## **Financial Aid**

These Financial Aid Programs are available to help pay for tuition, tools, supplies and other expenses related to education for qualifying full-time students:

- Pell Grants: These federal grants help qualifying adult students fund education after high school without repayment. Must have a high school diploma or GED to qualify.
- WIA Training Voucher: Individual Training Accounts are available at County Job & Family Services offices for educational needs of eligible residents. Minimal requirements are needed for these non-repayable funds.
- Richland Foundation Vocational Scholarship: For residents of Richland County.
  Must apply through the Foundation's website.
- Community Action Committee: Training grants available for Richland County residents.
- ORSC Funds: Financial assistance is available through the local Ohio Rehabilitation Services Commission (BVR & BSVI) office for clients with documented disabilities or handicaps.
- *TAA Funding*: Ohio Job & Family Services determines the qualifications of recently laid-off persons for these funds that do not have to be paid back.
- Veterans' Education Benefits: The U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs
  administers education benefits to eligible veterans through various programs that
  serve those with military service and their families.
- Credit Cards: Pioneer accepts MasterCard, VISA, and Discover. Call the Financial Aid Office at 419-347-7744 or toll-free 1-877-818-7282, ext. 42300 or 42301 to schedule an appointment.