

**2019-2020  
Choose Ohio First  
SCHOLARSHIP  
APPLICATION  
AND  
INSTRUCTIONS**

Lakeland  
COMMUNITY COLLEGE

**Fall 2019**

## **SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS**

### **I. Eligibility:**

- A. Students must be an Ohio resident and accepted in to the Biotechnology Science program at Lakeland Community College.
- B. Applicant must be a first year Lakeland Community College student. CCP and transfer students are eligible.
- C. Grant awards from other sources will be applied first to pay tuition and fees. The Choose Ohio First scholarship may supplement other grant sources up to the cost of tuition and fees.
- D. Recipients will be selected on the basis of criteria set forth by the college.
- E. All award recipients must remain Biotechnology Science program members and be enrolled in at least one Biotechnology Science course per semester.
- F. All award recipients must maintain the academic status of “good standing”.
- G. All award recipients must possess and maintain a 3.0 grade point average.

### **II. Application Requirements:**

- A. Complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) and submit any additional information that may be required for the FAFSA.
- B. Complete the Choose Ohio First Scholarship (COFS) general scholarship application.
- C. Submit a 250-word typewritten personal statement addressing:
  - Your reasons for pursuing a degree in Biotechnology Science
  - Your academic and scientific background;
  - Your financial need

Finalists may be subjected to a short interview before awards are determined.

### **III. How and When to Submit An Application:**

- A. Completed applications may be submitted to the Director of Biotechnology Science via email, in person, or United States Postal Service

Dr. Joe Deak Ph.D  
Director, Biotechnology Science  
Lakeland Community College  
7700 Clocktower Drive  
Kirtland OH 44094  
Office H-211a

### **IV. Notification of Scholarships:**

- A. Students will be notified through their Lakeland email

### **V. Award Amount**

- A. The Choose Ohio First Biotechnology Program Scholarship will cover tuition, general fees and books during the 2019-2020 academic year for up to \$5,000.00.
- B. The Chancellor’s Office has provided funding for this scholarship through the 2019-2020 academic year. Funding beyond this academic year will depend upon authorization by the Ohio Board of Regents and funding by the Ohio General Assembly.



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Scholarship Application**

Name:		Lakeland ID Number:	
Address:			
City:	State:	Zip:	County:
High School Attended:		Home Telephone Number:	
		Work Telephone Number:	
In what city did you live while attending high school?			
High School Graduation Date:			
List Major (program of study)	Academic goal: <input type="checkbox"/> Degree <input type="checkbox"/> Certificate	Future major if transferring:	
Are you a first generation college student?			
Are you a displaced worker?			

**Certification**

I certify the information provided on the scholarship application is true. Any information that is false or misleading can result in the loss of the scholarship, if awarded.

**Your signature** gives the Financial Aid Office permission to release your scholarship application and transcript of grades to a donor and/or Scholarship Committee. It also gives your scholarship donor permission to publicize your name as a recipient of their scholarship.

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Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Please attach your 250 word personal statement to this application prior to submission.**