

TN AFL-CIO LABOR COUNCIL ANNUAL EDDIE BRYAN SCHOLARSHIP RULES & GUIDELINES

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

High school graduates age 17-21 entering his or her **first** year of study in a state accredited college or university with the objective of obtaining a minimum of a two-year degree (not vocational schools).

Member of, or birth-child, legally adopted child or step-children, whose parent or grandparent is/(was at time of death) a member in good standing, of a local union in good standing with the Tennessee AFL-CIO Labor Council; or a child who has lived in the household of the above described union member for more than 3 years (verification required) and depends on that member for his or her financial obligations. A letter from local union principle officer verifying, of the applicant, applicant's parent or grandparent's, current membership in good standing required. Member must remain in good standing for a minimum of one year after scholarship is awarded or repay the amount of the scholarship upon withdrawal of membership from the local union. The only exception may be employer closing business, rare instances of termination, transfer or death. Exceptions must be approved by an executive board's recommendation of approval.

APPLICATION PROCESS

Application and a typed or hand written, five hundred (500) word essay on "*What Labor Unions Mean to My Family*" will determine the winner of the \$5,000.00 scholarship. References must be properly recorded on the essay.

After scholarship applications are made available the applicant will have at least 6 weeks to prepare his/her essay and deliver it, along with an application, to a pre-determined location, which will be indicated on application. Strict time lines (dates) will be set and followed; absolutely no exceptions will be made. The person receiving the applications may change from year to year.

The application for said scholarship is enclosed. Deadline for application and essay is MAY 2nd, and must be mailed to the TN AFL-CIO Labor Council, ATTN: Pat White, 1901 Lindell Avenue, Nashville, TN 37203.

Upon receipt of the student's application and essay the receiver will assign a number that will be clearly marked on each page of the application and the essay.

**DO NOT PUT NAMES ON OR IN THE ESSAY.
ESSAYS WITH NAMES WRITTEN ON OR IN THEM WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.**

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TENNESSEE AFL-CIO LABOR COUNCIL
EDDIE BRYAN SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

(complete and return to: TN AFL-CIO Labor Council, ATTN: Pat White,
1901 Lindell Avenue, Nashville, TN 37203.

Indicate on envelope Scholarship Application Enclosed)

Please assign a number to this application. Mark it clearly in the upper right corner of each page

of the essay.

Received by: _____

Essay number

Date received _____

Official use only—Do not Write in this box

Applicant Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

Date of Birth _____ Social Security Number _____

Expected graduation date _____ If already graduated, when _____

Name of High school _____

Principal _____

Guidance counselor _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Fax _____

What college or university do you plan to attend? _____

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IF THE APPLICANT IS THE MEMBER OR DECEASED RELATIVE OF APPLICANT THIS PAGE DOES NOT NEED TO BE COMPLETED.

THIS PAGE MUST BE COMPLETED BY THE UNION MEMBER WHOSE MEMBERSHIP IS MAKING IT POSSIBLE FOR THIS APPLICANT TO PARTICIPATE

I, _____, do hereby promise that

Members name

the applicant for this scholarship, _____,

Applicant's name

is my _____ . I further promise that I am a member in

Relationship to applicant

good standing of Local Union # _____ of the _____ . My dues are paid

International union

current.

I further promise that I will abide by all rules governing this scholarship including the continuation of my membership with my local union for one year after this scholarship is awarded, if the applicant is chosen as the winner. If I do not keep my membership current or obtain an exception from the Tennessee AFL-CIO Labor Council, I, not the applicant, will immediately upon their request repay the entire amount of the scholarship that has been paid on behalf of the applicant.

Signature of Member: _____

Official use only

Parent's Name: Mr. _____

Ms. _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

I am eligible to apply for this scholarship because *Check appropriate box:* () I, () My Parent, whose name is/was _____;

or () My Grandparent whose name is/was _____

is(/ was at time of death) a member in good standing of Local Union # _____ of the _____

Name of international union

Local Union Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Fax _____

Principal Officer _____

Title _____

I do hereby confirm that _____ <i>Name listed above as person making applicant eligible</i>
Is/was a member of Local Union # _____ of _____ <i>International union</i>
He/She is/(was at time of death)in good standing with this local union and their dues are/were paid current.
Comments: _____
Signature and title of Local Union's Principal Officer. <u>Signature Must Be Notarized.</u>

<i>Inside box to be completed by union principal officer</i>