This is an institutional application for NJ STARS consideration. You must file the 2014-2015 FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid). **ALSO, it is important that you list OCEAN COUNTY COLLEGE, School Code #002624, on the FAFSA as your first college choice** so that your financial aid eligibility can be determined for the NJ STARS Program. Listing of schools does not constitute any obligation of aid offer or acceptance.*

**Student Status:**
- [ ] Dependent (under 24 years of age)
- [ ] Independent (over 24 years of age)

**Year in School:**
- [ ] First year (never attended College before)
- [ ] First year continuing (under 29 credit hours accumulated at OCC)
- [ ] Second year (30 or more credit hours accumulated at OCC)

Have you attended any other post-secondary schools besides OCC?  ____NO  ____YES  If yes, please list below:

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**PLEASE INDICATE:**
I have a High School Diploma (Date received) __________________________________

**I will be attending OCC:**

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<th>FALL SEMESTER</th>
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**NOTE:** Your NJ STARS eligibility will be based on this projection of credit hour attendance.

The NJ STARS program pays up to **18 credits** per semester for students starting on or after spring 2009 and does not pay for remedial/developmental coursework. In the event your actual credit hour registration differs, your aid package MAY be changed. Notify the Financial Aid Office immediately if your credit hour status changes.

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* upd. 3/2014
SELECTIVE SERVICE REGISTRATION

All males ages 18-25 and living in the U.S. must register with Selective Service within 30 days of their 18th birthday. Selective Service will accept late registrations prior to their 26th birthday. You may be denied Financial Aid benefits or a job if you have not registered. To register with Selective Service go to SSS.gov or check the box below for Ocean County College to register you.

☐ I authorize Ocean County College to register me with Selective Service.

☐ I am temporarily exempt – under age 18.

STATEMENT OF PAYMENT AUTHORIZATIONS AND OBLIGATIONS

I authorize Ocean County College to use any other financial aid awards to pay any obligations related to the educational costs incurred by me and deferred by the Financial Aid Office. This includes tuition, fees, bookstore charges, and any other fees incurred as a result of registration during the fall 2014, spring 2015, and summer 2015 semesters.

I fully understand that if my NJ STARS Scholarship does not cover these charges in full, I am responsible for any outstanding balance(s). In the event a financial aid award offer changes due to loss of eligibility, changes in anticipated registration status, or a change in my financial status, all charges of tuition, fees and/or books are my responsibility.

Soc. Security # ______________________ OCC Student ID ______________________

Student’s Signature ______________________________ Date ______________________

Parent(s) Signature (If student is under 18 years old) ______________________

* It is your responsibility to change your school code with the State of NJ; failure to do so may result in the loss of your eligibility. Please go to HESAA.org or call 1 (800) 792-8670 for future information.

PLEASE COMPLETE, SIGN, AND RETURN THIS FORM TO:
Financial Aid Office  •  Fax: 732.864.3865  •  Phone: 732.255.0310
www.ocean.edu

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