

# ESTELLE JONES NON-TRADITIONAL STUDENTS SCHOLARSHIP

## APPLICATION INFORMATION

Estelle Jones, born and raised in Hopkins, South Carolina, often talked of how she wished she had gone to nursing school or college. The friends and loved ones of Estelle Jones have set up a scholarship fund in memory of her. Administered through Central Carolina Community Foundation, the Estelle Jones Non-Traditional Students Scholarship will provide academic scholarships to African-American residents of Richland County School District One to enable them to obtain a college or technical school education. Preference will be given to applicants with some degree of life and work experience rather than persons recently out of high school. Application for the award may be made at any time during the year. The scholarship is for one year; however, scholarship recipients making satisfactory academic progress may re-apply.

*Knowledge is Power...*

*And Power  
Breeds Purpose.*

### **APPLICATION CRITERIA**

- Applicants must be a resident of Richland County School District One and hold a GED equivalent.
- Applicants must demonstrate the ability to successfully perform in the academic program he/she chooses.
- Applicants must demonstrate financial need.
- Recommendations will be considered from an employer, lay or staff leaders of faith community, and instructors not related to the applicant.
- Applicants receiving a scholarship must attend an institution of higher learning which is an eleemosynary junior or senior college that is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools or a comparable regional accrediting organization or a vocational school.
- This scholarship will not be used to substitute for grant aid that an institution has committed to a student.
- Scholarship award must be used for books, fees, or equipment needed for course work while attending the institution.

The Scholarship Selection Committee will review the applications and make the award selection based on the above criteria. All awards will be made without regard to sex, age, sexual orientation or disability.

### **APPLICATION PROCESS**

All applicants must complete the scholarship application form and submit it along with required attachments to:

**Central Carolina Community Foundation  
Scholarship Committee  
2711 Middleburg Drive, Suite 213  
Columbia, South Carolina 29204**

If you have any questions contact Veronica L. Pinkett-Barber at 803.254.5601 x.331.

**Applications must be in the Community Foundation office by March 15. If this date falls on a Saturday, Sunday or holiday, the materials are due by 5:00 p.m. on the following business day.**