



Shenandoah Valley Electric Cooperative



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Application Form



2019 Scholarship Program

“An investment in knowledge always pays the best interest.”

Benjamin Franklin

Application Deadline: February 20, 2019

SHENANDOAH VALLEY ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE

SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

APPLICATION FORM

Eligibility – student must be a high school senior and parents or guardian must be an SVEC member. Application and essay deadline: February 20, 2019. Scholarship recipients will be selected by April 10, 2019. **All information below must be completed or application will not be reviewed.**

Date _____

Name _____

Address _____

Telephone Number _____ E-mail address _____

Parent(s) or Guardian Name _____

What is their SVEC Account Number? _____

Student Signature _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____

What high school do you attend? _____

****All applicants MUST provide a copy of their high school transcripts, SAT scores and class rank from their guidance counselor with their application****

What is your desired field of study? _____

How did you find out about this scholarship program? _____

List extracurricular school activities (sports, clubs, etc.) in which you have been involved; include any offices held. If additional space is necessary, please attach separate page.

List any involvement you have had in your local community. If additional space is necessary, please attach separate page.

*** (Essay/Application requirements continued on next page) ***

Essay/Application Requirements continued

What financial aid or scholarships are you expecting to receive/or have received and what is the amount?

Explain your needs for scholarship or financial aid:

All applicants must complete an essay on the following: “How will a college education and this scholarship assist you in reaching your personal and professional goals and improve your community?”

Your essay must be a minimum of three typed, double-spaced pages and no longer than five pages. Font size must be 12 and Times New Roman is the preferred font. Margins must be regular. In addition to your essay, please provide a cover page with your name, address, home telephone number and e-mail address, if applicable. **Do not place your name on any other page of the essay.**

All applicants must provide a minimum of three reference letters. Letters may be from school administrators, teachers, civic/business leaders, ministers or neighbors. Reference letters may not be submitted from relatives.

Finalists for consideration of scholarships may be requested to provide additional information as deemed necessary by the Committee.

REMEMBER: Application and Essay deadline is February 20, 2019.

Previous Scholarship Recipients

2018

Isaac Alderfer
Broadway High School

Mia Kyler
Riverheads High School

Morgan Biggs
James Wood High School

Daniel Ludwig
Millbrook High School

Alicia Campbell
Page County High School

Joyner Miller
Fort Defiance High School

Elizabeth Hoover
Broadway High School

Aubree Morris
Broadway High School

Kendall Knicely
Turner Ashby High School

Benjamin Winn
Sherando High School

2017

Peyton Ayers
Stuarts Draft High School

Tara Ingersoll
Wilson Memorial High School

Kennedy Eagle
John Handley High School

Blair Landram
Fort Defiance High School

Maria Becerra Flores
Stonewall Jackson High School

Tyler Patton
Stonewall Jackson High School

Sadie Garber
Fort Defiance High School

Duncan Schroeder
Stonewall Jackson School

Zachary Hiter
Broadway High School

Allison Stump
Highland High School



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- ** Eligibility – Scholarships will be awarded to local high school seniors whose parents or legal guardians are consumers of SVEC. The student must have not previously applied for the scholarship.
- ** Primary Judging Criteria – Quality of essay provided by student, participation in school/ community activities, and the quality of applicant’s high school course load.
- ** Other judging criteria will include financial need, letters of reference and grade point average, SAT and class rank.
- ** Application and essay deadline is February 20, 2019. All applications must either be postmarked or hand delivered to one of SVEC’s district offices by this date. The address to mail applications is P. O. Box 236, Mt. Crawford, VA 22841. Scholarship recipients will be selected by April 10, 2019.
- ** Scholarship payment will be sent directly to the college or university of the student’s choice. Scholarship recipients will be required to provide proof of enrollment before scholarship is released.
- ** Shenandoah Valley Electric Cooperative is a member-owned electric distribution utility providing electric service to the central Shenandoah Valley and Potomac Highlands.
- ** The Cooperative maintains offices in Luray, Mt. Jackson, Rockingham, Staunton and Winchester, Virginia.

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COOPERATIVE’S MISSION STATEMENT

“We Exist to Serve Our Member-Owners”

We will provide reliable and safe electric service at the lowest possible cost within our service area, consistent with sound management and Cooperative principles.

We will continually evaluate our member-owners’ needs and work to exceed their expectations, pursuing opportunities that will benefit them.



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