NORTHLAND PIONEER COLLEGE FRIENDS AND FAMILY announces the Claude Millet Endfield Early Childhood Development Scholarship

\$1000 (\$500 per semester) for the 2023-2024 academic year ; \$500 per semester with second- semester award based on continued satisfactory academic progress.

Scholarships are awarded DIRECTLY to the awardees to be used as needed!

Established by the friends of Claude Endfield to honor her long career and her service and devotion to NPC Early Childhood Education students and young children across northern Arizona.

Criteria:

Degree-seeking in Early Childhood Development at NPC.

Enrolled for 3 or more credits at NPC during the semester of award.

Cumulative Grade-Point Average of 2.0 or better.

Not in default of a student loan and not in overpayment status. Over the credit limit OK.

Students who have previously obtained a Bachelor's degree should contact Betsyann Wilson. Students currently in high school at the time of award are not eligible to apply.

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Attach all application documents as <u>directed on the online application form</u> Application documents:

- Essay 500 words or fewer Addressing the following:
 - What are your career goals;
 - What are your educational goals;
 - What resources you have to fund your education making you qualified to receive this scholarship; and
 - Why the scholarship is needed, and specifically how it will be used.

The key to the scholarship essay is that it is a personal narrative, reflecting your experiences and goals. DO NOT USE ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE, SUCH AS CHAT GPT, to write your essay. It is important that your personal voice come through!

- <u>Click here for tips on writing your scholarship essay</u>
- Demonstration of financial status as evidenced by Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)
 Student Aid Report (SAR) PAGE 1 ONLY for the 2023-24 academic year, or letter of award from NPC Financial Aid Office or MyNPC page.

• Your unofficial transcript from https://mynpc.npc.edu/ics indicating your degree intent; students without an NPC transcript must submit a degree plan (see academic advisor)

• Applicants must have the recommendation of at least one individual, including NPC faculty or staff or ECD professionals, as evidenced by a letter of support.

Scholarship recipients may re-apply for this award in subsequent academic years (not to exceed <u>two consecutive</u> <u>semesters</u>).

Application Deadline: Thursday, November 16 at 12:00 p.m. MST., for funding for the SPRING 2024 semester. Applications received after this date/time will not be accepted, regardless of why they are late. You are STRONGLY advised to submit your application well in advance of the deadline date!

For more information, contact NPC Friends and Family Executive Director Betsyann Wilson: 928-536-6245 or betsy.wilson@npc.edu