

**ARIZONA TRANSPORTATION BUILDERS ASSOCIATION
EDUCATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION
GORDON NELSON 2 – YEAR SCHOLARSHIP
FOR HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS
APPLICATION & ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS**

WHO MAY APPLY?

Any high school senior that is a son or daughter of an Arizona Transportation Builders Association member or an employee of a member and will be enrolling full-time in an academic institution for their first collegiate year.

HOW WILL THE APPLICATION BE JUDGED?

Selections will be based on the general worthiness of the application. The scholarship judges will consider: (1) Scholastic standing, (2) ACT and/or SAT scores (not required for students applying for a two year award), (3) Extra curricular activities, (4) Career goals, (5) Past employment, (6) Essay written by candidate, and (7) Community service. *Thoroughness of the completed application will have a bearing on the scoring by the judges.*

HOW WILL THE CONFIDENTIALITY OF THE APPLICATION BE PROTECTED?

When the application is received by the Educational Scholarship Foundation of the Arizona Transportation Builders Association, each application will be numbered. Once this has been completed, the first page of the application will be placed in a sealed envelope marked only with the number of the applicant. The Scholarship judges will review the applications with no knowledge of the applicants' name, address or any other revealing information. Once the selection has been made, only the winning envelope will be opened to identify the award recipient.

HOW DO I APPLY? All applicants must complete the application forms in accordance with instructions and send to the Educational Scholarship Foundation of the Arizona Transportation Builders Association, 1842 West Grant Road, Suite 103, Tucson, AZ 85745.

WHAT MUST ACCOMPANY THE APPLICATION?

1. A current transcript of high school grades
 2. A letter of recommendation from a member of the high school faculty. The letter should include the number of students in the graduating class and the class standing of the applicant.
- (Incomplete application will not be considered for awards.)*

WHEN MUST I APPLY?

ALL APPLICATIONS MUST BE POST MARKED NO LATER THEN MAY 15th, 2026. The award winner will be notified **June 1st, 2026**. If you have any questions concerning the completion of this application, contact: Arizona Transportation Builders Association Educational Scholarship Foundation at 1842 W. Grant Road, Suite 103, Tucson, AZ 85745, (520) 623-0444.

SCHOLARSHIP AVAILABLE HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR

2-year, college or university scholarship, \$2,000 over 2 years (\$1000 a year).

The scholarship applications, as received, are numbered and screened so that the copies going to the scholarship judges will give no knowledge of the applicant's name or other revealing information. Each judge studies all the applicants, scoring them in accordance with the guidelines stated in "HOW WILL THE APPLICATION BE JUDGED?". The scoring of each applicant by each judge is done preparatory to the panel of judges meeting to determine the recipients of the available scholarships. Scholarship awardees, to receive the financial award in the following year(s), must supply the Educational Foundation

with proof of credit hours completed during the year, current registration for the coming term, social security number, and current address. This is to comply with IRS regulations.

Application No. _____

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The applicant must complete this form. You must sign this sheet as verification that all information is correct. All questions must be answered. If any question does not apply, write "none" in the space provided.

Please Type or Print

Name of Applicant

_____ First _____ MI _____ Last _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ (cell) _____

Social Security Number _____ - _____ - _____

Name of secondary or High School _____ Graduated _____

ATB Member Firm _____

Employee of member Firm _____

Mother's name _____ Phone _____

Father's name _____ Phone _____

After application has been received and acknowledged, this sheet will be placed in a sealed envelope and not opened until after selection has been made. The committee will have no knowledge of this information during the selection process.

I certify that the information in this application is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature of Applicant _____ Date _____

I approve the submission of this application

Signature of Parent or Guardian

Signature of High School Counselor

Print Name _____ Date _____

Print Name _____ Date _____

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I. GENERAL INFORMATION

Name and address of high school _____

Name and address of school you intend to enroll for the next academic year _____

Have you been accepted? _____ Yes _____ No

How long is your course of study? _____ When do you expect to finish? _____

What are your plans for this summer? _____

What are your career plans? _____

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II. ACADEMIC AND EXTRA CURRICULAR INFORMATION

What course of study have you followed in high school (e.g., college preparatory, industrial, business, etc.)?

Have you taken the ACT? _____ Yes _____ No

If “yes”, list scores:

English _____ Math _____ Reading _____ Science _____ Total Score _____

Have you taken the SAT? _____ Yes _____ No

If “yes”, list scores Verbal _____ Math _____ Total Score _____

What honors, awards, prizes, or distinctions have you received? _____

What school activities have you participated in? List any offices you have held.

Describe any other group activities in the community in which you have participated in and list any offices held.

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List and describe your hobbies and outside interests:

Describe any extraordinary responsibilities you have at home:

What work experience have you had?

III. ESSAY

Submit an essay of 500 words or less on why you feel you are deserving of this award.