

# RICHARD P. SEITER SCHOLARSHIP

The Ohio Correctional and Court Services Association (OCCSA) which is the Ohio Chapter of the American Correctional Association is pleased to announce that Dr. Richard P. Seiter, former Director of the Ohio Department of Rehabilitation and Correction (DRC), has established a scholarship for children of current DRC employees to recognize the commitment of these employees and their service to the state of Ohio and the DRC. Dr. Seiter established this scholarship with the belief that education (just like in his experience) can set a person's course in life. He also values the dedication of people that give their career to public service, and especially those who work in corrections and do very difficult jobs under sometimes stressful conditions. If a scholarship can help them and their children, it is an investment in the future of our country and our state that is a legacy that he wants to leave.

## Eligibility Requirements

- Must have a parent or legal guardian employed by the DRC;
- Planning to attend or are attending a four-year college or university; and
- Must have at least a 3.00 GPA and acceptable ACT or SAT scores.

*Applicants will be considered equally regardless of race, religion, sex, national origin or handicap status.*

## Application Requirements

To apply for this scholarship, applicants must:

1. Complete the application form,
2. Submit two letters of recommendation from non-relatives,
3. Attach a copy of your FAFSA SAR review to demonstrate financial need,
4. Attach a grade transcript and attach official ACT or SAT score, and
5. Attach a 500 word (minimum) written essay "Discuss strategies for an anti-bullying campaign in schools."

**Applications must be received by March 28, 2018.**

# RICHARD P. SEITER SCHOLARSHIP- Application Form

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of the accredited higher education institution you plan to attend or are currently attending:

\_\_\_\_\_

Desired (or current) field of study: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of parent or legal guardian employed by DRC: \_\_\_\_\_

Job location and job position/title of parent or legal guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

*By signing below, I understand and agree to abide by the terms of the Richard P. Seiter Scholarship requirements and verify that all information that I have provided is accurate.*

Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Legal Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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Send application and attached documents to:

Tyrone McConnell, OCCSA Treasurer  
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Columbus, OH 43206-6365

Questions can be directed to Mr. McConnell by calling 937-478-4263 and or emailing tytaz15@yahoo.com