About This Form

The Ohio Work Ready Grant is for Ohio residents enrolled in an eligible program that leads to an industry-recognized credential, certificate, or degree and prepares the student for an in-demand job**.**

Eligibility requirements

To be eligible for the scholarship, you must meet the following criteria:

- Submit an **Ohio Work Ready Grant application** and be selected as a recipient.
- Be an **Ohio resident**.
- Be registered for **Selective Service** if required to register by law.
- Be enrolled in one of the **eligible programs** listed on this application.
    - Complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA ®) and receive a Student Aid Index (SAI) of 3750 or less.
        - *If a student is selected for verification and the determination is made that the student is no longer eligible for Ohio Work Ready Grant due to verification results, any Ohio Work Ready Grant funds applied to the student's account for that academic year will be removed from the student's aid package.*
- **Complete courses successfully** to continue eligibility.

Awards

- **Up to $2,000** can be awarded to part time degree seeking students or students seeking a short-term certificate or industry-recognized credential.
- A student who completes multiple short-term certificates or industry-recognized credential programs in an academic year is eligible to receive up to $3,000 for the year, regardless of the number of programs completed in the academic year.
- Awards from the Ohio Work Ready Grant can be used for tuition and fees.
- Funding is limited and only available through **June 30, 2025**.

Questions?

If you have any questions regarding this program, please contact Admissions at (567) 661-7777
or admissions@owens.edu.

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Ohio Work Ready Certificate Grant Application
for Non-Credit Programs
through Workforce & Community Services
OFFICE OF FINANCIAL AID

Student Information

Legal First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Owens OCID or last 4 digits of SSN: _____

Address: _____

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Phone: _____

Email: _____

Program Information

Please indicate your program of study. For information about which programs are currently being offered, please contact Workforce & Community Services.

- ❑ Commercial Truck Driving Training
- ❑ HazMat CDL Endorsement
- ❑ Pharmacy Tech
- ❑ Phlebotomy Tech
- ❑ Robotics
- ❑ Tool and Die
- ❑ Welding & Fabrication

When do you plan to start this program (month/year): _____

Eligibility Information

1. Have you resided in Ohio for 12 consecutive months?   ❑ Yes   ❑ No

   Please submit a copy of your Ohio Driver's License, state ID, or other **documentation showing that you are an Ohio resident**.

2. If you have not done so already, you must complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA®) to demonstrate eligibility.

3. If you were designated as male at birth, provide documentation of your **Selective Service registration**. Details are available at https://www.owens.edu/media/financial_aid/banner-links/SELECT.pdf.

Certification

I have reviewed the scholarship information provided in the **About this Form** section and certify that I meet all of the eligibility requirements listed. *If you do not meet any of these criteria, do not submit this form.*

Student's Signature _____ Date _____

Submit this form and documents

Return this form and required documentation.

Mail:	Owens Community College	**In person:**	Owens Community College
	Workforce & Community Services		Workforce & Community Services
	30335 Oregon Road		458 Depot Road
	Perrysburg OH 43551		Perrysburg OH 43551

Next steps:

If you do not have an Ozone account, information about your application will be provided to you by Workforce & Community Services.

If you have an Ozone account, information about the application will be posted to Ozone and notices will be sent to your Owens student email account. From **ozone.owens.edu**, locate the **Financial Aid Summary** card. Verify that you are viewing the desired aid year, click the **View Financial Aid Details** link, then view **Student Requirements** on the **Home** tab.

Office Use Only:

❑ Program of study confirmed

Term	Course(s)	Cost

WCS signature: _____ Date: _____

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