

GIBBS JUNIOR COLLEGE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION, INC.

Bill McCloud- President

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Gibbs Junior College was established to provide a college experience with a goal toward professional development to minority students within Hillsborough, Manatee, Pinellas, Polk and Sarasota Counties. **Three** renewable scholarships of **\$500.00** will be given to assist minority students who are financially needy and deserving. Preference will be given to students involved in community service.

Eligibility for this scholarship requires:

1. That you are a full-time student at St. Petersburg College with Gibbs Campus as your home campus, enrolled in a BS/AA/AS degree program during Sessions I, II, or III with a GPA of 2.5 or better or a high school graduate with a 3.0 GPA or better.
2. That you maintain a 2.5 GPA at St. Petersburg College. If recipient maintains a 2.5 grade point average, an additional \$500.00 will be considered for the following semester.
3. That you have applied for financial aid/demonstrated a financial need.
4. That you complete an essay of at least 250 words to include:
 - a. Name, address, telephone number and student I.D. number.
 - b. Name of high school attended and GPA.
 - c. Employment history and/or club or program activities.
 - d. Planned major and future goals.
 - e. Explain how higher education can help you become a responsible person as a student, family member and citizen?
 - f. If selected for the Gibbs Junior College Alumni Scholarship, you will automatically become a member of the Gibbs Junior College Alumni Association. As a member what contributions can you offer to help keep the legacy of Gibbs Junior College alive?

All applicants will need to apply online through the [St. Petersburg College Foundation](#) by selecting the **Apply Now** button. For scholarships being awarded for **fall term 2014-2015**, please check back for the application start and end dates.