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VALERIE TOLLEFSON AWARDED WESTERN'S CREAL SCHOLARSHIP

St. Joseph, Mo.—June 1, 2004— The Missouri Western State College Foundation has awarded the John and Helen Creal Scholarship to Valerie Dawn Tollefson, a senior elementary education major from Hiawatha, Kan.

This endowed scholarship is awarded to full-time nontraditional students seeking a degree in education with a grade point average of 3.0 or higher. The award is for the 2004-2005 academic year.

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Missouri Western State College is a four-year public institution providing a blend of traditional liberal arts and professional degree programs. The college offers student-centered, high quality instruction that focuses on experience-based learning, community service, and state-of-the-art technology. Western is located in St. Joseph, Mo. and is committed to the educational, economic, cultural and social development of the region it serves.