

2017 WTA/DAVE WELDY SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM
VOCATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

The Vocational Scholarship was initiated primarily for the applicant looking to further their education in trades associated with the trucking industry. Quarterly grants of \$500 to \$1,000 for vocational scholarships will be awarded by the Washington Trucking Associations to eligible students with preference given to candidates who are related to an employee of a current WTA member. The scholarship fund is sponsored by the Suppliers Conference of the Washington Trucking Associations. All proceeds from the Roger Mauch Memorial Golf Tournament and the WTA Eastside Golf Classic are donated to this scholarship fund.

Vocational Scholarship – Diesel Mechanics & Truck Drivers

Mechanics: Diesel mechanic training is a two-year program at local vocational schools with the year divided into three quarters. Eligible students must have completed high school or the GED equivalent, or be enrolled in a vocational school.

The schools will provide the WTA Scholarship Committee with a list of candidates that includes vocational achievements, class attendance, and professional aptitude and citizenship ratings. The Committee will award Vocational scholarships with preference going to someone associated with the WTA.

Truck Drivers: There are several truck driving schools in the state and each class is approximately two quarters long. Tuition is approximately \$2,000. The schools will provide the Scholarship Committee with a list of eligible candidates. The Committee will award Vocational scholarships with preference going to someone associated with the WTA.

All applications must be received at the WTA office at least one month prior to the start of each applicable vocational class start date in 2017.

The Scholarship Committee will review the applications quarterly and recipients will be announced immediately thereafter. Recipients of Vocational Scholarship Awards may use funds to attend accredited truck driving schools, community colleges, or vocational institutions.

See Your School Counselor Today!

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I am a: _____ New Applicant _____ Renewal* Applicant (*If you are a renewal applicant, please send an application, current proof of enrollment, and an essay updating your activities).

Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Home Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

E-Mail: _____

School I Plan to Attend: _____ State: _____

Intended Major: _____

New Student: _____ Currently Enrolled: _____ Anticipated Date of Graduation: _____

Honors, Awards or Commendations: (Please include the details and dates.)

Work Experience:

Participation in Extra Curricular and Civic Activities:

Other Pertinent Information:

Sponsor's Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Company: _____

CERTIFICATION AND RELEASE AUTHORIZATION: I certify this information is true, complete and accurate to the best of my ability. I authorize release of information to confirm and/or verify this information.

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Mail (with attachments) to:

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