LOYOLA UNIVERSITY CHICAGO
Carol J. Vining Endowed Scholarship

The Carol J. Vining Endowed Scholarship was made possible by a generous gift from Ms. Vining’s estate after her death in 2006. This scholarship is awarded to students from working class families in the Chicago area who have exhibited self-reliance and a willingness to work for their education. Ms. Vining had a difficult childhood, and after graduating from Fenger High School in Chicago, she held a number of jobs before beginning a career in marketing. Eventually, she became the marketing director at Evergreen Plaza Mall in Evergreen Park, IL and later opened a children’s store in the mall. She employed many high school students and encouraged these students to pursue a college education.

Who is Eligible to Apply:
To be eligible to participate in this scholarship competition, students must meet all of the following criteria:

- Full time enrollment in an undergraduate program at Loyola University Chicago.
- Permanent residence must be in the Chicago metropolitan area.
- Show proof of having been employed during his/her high school and college years.
- Achieved a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher.
- Show demonstrated financial need as determined by the 2015-2016 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).

Graduate students, transient students and those working on a second bachelor’s degree are not eligible to apply.

How to Apply
1. Complete this application, sign it, and return it with all attachments to the Office of Student Financial Aid by Monday, February 1, 2016. All documents may be turned in at the Hub Counter in the Sullivan Center for Student Services, Lake Shore Campus or faxed to 773 508-3397.
2. Provide an essay of no more than two, double-spaced, typewritten pages stating your educational goals.
3. Provide two letters of recommendation; one each from a teacher and an employer.

Requirements For Recipients
1. Maintain a 2.5 cumulative GPA.
2. Maintain full-time student status at Loyola University Chicago for the duration of the scholarship.
3. Be employed at least ten hours per week.
4. Be morally obligated to donate at least a minimum of $100 per annum, beginning January 1 of the year following graduation, to the Carol J. Vining Scholarship fund.

For further information, please contact: Edward Moore
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DEADLINE: Received on or before Monday, February 1, 2016

Return to: Loyola University Chicago
Office of Student Financial Assistance OR Sullivan Center for Student Services
1032 W. Sheridan Rd. Lake Shore Campus
Chicago, IL 60626 FAX: 773 508-3397

Name: ___________________________________________________________________________

Last  First  Middle Initial

Student ID Number (do not leave blank) 0000___________________ Date of Birth ______________

MM/DD/YY

Hometown: __________________ State_____ Graduated from __________________________ High
School

Your college class standing as of August 2015

_____Freshman  _____ Sophomore  _____ Junior  _____ Senior

Place of employment during high school: ______________________________ from ______ to ________.

Place of employment during college: ______________________________ from ______ to ________.

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SIGNATURE REQUIRED

It may be necessary to share information about you to persons outside the office of Financial Aid Office
we review your application. When this occurs, we must have your signed permission to do so. Please
sign the statement below:

“I, ____________________________, approve the release of my scholarship
application information, academic record and appropriate financial aid information to University and non-
University persons and organizations for the purpose of receiving scholarship assistance. I also agree to
uphold the Requirements for Recipients if awarded a scholarship from the Carol J. Vining Endowment.”