*Please provide a copy of the letter of acceptance or other official documentation from the vocational program to verify your acceptance. Documents attached: Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ To be mailed \_\_\_

**Part B-Residency Information**

Are you a U.S. citizen? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

Are you a resident of the Commonwealth of Virginia? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

How many years have you lived at your current address? \_\_\_\_\_



Are you able to provide proof of residency? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

(\*Proof of residency must be a document that verifies your Southeast Community address, for example a bill or school record.)

**If under 18 years old include:**

Name of parent/guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

Address of parent/guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number of parent/guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

**Part C- References:**

Please provide two (2) letters of reference/recommendation from persons (community residents, church members, co-workers, school personnel, supervisors, etc., but cannot include relatives) to speak to your character and motivation to accomplish your goals, etc.

**Part D- Certification**

I certify that the information I have provided on this application is true and accurate:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Applicant Date

Application Deadline

June 25, 2021

Mail/Deliver application and supporting documentation to:

C. Waldo Scott Center for H.O.P.E.

Attn: Scholarship Committee

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