

National Society of Professional Engineers - Fort Worth Chapter

2023-2024 Scholarship Application for Graduating Texas High School Seniors

Application deadline is April 19, 2024

The chapters of the National Society of Professional Engineers (NSPE) will award scholarships to students studying to become engineers in an engineering program at an ABET-accredited (Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology) college or university. *Upon verification of enrollment*, these scholarships will be presented to the university in the student's name. **Unless otherwise instructed by your scholarship coordinator, applications must be submitted to the coordinator by the date specified below.**

The application consists of five (5) sections. Please complete each section according to the instructions of your Chapter Scholarship Coordinator.

To be eligible for a NSPE Chapter Scholarship a student must:

- Be a United States citizen.
- Be a high school senior with a 3.0 or higher GPA entering college in the fall of 2024.
- Have scored at least a 610 in math, a 570 in reading & writing on the SAT, or a 28 in math and a 24 in English on the ACT.
- Enroll in an ABET (Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology) accredited engineering program to receive funding in fall 2024. (Visit www.abet.org and click on "Find ABET-Accredited Programs" to obtain a listing).
- Provide a completed Scholarship Application via email by April 19, 2024.

Instructions for submitting an application:

- Complete the Scholarship Application form (attached). (Note: Typewritten is encouraged)
- Provide documentation of all eligibility requirements as listed above.
- Secure and attach all required documentation for the application and email the entire application (including all components) no later than April 19, 2024, to your Chapter Scholarship Coordinator. (Incomplete application packets will not be considered). Scholarship Coordinator email is: mason.jones@freese.com

Assemble the application in the following order:

1. Proof of Eligibility – see "To be eligible" section above
2. Completed application form
3. Essay
4. Two recommendations from non-relatives (high school teachers preferred)
5. Official transcript(s)
6. SAT or ACT scores

NSPE Fort Worth Chapter scholarships are awarded on the basis of academic record, achievement, leadership, and career goals.

SECTION 1 – PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name: _____ Male Female
Last First Middle

Date of Birth: _____
Month Day Year

Permanent Postal Address: _____
Street Apt.

City State Zip Code Home Phone ()

Email Address: _____

Ethnicity: _____Hispanic or Latino _____American Indian or Alaskan Native _____Asian
 _____Black or African American _____Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander _____White

Are you a legal citizen of the United States of America? _____

Do you intend to apply for Federal Student Aid? (FAFSA Form) _____

SECTION 2 – ACADEMIC INFORMATION

High School: _____ Phone: () _____

School Address: _____

Person responsible for scholarship information at your school: _____

Their phone number: () _____ E-Mail Address: _____

Class Rank: _____ out of _____ Cumulative Grade Point Average: _____ on a _____ scale

SAT Score: _____ (Attach copy of score)

ACT Score: _____ (Attach copy of score)

Colleges or Universities Applied to (in order of preference): _____ Date Applied

Institution Name City and State Month/Year

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Planned Engineering Major: _____

SECTION 3 – RESUME (Please attach additional sheet(s)):

Activities

List no more than six of your activities (in or outside of school) of which you are most proud.

Accomplishments/Honors/Awards

List no more than six of your most significant accomplishments outside of school.

Work Experience

List your work experience and include the following information: 1) Dates (start & end); 2) Employer/Supervisor/Phone; 3) Job Duties; 4) Hours Worked; 5) Paid or Volunteer; and 6) During the School Year and/or Summer Breaks.

SECTION 4 – ESSAY (Please attach additional sheet(s)):

The essay should be typewritten or computer-generated in a 11-point font, double-spaced, and not more than 650 words. Put your name, birth date, and planned major field of engineering at the top of the essay. Develop and title your essay based on **ONE** of the following four questions:

1. What is something interesting about you?
2. Describe something you are passionate about and why.
3. What are you most proud of?
4. Open-ended, tell the committee anything you want.

Note: Essays often serve as tiebreakers between closely ranked applicants. A well thought out essay that discusses engineering enhances your chances of winning a scholarship, this is the only chance the committee has to hear **your** voice. If you have a demonstrated financial need for this scholarship, please discuss in a short paragraph at the end of your essay in less than 300 words.

SECTION 5 – CERTIFICATION (Applications without required signatures will be disqualified.)

Scholarship Applicant:

To the best of my knowledge, the information presented on this application is complete and true. I understand my application will not be reviewed if it is incomplete. By signing below, I authorize my school officials to release information about my academic records to representatives of NSPE.

Applicant Signature

Date

Parental Certification:

I certify that all information presented on this application is complete and true.

Parent signature

Date

Printed Name

(_____)_____
Parent Phone Number