



The “GARF” Scholarship for George A. Romero’s Filmmaking Program \$1,500

There is one scholarship offered prior to the Fall semester. Only **NEW** students enrolled in George A. Romero’s Filmmaking Program at Douglas Education Center (DEC) and who have submitted the requested materials will be considered for the scholarship. A representative will choose the recipient. The winner will be notified via certified mail within one week of the application deadline.

PLEASE SUBMIT THE FOLLOWING: 1. A 250-500 word typed essay on why you want to go into the field of filmmaking, and what your plans are after graduation; and 2. A portfolio of your work. It may be a hard copy sent on a flash drive or DVD, electronic download, or a link to a streaming video. All portfolio submissions must include work by the individual applying for the scholarship. Your work must relate to one of the following categories in which you will be judged: sound and sound fx, cinematography, editing, concept, writing, and direction. Materials submitted will not be returned.

DEADLINE: September 1, 2026

Name: _____
Address: _____
Phone: _____
Email: _____

Note: *The scholarship is for a total of \$1,500, paid at \$750.00 per semester for the first and second semesters. A withdraw from school or unapproved leave may cause the recipient to forfeit the remainder of the scholarship. Scholarships are to be used in the semester initially awarded and cannot be transferred to another semester if the student does not attend DEC. Scholarships cannot be redeemed for cash or transferred to another student. Scholarships are intended for use at Douglas Education Center only.*

SEND ALL MATERIALS TO:
GARF Scholarship Committee
c/o Douglas Education Center
130 Seventh Street, Monessen, PA 15062
email digital materials to – scholarships@dec.edu
Questions: Call at 1-800-413-6013 Ext. 2196