



Woodworking Machinery Industry Association

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION

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Please read the enclosed information and instruction sheets before completing form. Please complete the entire form, and print or type clearly.

1. Name: Last First Middle

2. Street Address (home): City: State: Zip: Home Phone: Cell Phone: Email:

3. High School you attended: City, State: Graduation Date:

4. TEST SCORES For high school students only, if you have taken the SAT or ACT tests, please list your scores.



SAT Verbal ACT English SAT Math ACT Math ACT Composite

5. List any academic, extracurricular, or community recognition awards you have received in high school or college. If there is additional information about your education, experience, or achievements you wish to share with the judges, you may add another sheet if necessary.

6. All applicants must submit high school and collegiate transcripts including class rank (if calculated) and grades from the most recent grading period. CGPA is preferred and must be weighted or unweighted on a 4.0 scale. This information must reach WMIA by February 3, 2017.

Transcripts requested from school on (Date)

7. If you have submitted applications to one or more colleges, but have not yet been accepted, list them here:

8. If you are already attending college or have been accepted by a college, and are planning to attend, please name:

Name of college:

(Planned) enrollment date: Major field of study:

Academic year: Anticipated graduation date:

Class: Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior Other:

9. If you have earned correspondence credits, participated in an internship program, or worked as a formal apprentice, give details and provide documentation.

10. If you have made a definite career choice in the woodworking industry, briefly outline your occupational goals:

11. If there is a specific job within the woodworking industry which appeals to you, please describe:

12. If presently working, please give name of employer: _____

Address of employer: _____

Job title: _____

13. Give a brief description of your work experience, part-time or full-time:

14. Two references are required. **Reference A** must be an employer or other professional with whom you have worked. **Reference B** must be an education professional, teacher, or professor. **Both letters must reach WMIA by February 3, 2017**, although letters can be scanned and emailed along with this application, or mailed separately by the recommenders.

A. Professional reference

Name _____ Title _____

Firm name _____

Address _____

B. Education reference

Name _____ Title _____

Educational institution _____

Address _____

15. The required letters of recommendation: are enclosed will be sent by the recommenders

16. INCOME. Because one of the criteria for the WMIA Scholarship is financial need, it is essential that you provide the following information for the judges. This information will be kept confidential.

	Income (Yearly)	Employer(s)	Title/Job
Applicant			
Parent #1			
Parent #2			
Other guardian			
Other family income			

List any other sources of support for the coming school year which are not mentioned elsewhere on this form, such as other scholarships, awards, loans, trusts, etc.

Source	Amount

We certify these figures to be a complete and accurate report of our total family income.

Parent/Guardian _____ Parent/Guardian _____

17. EXPENSES. Give the names, ages, and work status of brothers and sisters. If any are now in college, give sources of their support.

Name	Age	Work Status	Support

List any dependents. Give ages and relationships.

Name	Age	Relationship

18. Please estimate your college costs for the coming school year. Use additional columns if you have not yet made your final choice of schools.

	College/location:	College/location:
Tuition	\$	\$
Room	\$	\$
Board	\$	\$
Books	\$	\$
Transportation	\$	\$
Other (explain)	\$	\$
TOTAL	\$	\$

List any other information related to finances which you would like the judges to consider on a separate sheet.

19. APPLICANT MUST SIGN THIS STATEMENT: To the best of my knowledge, I certify that the information submitted is factual and accurate.

Signature _____ Date _____

INFORMATION & INSTRUCTIONS

2017 WMIA SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Any person who is planning to enroll in a wood science or wood technology program at an accredited two-year or four-year technical school, college, or university in North America is eligible to apply for a WMIA scholarship. Previous winners are eligible for a second award, but must reapply.

Candidates must have graduated from high school or its equivalent before July 1 of the year in which they will use the scholarship. They must have sufficient academic records to be accepted by an accredited college, university, or technical institute. Students already in college are also eligible to apply. ***(Please note: This scholarship is intended to be used for the Fall 2017 semester. It is not to be used for retroactive expenses. If you are not enrolled in school for Fall 2017, you are ineligible to apply for a scholarship in this cycle.)***

Judges will take into consideration academic success, interest, special abilities, financial need, and other factors in arriving at their choice of scholarship recipients. The judges will give consideration to the degree in which the career choice could have an application to the woodworking industry.

INSTRUCTIONS

The person applying for the scholarship must complete this four-page application form and mail it, along with any attachments to the WMIA address shown below. WMIA should have the application, transcripts, and letters of recommendation by February 3, 2017. When completing the application, please either type or print your answers. If you need more space to answer a question, use a blank piece of paper. Be sure your name appears on all attachments and particularly anything mailed to WMIA separately. This form may be reproduced.

In addition to this completed form, WMIA needs the following:

- A one-page letter telling us about your future aspirations and what qualifies you as a WMIA scholarship candidate.
- A transcript of grades and credits, with the exception of the current semester. Students enrolled in college must furnish a copy of their transcripts from high school and any other collegiate institutions attended.
- A letter of recommendation from an employer or other professional with whom you have worked.
- A letter of recommendation from a teacher, professor, or education professional.
- **These items MUST arrive at WMIA by February 3, 2017.**

CHECKLIST

HAVE YOU:

- Signed this form yourself?
- Submitted all financial information requested?
- Had your parents/guardians sign the financial section?
- Completed the entire application, so no information is missing or inaccurate?

QUESTIONS?

Contact WMIA at 571-279-8340 or e-mail us at info@wmia.org

COMPLETE THE APPLICATION AND RETURN TO



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