If you are a 2016 high school graduate from The Messenger's 11-county market, you are invited to apply for a Messenger scholarship.

Each year The Messenger awards several full-tuition, one-year scholarships at Iowa Central Community College to area high school graduates. Iowa Central Community College will provide half-tuition scholarships to Messenger scholarship winners during their second year of college at Iowa Central. Some restrictions apply.

SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA

- 1. Applicant must be a 2016 graduate of a high school in The Messenger's 11-county market area.
- 2. Selection will be based on high school academic achievement and activities, demonstrated leadership, community involvement and future plans. Preference will be given to students planning to study journalism, advertising, marketing, graphics and related majors. Financial need will be considered.
- The Messenger reserves the right to review the transcripts of scholarship recipients at the end of the first semester. If the recipient does not maintain a minimum of a 2.0 GPA, the second semester tuition may be rescinded.
- 4. A minimum of two scholarships will be earmarked for past or current Messenger carriers.
- 5. Deadline is February 28, 2016

APPLICATION Deadline is February 28, 2016

Name			
Mailing Address			
City		Zip	
Telephone			
High School Rank	out of a cla	out of a class of	
Grade point average	bas	based on apoint scale	
Planned major			
Parents' names			
Father's occupation/employer			
Mother's occupation/employer			
Ages of children in the family living at home			
Number of other family members in college 2015-2016			<u></u> .
Are you a current or former Messenger carrier?			
Have you applied for financial aid from lowa Central Community College? (please circle one)	Yes No	
College housing plans (please circle one) Dormitory Off-Campus W	ith Parents		
If selected I authorize Iowa Central Community College to release my grade	s to the scholarsh	ip sponsor.	
Signature			
Date:			

Please describe your college and career plans and your reasons for applying for this scholarship.Include financial need if any.

On a separate sheet of paper, please list the following:

- 1. High school extracurricular activities
- 2. High school leadership responsibilities
- 3. Community, church and club involvement
- 4. Community, church and club leadership
- 5. Awards and honors
- 6. Work experience
- 7. Two letters of recommendation
- * application must include a copy of your high school transcripts.



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Please mail this application & supporting materials to: **Grant Gibbons**

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