

# TEAMSTERS LOCAL 631

## ALL CHARITIES FUND SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

The purpose of this essay contest is to award four (4) \$3,000 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 natural 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 and are also available on the Local Union website [www.teamsterslocal631.org](http://www.teamsterslocal631.org).
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 Teamsters Local 631 Officers / Employees children and or grandchildren are considered ineligible for any and all scholarships awarded by Teamsters Local 631 All Charities Fund.
7. All applications must be accompanied by a written essay, **1,000 words minimum**, on the subject designated by the Local 631 Scholarship Committee.
8. Essays should be submitted on 8 ½" by 11" paper, on one side, preferably typed and double spaced, with applicant's written signature at the conclusion of the essay.
9. **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, April 20, 2012. Any application received after that date will not be considered.**
10. There will be four (4) \$3,000 scholarships awarded.
11. The Scholarship Committee will review all applications to assure that all eligibility criteria and requirements have been followed and met.
12. Essays will be reviewed by a selected committee and scored by at least three readers.
13. 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.
14. Scholarships will be awarded after recipient provides proof of registration to an accredited public or private University, Community College, Vocational or Technical School.
15. Winners will be notified by an Officer of Teamsters Local 631 All Charities Fund no later than Friday, June 1, 2012.

### 2012 ESSAY SCHOLARSHIP QUESTION

Please state the effects, both positive and/or negative, of "right-to-work" laws from the 20<sup>th</sup> century to present. Additionally, express your opinion on the current state of Unions and your outlook on Union participation in the future. Feel free to cite any documents that you relied upon in coming to your conclusions.

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