



## 2018 WTA DAVE WELDY SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM VOCATIONAL APPLICATION

Since the inception of this program, over 235 scholarships totaling more than \$160,000 have been distributed to deserving applicants. Annual grants of \$500 to \$2000 for academic and vocational scholarships will be awarded by the Washington Trucking Associations to eligible students who are related to an employee of a current WTA member. The scholarship fund is sponsored by the Suppliers Conference of the Association. All proceeds from the Roger Mauch Memorial Golf Tournament and the WTA Eastside Golf Classic are donated to this scholarship fund.

**Scholarship Eligibility:** Applicant must be a graduate or graduating senior of a Washington State high school, who is currently a Washington State resident and is the child, grandchild, niece or nephew of an employee of a current WTA member in good standing.

**Selection Criteria:** Applicant must include his/her academic achievements, education and career goals, demonstration of leadership, level of financial need, performance of community service, and employment record. Preference will be given to applicants who plan to work in the Transportation Industry.

**Applicants may submit an application for either an Academic Scholarship or a Vocational Scholarship (depending on their educational goals), but not both. All applications must be received at the WTA office no later than close of business on Monday, April 30, 2018.**

The scholarship review board will review the applications and recipients will be notified the week of May 30, 2018. Recipients of Merit Scholarship Awards may use funds to attend accredited colleges or universities, community colleges. Recipients of Vocational Scholarship Awards may use funds to attend a trade school offering training in Diesel Mechanics, Truck Driving, or other transportation related trade.

### **Vocational Scholarship applicants must submit:**

- Vocational Scholarship Application, which must be fully completed and attached as the first page of the application package. **(BE SURE TO LIST YOUR SPONSOR AND THEIR RELATIONSHIP TO YOU.)**
- An essay, not exceeding 300 words, summarizing the questions asked on the application form
- Certified high school transcript from ninth grade to date of application, or latest college transcripts

Please mail, application packet:

**WTA Dave Weldy Scholarship Program**  
Washington Trucking Associations  
Att: Scholarship Committee  
2102 Carriage Drive SW, Bldg. F  
Olympia, WA 98502

OR email application packet to [wta@watrucking.org](mailto:wta@watrucking.org)



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Please **type on a separate sheet** or **print** your answers below. If application is illegible it will be returned to you.

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address:

Street: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_

ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Telephone Number: (      ) \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

School I plan to attend: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_

Intended Major: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade Point Average (GPA) Semester: \_\_\_\_\_ Cumulative: \_\_\_\_\_ (On a 4.0 scale)

Attach proof of GPA; most recent official school transcript required.

**Please answer the following questions on a separate sheet.**

Please list school extra-curricular activities in which you have participated. Note leadership roles and dates.

Please list community organizations such as service, volunteer and religious organizations in which you are now active or have previously been active. Note leadership roles and dates.

Please list important awards and recognitions received. Note organizations presenting honor and date.

What do you want to accomplish with your education?

Why do you want a career in the Transportation Industry?

What special family or personal circumstances affect your need for financial assistance?

**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:** \_\_\_\_\_