



Associated Builders and Contractors

High School Senior Scholarship Application Form

The ABC of Western PA Training Trust, 501 (c)3, is part of The Associated Builders and Contractors of Western PA and offers apprenticeship and craft training education to people in the community wanting to pursue careers in construction trades.

The Josh Travis Memorial Scholarship has been established by the Young Professionals of ABC of Western PA to honor the life of Josh Travis and to continue to encourage high school students to work in the trades. It is intended for graduating seniors in high school who want to pursue a career in the construction industry. This is a one-time award of \$500 that will help cover a portion of the cost of attending the ABC of Western PA Apprenticeship Program as a craft training student.

To be considered for these scholarships, a student must:

1. Be a high school senior in Western PA.
2. Intend to pursue studies in a construction trade.
3. Complete the personal information section below.
4. Compile the required Scholarship Packet as described on the following page.
5. Email or mail your Scholarship Application to the address on the following page. Application must be received by **Aug 1, 2021**.

Scholarships will be awarded on the basis of applicant essay and application quality, scholastic excellence, community service and activities, and letter of recommendation.

APPLICANT PERSONAL INFORMATION

NAME

HIGH SCHOOL

DATE OF BIRTH

TELEPHONE NUMBER

E-MAIL ADDRESS

HOME ADDRESS

CUMULATIVE HIGH SCHOOL GPA (submit transcripts)

VOCATIONAL GOAL

I AFFIRM THAT ALL STATEMENTS INCLUDED IN THIS SCHOLARSHIP PACKET ARE TRUE, COMPLETE AND CORRECT. I AUTHORIZE THE USE OF MY PHOTO AND THE INVESTIGATION OF ALL MATTERS THAT THE ABC OF WESTERN PA TRAINING TRUST DEEMS RELEVANT TO MY APPLICATION, INCLUDING ALL STATEMENTS MADE IN THIS APPLICATION AND ANY ATTACHMENTS OR SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS. I AUTHORIZE YOU TO REQUEST AND RECEIVE SUCH INFORMATION AND RELEASE ABC OF WESTERN PA FROM ALL LIABILITY THAT MIGHT RESULT FROM MAKING SUCH AN INVESTIGATION.

SIGNATURE _____

DATE _____

Instructions for Scholarship Application Requirements

1. PERSONAL ESSAY FROM APPLICANT

Write a brief essay of 500 words or less directed to the ABC of Western PA Scholarship Committee describing your career and educational goals, and how you intend to reach those goals.

Describe the qualities you have developed that will help you succeed in obtaining your goals.

2. LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION

Please provide a letter of recommendation from teachers, counselors, volunteer leaders, or work supervisors who can describe your abilities and potential to succeed as you pursue a career in the construction trades.

3. HIGH SCHOOL TRANSCRIPT

Please include a recent copy of your High School Transcript.

4. EMAIL OR MAIL THE FOLLOWING:

- a. Completed Scholarship Application Form
- b. Essay
- c. One letter of recommendation
- d. High School Transcript

Application must be received by August 1, 2021.

Email or mail your scholarship packets to the following address:

Associated Builders & Contractors of Western PA

Re: Josh Travis Memorial Scholarship

2360 Venture Drive

Gibsonia, PA 15044

Email: asteinmetz@abcwpa.org

***IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS, PLEASE CALL AMI STEINMETZ, DIRECTOR OF
EDUCATION & WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT 412-213-3556 OR
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