The Dorothy Witmer Kinney Memorial Scholarship

In 1995 this scholarship was established in memory of Dorothy Witmer Kinney, wife of Charles B. Kinney, Jr. The fund was started by their children in memory of their parents who were committed to creating opportunities for all students to pursue higher education.

Award Criteria

- This scholarship is awarded to a continuing NVCC student who is in a course of study leading to a career in public service or a helping profession.
- Student must be in good academic standing.

Application Process (see attached forms):

REQUIRED
- Completed application form
- Completed personal statement

OPTIONAL
- One or more academic and/or professional letters of recommendation

The complete application must be received by February 21st

Questions?

Contact Elizabeth Catuccio email: ecatuccio@nv.edu or phone:

203-575-8045
### Applicant Information – The Dorothy Witmer Kinney Memorial Scholarship

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**Date of Birth** __________________________   **Gender:** ☐ Male ☐ Female

**Marital Status:** ☐ Single ☐ Married ☐ Divorced ☐ Separated

**Ethnicity:** ☐ White ☐ Black or African American ☐ Hispanic or Latino ☐ Asian ☐ Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander ☐ Two or More Races

### Academic Information

**Degree Program:** ☐ Associate ☐ Certificate   **Concentration:** __________________________ GPA to date_________________

**Credits Earned to Date:** __________________________ Number of Credits you are currently taking: __________________________

**During the next academic year will you be:** ☐ Full Time Student ☐ Part-Time Student

**How many credit hours do you plan to take:** __________________________ **Anticipated Graduation Date** __________________________

**Will you be attending** ☐ NVCC or ☐ Another academic institution? If other, what college________________________ Are you on Academic Probation? ☐ No ☐ Yes

**Have you violated the student conduct policy within the last academic year or at your previous institution?** ☐ No ☐ Yes If yes, please explain________________________________________________________________________________________

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**Have you ever received any form of financial aid from NVCC?** If so, when? __________________________

**Have you submitted a FASFA to NVCC?** ☐ Yes ☐ No
Employment and Volunteer Information

Work Status:  ☐ Full Time  ☐ Part time  ☐ Unemployed  Work Study Student:  ☐ Yes  ☐ No

Briefly describe your current job and field of employment:

Extracurricular Activities and volunteer work: - Please list any extracurricular activities and volunteer work you participate in. (Both in and outside NVCC)

This Scholarship Application and all supporting documentation MUST be submitted together by deadline or packet will not be accepted.

Please Mail or personally drop off all application materials to:
NVCC Foundation – Scholarship Committee – The Dorothy Witmer Kinney Memorial Scholarship
750 Chase Parkway
Kinney Hall Room 720
Waterbury, CT 06708

DEADLINE FOR
APPLICATIONS February 21st

ALL OF THE INFORMATION IN THIS APPLICATION IS TRUE AND COMPLETE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE.

/  
(Applicant’s Signature)  (Date)
To the Applicant: *The scholarship committee places great emphasis on this personal statement.* Please provide a *one-page typed statement* sharing with them why you believe you are deserving of a scholarship.

Though every applicant is unique, you may wish to include in your statement any recent awards or honors, as well as any significant personal accomplishments and/or obstacles (familial or financial) you have overcome in order to pursue a college degree.

*Personal Statements must be original and current. Statements which were submitted in previous years will not be considered for this year’s scholarships.*

*Your typed Personal Statement can be attached to the application when submitted and must include your name and the name of the scholarship you are applying for.*
Name of Applicant:__________________________________________

This reference must be current, dated this year, and cannot be written by a family member.

The following applicant is applying for an NVCC Foundation Scholarship. Please help the scholarship committee in its decision making process by commenting on the applicant’s academic ability by providing up to a one-page typed letter of recommendation. You may attach your letter to this completed form. Thank you.

- Name of Applicant
- Length of time you have known applicant
- Course(s) in which you have taught the applicant.
- Comments and observations on this applicant’s academic ability, including but not limited to his/her initiative in your classroom, work ethic and commitment level to your class and area of study.
- One or two of the applicant’s strongest qualities or skills that will qualify them for a scholarship.
- It would be helpful to support each claim you make about the person with a specific example.

In addition to your recommendation, please include:

- Name of Academic Reference
- Title
- Academic Institution, Room #
- Telephone or Email
- Signature
- Date
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Professional Letter of Recommendation

Optional

Name of Applicant: ___________________________________________________

This reference must be current, dated this year, and cannot be written by a family member.

The following applicant is applying for an NVCC Foundation Scholarship. Please help the scholarship committee in its decision making process by commenting on the applicant’s professional abilities related to the applicants field of study by providing up to a one-page typed letter of recommendation. You may attach your letter to this completed form. Thank you.

Professional letter of recommendation should include:

- Name of Applicant
- Length of time you have known applicant
- Professional Relationship of applicant to you (colleague, employee, former employee, volunteer)
- Comments and observations on this applicant’s character
- One or two of the applicant’s strongest qualities or skills that will qualify them for a scholarship.
- Try to support each claim you make about the person with a specific example.

In addition to your recommendation, please include:

- Your name
- Address
- City, State Zip
- Telephone or Email
- Signature
- Date