

## **Woodhaven Scholarship**

Holy Family University – Division of Extended Learning is pleased to once again offer the **Woodhaven Scholarship** program for working adult students. This \$1,000.00 scholarship was created to help mission-driven working adult students, who do not receive 100% tuition assistance from their employer, start or return to college.

### **Scholarship Eligibility**

1. Applicants must be working adults interested in pursuing a Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration or Nursing (RN to BSN) through the Division of Extended Learning at Holy Family University.
2. Applicants must be applying to the Division of Extended Learning for the first time.
3. Scholarship recipients must begin taking courses in the Fall 1 Session of 2009 (August 31, 2009 to October 3, 2009) and must enroll for at least two courses (6 credits) during the Fall semester (Fall 1, Fall 2 and Fall 3) of 2009.
4. In order to be considered for the scholarship, all required admissions materials (Undergraduate Application form, recommendations, transcripts, writing sample/essay, application fee and any other required materials) must be received by the Division of Extended Learning no later than August 14, 2009.
5. In addition, the Woodhaven Scholarship application form and the required essay must be received by the Division of Extended Learning no later than August 14, 2009.

### **Scholarship Application Process**

1. Submit the Woodhaven Scholarship Application form
2. Submit the required original essay (double-spaced, no more than two pages) on the topic: “How do you plan to use your Holy Family University education to assume lifelong responsibilities to God, Society and Self?” (To learn more about the Holy Family University Mission Statement and Core Values, go to the following link: (<http://www.holyfamily.edu/about/mission.shtml>))
3. Submit all required admissions materials (undergraduate application form, \$25 application fee, two recommendations, official transcripts for all previous college-level work, writing sample/essay and any other required materials) to the Division of Extended Learning no later than August 14, 2009.
4. The Woodhaven Scholarship Application form and the required original essay must be received by the Division of Extended Learning no later than August 14, 2009.
5. All admissions and scholarship materials should be delivered to Division of Extended Learning, Attn: Woodhaven Scholarship, Holy Family University – Woodhaven, 1311 Bristol Pike, Bensalem, PA 19020, no later than August 14, 2009.

**Scholarship Selection Criteria**

1. All Woodhaven Scholarship Application forms and required essays, received by the August 14, 2009 deadline, will be reviewed by the Woodhaven Scholarship Selection Committee.
2. Essays will be evaluated based on the overall quality and originality of the writing, depth of understanding of the Holy Family University mission and the ability of the applicant to articulate their own personal plans for fulfilling the Holy Family University mission.

**Scholarship Notification Process**

All Woodhaven Scholarship applicants will be notified of the decision of the Woodhaven Scholarship Selection Committee, in writing, no later than August 25, 2009.

**Awarding of Scholarship Funds**

Woodhaven Scholarship funds will be applied directly to the recipient's student account after six credits have been completed during the first semester of attendance.

## Woodhaven Scholarship Application Form

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

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
*Street Address*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*City* *State* *Zip*

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

I have applied for admission to the following program (please check one):

\_\_\_\_\_ Bachelor of Science in Business Administration

\_\_\_\_\_ Bachelor of Science in Nursing (RN to BSN)

### Woodhaven Scholarship Essay Requirement

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I understand that to be considered for a Woodhaven Scholarship, I must submit all required admissions materials, this application form and the required essay to the Division of Extended Learning no later than August 14, 2009. I also understand that to be eligible for this scholarship opportunity I must be enrolled for and complete at least two accelerated courses (6 credits) during the Fall semester 2009. I affirm that I am not receiving full tuition assistance from my employer and I understand that if I am awarded this scholarship, it may have an impact on other financial aid I receive.

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Signature*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Date*

Please return all required admissions materials, the Woodhaven Scholarship application form and the required Woodhaven Scholarship Essay to the following address no later than August 14, 2009.

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Bensalem, PA 19020