Tennessee Gas Association Scholarship Foundation

SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM and APPLICATION

(COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY APPLICANTS)

For Use in 2020

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The Tennessee Gas Association (TGA) has established a Scholarship Foundation. The Foundation has been established to offer assistance to academically qualified students who intend to pursue a degree at a two- or four-year accredited university, college, or technical school. Scholarships will be based on such criteria as academic achievement, financial need, community involvement, etc. The TGA Scholarship Committee is a working Committee of the Foundation and raises funds from various sources, including: annual Scholarship Tournaments, Silent Auction, business donations and individual member contributions.

**SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION:**

- All but three scholarships will be awarded in the amount of $2,000.
- Three scholarships will be awarded in the amount of $3,000 – the John Ward Scholarship; the Leslie B. Enoch, II Scholarship and the Dwight S. Work Scholarship. Preference will be given to Accounting and/or Finance majors when awarding the Work Scholarship, however, if no applicant meets this standard the scholarship will still be awarded.
- Check written payable to the scholarship recipient.
- Awarded at the discretion of the Tennessee Gas Association Scholarship Foundation.
- Amount to be awarded is determined annually based on funds available.
- Recipients notified on or about May 1st.
- Proof of current enrollment is required before scholarship check will be issued.

**ELIGIBILITY (VERY IMPORTANT, PLEASE READ)**

To be considered for the TGA Foundation Scholarship, the applicant:

- must be a dependent child of a natural gas distribution or pipeline system full-time employee who has been continuously employed for at least one year with that system, and where that system is a multiple distribution utility, works for the natural gas division of that system. The distribution system must be located within the state of Tennessee and be a member in good standing with the Tennessee Gas Association. Also, the employee and dependent child must reside within the state of Tennessee to be eligible, or;
- must be a dependent child of a Business Partner or Marketer Member company employee who has been continuously employed for at least one year with that company. The company must be a member in good standing with the Tennessee Gas Association. Also, the employee and dependent child must reside within the state of Tennessee to be eligible.
- must be a current student in good standing, in accordance with current institutional policies, with a grade point average of 3.0, or higher.
- must be a full-time student enrolled for 12 or more hours at an accredited university, college, or technical school.
- must complete pages 3-5 of the TGA Foundation Scholarship application and be postmarked by March 31.

**PLEASE NOTE:** Complete Applications submitted to TGA postmarked by the March 31 deadline, will be given every consideration by the Scholarship Foundation, but please be advised that submitting an application does not automatically guarantee you will receive a scholarship. The Scholarship Foundation reserves the right to determine scholarship recipients based on the criteria outlined, as well as available funds.
TENNESSEE GAS ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION (COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STUDENTS)
APPLICATIONS POSTMARKED AFTER MARCH 31 WILL BE INELIGIBLE,
AS WILL INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS

Name____________________________
Address____________________________ City_______________________ State____ Zip__________
Home Phone_____________________Cell Phone___________________Email__________________________
County________________ Date of Birth_______________________Age:_________________ 
College/University________________________________________ Anticipated Graduation Date:______________
College/University Address ____________________________________________________________
(include Street, City, State, Zip)
Registrar & Phone Number __________________________________________________________

Name of your local newspaper publication____________________________________________________

FAMILY INFORMATION
IMPORTANT: One parent must be employed by the NATURAL GAS division or 
Business Partner or Marketer Member of TGA

Father or Guardian                                                                
Name__________________________________________
Email________________________________________
Employer ______________________________________
Title_______________________________________

Mother or Guardian                                                                

Name__________________________________________
Email________________________________________
Employer ______________________________________
Title_______________________________________

Please fill in current information about any siblings in your household in the space provided below.

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☐ Check this box if there are additional family members not listed above and attach a separate list.
EDUCATIONAL PLANS

Attending College, University, or Technical School __________________________________________________

Major ______________________________________ Term to be enrolled____________________________

What are your plans to continue your education?
____________________________________________________________________________________________
____________________________________________________________________________________________
____________________________________________________________________________________________

What are your career goals?
____________________________________________________________________________________________
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ACTIVITIES

List any extra-curricular groups, organizations, student government, or other activities at school in which you have participated or honors you have received.
____________________________________________________________________________________________
____________________________________________________________________________________________
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List any involvement in community activities and/or work experience.
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GENERAL

State briefly what it would mean to you to be awarded a scholarship (attach an additional page if necessary).
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FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Combined Family income (including both parents/ legal guardians):

______ $0 - $80,000        ______ over $80,000

Have you completed the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) for the upcoming term?

_____ Yes, _____ No

List any other financial assistance for which you have applied or plan to apply.
____________________________________________________________________________________________
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SIGNATURE AND CERTIFICATION

I certify that none of the information provided on this application is false nor have I willingly withheld any pertinent information. I will use scholarship funds for educational purposes only. I give permission for information to be given to the appropriate committee so that they may recommend eligible recipients.

Signature of Applicant ___________________________________________ Date ____________________

ACADEMIC INFORMATION SECTION

NOTE: All students must have this section completed by their college/university registrar and returned with their application.

(Please print clearly)

I certify that_________________________________________ is enrolled for _____ hours for the ________ term, 20__, and has a GPA of _____ out of _____ at ____________________________, and is in good standing in accordance with current institutional policies.

A copy of the student's most recent transcript/semester grades must be included with this application.

__________________________________________________________
Signature/Title (Please print clearly) Date __________________

Once completed, mail the scholarship application postmarked by March 31st to:

TENNESSEE GAS ASSOCIATION
SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION
83 Century Boulevard
Nashville, TN 37214

TGA SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION USE ONLY

Application No: __________

Education History
First Enrollment Date:_______ Last Enrollment Date:_________ Last Term GPA:_________
Cumulative GPA:_________ Notified:_______________ Accepted:_______________
Previous TGA Scholarship Recipient, Year (s) ______, ______, ______.