

APPLICATION FOR SCOUTING STEM SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

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The Priebe Family Foundation desires to support higher education for Eagle Scouts interested in attending school for study in a STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math) related field.

Application Process: Candidates are to complete this application and submit it via mail or email **by May 1st**. The scholarship review committee will review applicants and notify the scholarship recipient by July 31st. A maximum \$15,000 grant may be awarded. Candidates are assessed based on leadership activities, school accomplishments, community and Scouting involvement, full and accurate completion of the application and the strength of their essay stating their education plan for a career in a STEM related field. Applicants who receive the scholarship may not apply again. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

Payment of the scholarship will be made directly to the recipient's post-secondary educational institution (trade school, technical college, university, etc.) in two equal payments:

- First payment will be made at the start of the upcoming fall semester after recipient submits an invoice from their educational institution.
- Second payment will be made during the spring semester after the candidate has submitted to the scholarship review committee their fall semester transcript indicating a grade point average of 3.0 or better (on a 4-point scale) and submits an invoice from the educational institution.

Eligibility: Applicant must

- Be currently registered in a Three Harbors Council, Scouts BSA Troop, Crew or Post.
- Be a current high school senior or first year post-secondary student.
- Have achieved the rank of Eagle Scout prior to submitting this application.
- Have parent or guardian approval if under the age of 18 years old.
- Complete all sections of this application.
- Have declared or intend to declare a field of post-secondary study in Science, Technology, Engineering or Math.
- Provide proof of enrollment in a post-secondary educational institution for the upcoming fall semester.
- Provide notice of other financial assistance requested.
- Provide two (2) letters of recommendation or support from adults in the community who are not related to the applicant.
- Previous Three Harbors Council STEM scholarship winners are not eligible for subsequent scholarship award.
- Members of the same family are not eligible in consecutive years.

Submission: Submit completed application and required documents to:

Eagle Scout STEM Scholarship Award
c/o Nick Thornton
Three Harbors Council, BSA
330 South 84th Street
Milwaukee, WI 53214

OR
Nick.Thornton@Scouting.org

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PERSONAL RECORD INSTRUCTIONS

On a separate sheet of paper list each of the six topics below followed by your response to each. Note the final essay should be on its own separate page.

Career Opportunities Experience: In 2 to 3 paragraphs describe your interest, knowledge and career goals that reflect a long term career in a STEM related field.

Life Skills Experience: Describe your accomplishments and involvement with STEM related programs and projects in and out of Scouting. This can be in jobs or volunteering work.

Citizenship Experience: List all non-STEM organizations of which you were a member during high school and post-secondary school (if applicable) that involved improving the quality of other people's lives. Indicate with an asterisk (*) those in which you are currently active. For each organization listed include 2 to 3 sentences describing how this organization and your involvement improved the quality of other people's lives.

Leadership Experience: List all (STEM and non-STEM) leadership positions you have held during high school and post-secondary school (if applicable). Indicate with an asterisk (*) those positions you currently hold. Identify which of these positions you feel you made the biggest impact and which positions you could have done a better job of leading.

Character Education Experience: List all (STEM and non-STEM) achievements, awards or recognitions you have received, the organization that presented them and the year received. These can be in Scouting, your school or community. For ALL Non-Scouting achievements noted, please include 2 to 3 sentences describing the achievement.

Scouting Value/Enjoyment: Describe in 2 to 3 paragraphs how Scouting has impacted your life through fulfilling and enjoyable activities and laying a foundation on which you have built the traits of the Scout Oath and Scout Law into your life.

ESSAY

(Please answer in additional document)

Submit a 500-word essay on your educational plan/goals for a career in a STEM related field and how your experience in Scouting will help you achieve your goal.