



# District Counselor Scholarship Four-Year Full Tuition Scholarship

**Application Deadline: November 30, 2024**

**To be eligible for this 4 year, FULL tuition scholarship, the applicant must:**

- Be **ACCEPTED** to the University of Rio Grande and Rio Grande Community College for the 2025-2026 academic year
- Attend a high school in the four county service district of Gallia, Jackson, Meigs, or Vinton (including Buckeye Hills Career Center)
- Reside in the four county service district of Gallia, Jackson, Meigs, or Vinton
- Have a minimum GPA of 3.2 and a minimum ACT score of 21 (ACT must be taken prior to application deadline)
- Submit a resume, in correct resume format, listing scholastic achievements, school and community involvement, and/or employment history
- Submit two (2) letters of recommendation (do not include guidance counselors)
- Submit essay requirement (see details for essay requirements at bottom of application)

**Full Legal Name:**

First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: (    ) \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: (    ) \_\_\_\_\_ High School: \_\_\_\_\_

Cumulative GPA: \_\_\_\_\_ ACT: \_\_\_\_\_ Graduation Year: \_\_\_\_\_

**Are you a current Rio CCP student?**  Yes  No    If yes, how many credit hours have you completed? \_\_\_\_\_

**Essay Requirement:** Maximum two (2) typed, double spaced pages, 12 point font. You can choose either topic below:

1. What does leadership mean to you? Describe areas in your life where you demonstrated leadership and overcame obstacles either through your school, social, or family life.
2. "Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world." - Nelson Mandela. Describe how you plan to use your education to make a change in the world. Tell us about how you would plan to make that change, and what obstacles you might encounter along the way.

**Please mail the above requirements to:**  
**University of Rio Grande and Rio Grande Community College**  
**ATTN: Jessica Deweese**  
**P.O. Box 500**  
**Rio Grande, Ohio 45674**