



SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE

The Harrisburg Section of the American Society of Highway Engineers (ASHE) is pleased to announce the continuation of its scholarship program for the 2022 calendar year. Applications must be emailed by **February 24, 2023** to be considered. Interested students should complete the attached application and return it to:

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Use Subject Line: 2023 ASHE Scholarship Application

1. **AMOUNT:** A minimum of seven (7) scholarships up to \$4,000 each will be awarded. The amounts will be paid as lump sum awards. There are three separate scholarship categories: ENGINEERING; ENVIRONMENTAL/APPLIED SCIENCES; or CONSTRUCTION TECHNOLOGY/TRADES. Each category will be scored separately but applicants can only apply toward one scholarship category.
2. **ELIGIBILITY:**
 - a. The applicant must be a citizen of the United States and reside in one of the following counties: Adams, Cumberland, Dauphin, Franklin, Juniata, Lancaster, Lebanon, Perry, or York.
 - b. There are three (3) scholarship categories options. Applicants must choose one category. The categories are: (1) 4-year program for engineering; (2) 4-year program for environmental/applied sciences; (3) 2-year program for construction technology or trade school certification for heavy equipment operator CDL.
 - c. The applicant must be enrolled in, or planning to enroll in, a four-year college program leading to a bachelor's degree in engineering, preferably civil engineering; four-year degree in environmental/applied sciences; or, a 2-year degree or trade school equivalent leading to certification in construction technology/trade, building technology/trade, or heavy equipment operating CDL license.
 - d. The applicant must not have previously received an ASHE scholarship unless it was awarded while they were a high school senior. A student can be awarded one as a high school senior and one as a college or trade school student.
 - e. If selected, the recipient will be contacted by email/letter notifying receipt of the award.
3. **EVALUATION:** Applicants are evaluated on a point-count system as described below:
 - a. Academic Performance, 25 points maximum as follows:
 - i. High School seniors, College and Trade school students will be rated on their cumulative grade point average at the time they apply for the scholarship.
 - b. Application Evaluation, 50 points maximum as follows:
 - i. Evaluation of the applicant's activities and honors, work experience, and leadership positions (30 points maximum).
 - ii. Evaluation of career goals, based on content, clarity of ambitions, grammar, spelling, and neatness (20 points maximum).
 - c. Bonus: Applicants can receive additional scoring points for the following criteria:
 - i. Enrollment or plans for enrollment in a Civil Engineering major, 14 points maximum.
 - ii. Dependent of a member of ASHE, Harrisburg Section, 5 points maximum.
 - d. Science/Math Teacher Evaluation for High School Students: The student's science or math teacher should provide an objective evaluation regarding academics and character on the enclosed "Science/Math Teacher Recommendation Form." This form must be mailed separately from the student's application or provided in a sealed envelope initialed by the teacher and included with the application package.
4. **INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING APPLICATION FORM**
 - a. Be as complete as possible while filling out this application. Each portion of the application has a specific point value. Judges will score each section separately. Incomplete applications will not be considered.
 - b. Forms must be typed or neatly printed. Points may be lost for poor grammar, incorrect spelling, illegibility, or lack of neatness. Proofread carefully.