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WESTERN STUDENTS AWARDED GETTYS SCHOLARSHIP

St. Joseph, Mo.—June 15, 2004— The Missouri Western State College Foundation has awarded the Helen Gettys Estate Scholarship to Stefanie Jones of Bethany, Mo., a junior elementary education and social work major; and Melissa Phillips, a junior elementary education major from Liberty, Mo.

The endowed scholarship is given in memory of Helen C. Gettys, professor emeritus in the department of education. The scholarship is awarded to a student seeking a degree in education. The student must have a minimum grade point average of 3.2 and demonstrate financial need. 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.