

TEAMSTERS LOCAL 631

ALL CHARITIES FUND SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

The purpose of this essay contest is to award four (4) 3,000.00 scholarships for attending an accredited public or private University, Community College, Vocational or Technical School anywhere in the United States.

REQUIREMENTS AND ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

1. Applicants must be a naturally or legally adopted child or grandchild of any active Teamsters Local 631 member who has been in good standing with Local 631 for the last (24) consecutive months.
2. Applicants must be graduating high school seniors or enrolled students at an accredited public or private University, Vocational or Technical school. Applicant not to exceed 21 years of age.
3. Applicants must currently have a 2.0 Grade Point Average (GPA) and have maintained such for their last full year of school prior to the application.
4. Applications may be picked up at Teamsters Local 631.
5. A copy of the grade transcript to support claim of 2.0 GPA and a statement of career goals or intent must accompany the application.
6. All applications must be accompanied by a written essay, **1,000 words minimum**, on the subject designated by the Local 631 Scholarship Committee.
7. Essays should be submitted on a 8 ½" by 11" paper, on one side, preferably typed and double spaced, with applicant's written signature at the conclusion of the essay.
8. **Upon completion please send your application (certified or registered mail) to Teamsters Local 631 All Charities Fund, 700 N. Lamb Blvd., Las Vegas, NV 89110. Applications must be received no later than Friday, May 13, 2011. Any application received after that date will not be considered.**
9. There will be four (4) \$3,000.00 scholarships awarded.
10. The Scholarship committee will review all applications to assure that all eligibility criteria and requirements have been followed and met.
11. Essays will be reviewed by a selected committee and scored by at least three readers.
12. Failure on the part of the applicant to meet the rules may subject the applicant to disqualification by the committee. If disqualified, the decision of the Scholarship Committee shall be final.
13. Scholarships will be awarded after recipient provides proof of registration to University, Community College, Vocational or Technical School.
14. Winners will be notified by an Officer of the Teamsters Local 631 All Charity Fund no later than Friday, June 24, 2011.
15. The Scholarship checks will be awarded at a dinner tentatively scheduled for Friday, July 15, 2011.

2011 ESSAY SCHOLARSHIP QUESTION

Around the country and especially in the Midwest, a conflict has arisen between State Governments and their employees concerning the legitimacy of public sector collective bargaining. In this essay, please argue what effect, if any, has public sector collective bargaining had on unionized government employees? Please cite your sources and clearly articulate your argument. Your citations will not be counted towards your overall word count.

If you have any questions, please contact Teamsters Local 631 at (702)453-6310