Smyth County Promise Scholarship – How to apply checklist!

Current Seniors from any Smyth County High School, graduating in 2024

1. Apply for Admission to WCC	
Application for New Students: https://www.apply.vccs.edu/Home/Sign_In/Logon.aspx	
Application for Dual Enrollment Students: If you have taken dual enrollment classes while in high school, you are already considered a WCC student. Check with Admissions at admissions@wcc.vccs.edu or 276-223-4701 to verify application status. If your application is active, you will only need to complete a high school transition form instead of an application. High School Transition Form: https://www.wcc.vccs.edu/transition-dual-enrollment-wcc-curricular-student	
Complete a 24-25 FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid)	Complete a 2024 Fall Scholarship Application To apply for all WCC scholarships including the Smyth County Promise Scholarship
FAFSA: https://studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa	Application: https://www.wcc.vccs.edu/scholarship-application
If you are attending Summer 2024 semester, please select the 2023-2024 FAFSA application. You will also need to complete the 2024-2025 FAFSA application.	Important Dates: March 18, 2024 – Registration for Summer 2024 begins. April 1, 2024 – Registration for Fall 2024 begins.
If you are attending Fall 2024 semester, please select the 2024-2025 FAFSA application. 2023-2024 FAFSA covers Fall 2023, Spring 2024, and Summer 2024 semesters. 2024-2025 FAFSA covers Fall 2024, Spring 2025, and Summer 2025 semesters.	If you will be attending Summer 2024 – after you register for classes, please fill out the required Summer 2024 Financial Aid Application that will be linked to your Student Information System (SIS) account.
Final High School Transcripts will also need to be sent to the Financial Aid Office and the Admissions Office from the High School after graduation.	
Register for Classes at WCC Registration for Summer 2024 is March 18, 2024, and Registration for Fall 2024 is April 1, 2024.	5. Watch for important emails and mail from WCC! Including information regarding New Student Orientation!
Even though you have not graduated from high school yet, please register for classes so we can process your Smyth County Promise Scholarship Application! Contact your High School Career Coach for Assistance!	After you complete all of the above steps, you will be notified if we need information for proof of residence to qualify you for the Smyth County Promise Scholarship.
Marion Senior High School – Bridget Preston bprestion@wcc.vccs.edu	Students who receive enough financial aid, grants, scholarships or other resources to pay tuition and fees do not qualify for the Smyth County Promise Scholarship.
All other Smyth County High School Seniors, please contact Josh Floyd, WCC Dual Enrollment Coordinator – <u>ifloyd@wcc.vccs.edu</u>	Please email Amanda Pauley, the Scholarship Program Manager at apauley@wcc.vccs.edu or call 276-223-4719 for additional information.
Please note: Some courses will include book fees that are not covered by the Smyth County Promise Scholarship. You will be responsible for paying these fees.	We look forward to serving you as a student at Wytheville Community College!