The Jobs and Education for Texans (JET) Grant Program was created to provide tuition grants to eligible Texas colleges to award scholarships to students enrolled in a training program for high-demand occupations, such as:

- Business and Computer Information Systems,
- Commercial Construction Program,
- Computer Drafting Technology,
- Computer Networking/Troubleshooting,
- Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning,
- Instrumentation Technology,
- Occupational Safety and Health,
- Process Operating Technology,
- Utility Line Technology,
- Advanced Engine Technology,
- Industrial Mechanics Technology,
- Welding Technology,
- Cardiovascular Sonography,
- Dental Hygiene,
- Diagnostic Medical Sonography,
- Emergency Medical Services,
- Health Information Technology,
- Radiologic Technology, and
- Respiratory Care.

Lamar Institute of Technology received $32,927 in JET Grant funds for the 2009-2010 Academic Year and plans to award all of these funds for the Spring 2010 semester. To that end, the JET Scholarship Committee has compiled a checklist to ensure that you are eligible to apply for a JET Grant.

**To be Eligible an LIT Student:**

- Must demonstrate financial need on the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA);
- Must be permanent legal residents of the United States and have established Texas Residency;
- Must be enrolled or are enrolling in one of LIT’s training program for a high-demand occupation as determined by the Comptroller.
- Must complete the JET Application Process between November 2, 2009 and December 2, 2009, including a properly signed “State of Texas Jobs and Education for Texans (JET) Scholarship Application and Release” form.
- Must sign in and use the Official Student LIT E-mail address as this will be the primary method by which LIT will communicate with students.

Students receiving a scholarship under this subchapter may only use the scholarship funds to pay for tuition and fees, including lab fees and exam or certification fees, for qualifying training programs for high-demand occupations as determined by the Comptroller.
Lamar Institute of Technology
JET Scholarship Application

Name
Mailing Address

Last First Middle

Number & Street

City State Zip Code

County Home Phone Cell Phone Social Security Number

LIT Official E-mail address Place of Birth (City or County) Date of Birth (MM/DD/YYYY)

Current Program of Study

Program Name Semester you plan to Graduate from LIT.

1. Have you completed the FAFSA? ☐ Yes ☐ No
2. Are you a Texas resident? ☐ Yes ☐ No
3. Are you currently enrolled in one of the JET Eligible Programs. ☐ Yes ☐ No

________________________________________________________
Student Signature Date

The CHECKLIST section is to be completed by the Financial Aid Department & the JET Scholarship Committee.

CHECKLIST

The student meets ALL of the following criteria:

☐ Student has completed the Information Release Form using their valid Social Security number.

☐ Has completed the FAFSA and determined to have $___________________ in financial need.

☐ Is currently a Texas resident.

☐ Is enrolled in one of the JET Eligible Programs.

Program of Study:__________________________

Major Code:______________________________

SIGNATURES

Financial Aid Director’s Signature Date

JET Scholarship Committee Chair’s Signature Date

Return all required documents to the Office of Institutional Effectiveness & Grants (CB219), Lamar Institute of Technology.

Lamar Institute of Technology is an equal opportunity/affirmative action educational institution and employer. Students, faculty, and staff members are selected without regard to their race, color, creed, sex, age, handicap or national origin, consistent with the Assurance of Compliance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964; Executive Order 11246 as issued and amended; Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, as amended; Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973.

1-5-2009
Please fill out this application completely; incomplete applications will not be processed.

Jobs and Education for Texans (JET) scholarship awards are provided to assist students who are enrolled in training programs for high-demand occupations. JET awards may not exceed the total amount of tuition, required fees, lab fees, and exam or certification fees used to pay for enrollment in an eligible program. JET awards are need-based and the total amount of the award may be reduced to prevent and/or eliminate award payments in excess of financial need as determined through a financial aid application or the total amount of eligible tuition and fees.

- All applicants are encouraged to complete the 2009-2010 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). The application can be completed on-line at www.fafsa.gov.
- Applicants must be Texas residents and citizens or permanent legal residents of the United States, and
- Applicants must be enrolled or enrolling in a public community college or a public technical institute’s training program for a high-demand occupation as determined by the Comptroller.

1. Name ____________________________________  SSN ______________________________
   Last    First

2. Mailing Address __________________________________________________________________________

3. Home Phone # ___________________________         Alternate Phone # ___________________________

4. E-mail Address _____________________________________________ Date of Birth ______________________

I hereby authorize __________________________________ to release all requested information including, but not limited to, Social Security number, date of birth, college transcripts, financial aid information, and academic records to any official representative of the Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts’ office for the purpose of assisting me in the Jobs and Education for Texans (JET) Program. I authorize you to provide the requested information to the Comptroller’s office as I have been advised that any information requested and provided will be used only for the official purposes of the JET Program and for research to determine the effectiveness of the program. This information may be disclosed to third parties as necessary in accordance with applicable laws and regulations in fulfillment of official responsibilities.

I understand that this authorization to release information is voluntary and will remain in effect until I revoke it in writing. Revoking this authorization will not affect any action taken prior to receipt of my written request. Written revocation is effective upon receipt by the Comptroller’s office at Comptroller of Public Accounts, Educational Opportunities and Investment Division, Jobs and Education for Texans (JET) Program, LBJ State Office Building, 111 E. 17th Street, Austin, TX 78774. I certify that this authorization has been made freely, voluntarily, and without coercion. I also understand that failure to provide all or part of the information may result in a lack of consideration or further consideration for JET funds.

I certify that the information given on this form is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge.

I certify that I am not and will not be receiving benefits from other JET funded resources while enrolled in this program. I understand that if I am found to be receiving other JET funded resources, I will immediately become ineligible for further assistance through the JET Program and may be required to repay a portion or all of the JET funds that I received or that were paid on my behalf.

_____________________________________________  _____________________
Applicant Signature         Date

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY
FALL TERM: $_______  SPRING TERM: $_______  SUMMER TERM: $_______
FAO Approval Signature: __________________________________ Date_______

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