



BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA BUFFALO TRACE COUNCIL EAGLE SCOUT ASSOCIATION EAGLE SCOUT SCHOLARSHIP SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION



Please be sure to use only this form when applying.
To ensure that your application is reviewed and processed as quickly and accurately as possible,
please read and follow these procedures and requirements as written.

Procedures

The Eagle Scout applying for a scholarship must complete the application personally.

- **Enclose only the items requested in the requirements** (no biographies, résumés, or supplemental lists of activities).
- **Answer all questions on the application.**
Use only space provided.
- Address completed applications to:
Buffalo Trace Council
3501 E. Lloyd Expressway
Evansville, IN 47715
FAXES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED FOR CONSIDERATION.
- Be advised that only those applications postmarked **no later** than midnight on January 31 or the nearest business day, will be considered.

- Be advised that applications become the property of the selection committee and will not be returned to the applicant. The selection committee will, in writing, notify all scholarship applicants of its decision. The name of the scholarship recipient will be posted in the council newsletter Compass Points.
- Submitting an application is in no way a guarantee that a scholarship will be granted. There is no appeal and the decision of the selection committee is final.
- All applications must be printed or typed.
- This scholarship is available for all forms of post-secondary education including 2 year college, 4 year college and technical or trade school.
- This scholarship is not available to students attending any of the U.S. military academies, because at these academies expenses covered by this scholarship are already paid by the United States government.

Requirements

All applicants must

1. Be an Eagle Scout and have received credentials from the national office or have successfully completed an Eagle Scout Board of Review by January 1.
2. Submit applications that are postmarked no later than midnight on January 31 or nearest business day. Use sufficient postage. Applications received or after this date will not be considered.
3. Be a graduating high school senior or an undergraduate college student less than 20 years of age by January 31. You may receive the scholarship one time only.
4. Have demonstrated leadership ability in Scouting and a strong record of participation in activities outside of Scouting.
5. Provide a transcript of high school grades covering a minimum of six semesters. The transcript need not be official and may be a photocopy.
6. Provide SAT and/or ACT score on an official test sheet or on the high school transcript.
7. Provide two signed references. One reference must be from a volunteer or professional Scout leader (please list Scouting title on the reference) who knows the applicant personally. The other reference should be from a religious official, educator, coach, employer or other person significant to the applicant. These references should attest to the general character of the applicant. These are the only endorsements required. Please use only the form included with this application. **Return reference to applicant in a sealed envelope. Applicant must submit references with application and transcript for application to be considered.**

**INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS AND/OR APPLICATIONS WITHOUT TRANSCRIPT OR BOTH SIGNED REFERENCES
WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.**

Applicant's Information

Name _____
First
Middle
Last

Home address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home telephone number _____ High school graduation date _____

Birth date _____ Eagle Scout board of review date _____

Name of parent or guardian _____

Scouting Record

Troop/Crew _____ Scoutmaster/Advisor _____

Charter Organization _____

POSITIONS HELD

(Check all that apply.)

- Patrol leader
- Assistant senior patrol leader
- Senior patrol leader
- Junior assistant Scoutmaster
- Varsity team captain
- Varsity squad leader
- Varsity cocaptain
- Local camp staff
- National camp staff
- OA member
- OA lodge chief
- OA section chief
- OA national officer
- OA chapter chief
- Venturing crew/ship officer
- Other _____

NATIONAL AWARDS EARNED

(Check all that apply.)

- BSA Lifeguard
- 50-Miler Award
- Heroism Award
- Historic Trails Award
- Honor Medal
- Honor Medal With Crossed Palms
- Hornaday Award
- Medal of Merit
- OA Vigil Honor
- OA Founder's Award
- Religious emblem
- Merit badges (Please give total number earned.) _____
- Bronze Palm
- Gold Palm
- Silver Palm
- Bronze Award

- Gold Award
- Silver Award
- TRUST Award
- Quest Award
- Ranger Award
- Quartermaster Award
- Venturing Leadership Award
- Other Scouting positions/awards (Please specify.) _____

Have you attended or served in a staff position for any of the following? (Check all that apply.)

- Council camp
- National Order of the Arrow Conference
- Philmont
- High-adventure base
- National Scout jamboree
- World Scout jamboree

School Activities

Name of high school/preparatory school/College _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

OTHER ACTIVITIES (Check all activities you have been involved in during high school/college.)

Sports

- Baseball
- Basketball
- Cross-country
- Football
- Golf
- Ice Hockey
- Soccer
- Swimming/diving
- Tennis
- Track
- Volleyball
- Wrestling
- Other (Please specify.) _____

- History
- International
- Key
- Math
- Science
- Model UN
- National Honor Society
- Student council/government
- Tutoring/peer counseling
- Yearbook/magazine/newspaper
- Boy's State
- Future Business Leaders of America
- Future Farmers of America
- Students Against Drunk Driving
- Other (Please specify.) _____

Clubs and Other Activities

- Blood drives
- Civic (library, park, government officials, etc.)
- Community theater
- Exchange student program
- Food drives
- 4-H
- Hospital
- Junior Achievement
- Kiwanis
- Music
- Red Cross
- Rotary
- Salvation Army
- Tutoring
- Other (Please specify.) _____

Clubs and Other Activities

- Band/orchestra
- Beta
- Choir
- Chess
- Computer
- Debating
- Drama/theater
- Foreign language

ACTIVITIES OUTSIDE OF SCHOOL

AND SCOUTING (Check all activities you have been involved in outside of school and Scouting.)

Church

- Youth group
- Other (Please specify.) _____

Sports

- Baseball
- Basketball
- Football
- Martial arts
- Soccer
- Other (Please specify.) _____

Service to Community

State your service to your community since earning the Eagle Scout rank. Use only the space provided.

Service to Scouting

State your service to Scouting. Use only the space provided.

General Character

State and show examples of your general character. Use only the space provided.

Post-secondary Plans

This scholarship is available for all forms of post-secondary education including 2 year college, 4 year college and technical or trade school.

In order of preference, list three colleges/universities technical or trade schools to which you have applied or plan to apply.

THIS SCHOLARSHIP IS NOT AVAILABLE TO STUDENTS ATTENDING ANY OF THE U.S. MILITARY ACADEMIES.

Name of institution _____

Estimated cost per year (Include room/board/tuition/books.) _____

What are your career plans after graduation? _____

Authorization

I hereby authorize the Buffalo Trace Council Eagle Scout scholarship selection committee to request and obtain any further information it deems necessary as it applies to this application.

This scholarship is for tuition, room, board, and books only. It will be paid to the recipient's institution on their behalf or for reimbursement for expenses paid by the applicant.

On my honor as a Scout, all information and statements on this form are true and correct.

Signature of applicant

Date

I have read this application and it has my approval.

Signature of parent/guardian

Date



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 APPLICANT REFERENCE**



Applicant Name: _____

Applicant: Provide two signed references. One reference must be from a volunteer or professional Scout leader (please list Scouting title on the reference) who knows the applicant personally. The other reference should be from a pastor or priest, educator, coach, employer or other person significant to the applicant. These references should attest to the general character of the applicant. These are the only endorsements required. Please use only this form. Return sealed references with application and transcript for application to be considered.

To the Reference: The above applicant is applying for Buffalo Trace Council Eagle Scout Scholarship. Please complete this form at your earliest convenience, seal it in an envelope and return it to the applicant. Your responses will be kept confidential. Please put any additional comments only in the space provided.

Please circle the phrase that best describes the applicant Your comments are also of the utmost importance:

DEPENDABILITY:	Exceptional	Usually dependable	Requires supervision	Irresponsible
INITIATIVE:	Resourceful, self motivated	Industrious	Has necessary drive	Indifferent
COOPERATION:	Inspires confidence	Cooperates willingly	Usually cooperative	Obstructionist
LEADERSHIP:	Inspirational	Able to take charge	Good team member	Incapable of leading
ATTITUDE:	Always enthusiastic	Positive	Generally acceptable	Negative
COMMON SENSE:	Always uses sound judgement	Usually sound	Needs experience	Lacking
INTEGRITY:	Always trustworthy	Generally reliable	Sometimes lacking	Can't be trusted

How active has the applicant been in Scouting since earning the Eagle rank?

Additional Comments: Please use only this space and the space on the back of this sheet.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Title: _____ Relationship to applicant _____