



March 24th, 2021

Dear Scholarship Director,

Mount Adams Fruit is pleased to inform you that it is offering a scholarship for the children of their employees. The scholarship amount is \$2,000 per year, renewable for up to four consecutive years with a total of \$8,000, as long as the student is in good standing. Attached you will find the eligibility requirements and instructions, application and evaluation forms.

The recipient of this scholarship must have a parent or guardian who is employed by Mount Adams Fruit. It will be awarded primarily on the basis of merit, achievement, application and essay. There are no questions on the application regarding financial need; however, in cases of equal qualifications, need may be taken into account.

The scholarship is meant for students who will complete a four-year degree. In general, we feel that it is better for qualified students to go directly to a four-year institution as transferring often means extra semesters of study. If no applicants are going directly to a four-year institution, we will consider students intending to start at a community college.

Please note that applications need to be sent before or on April 30th 2021 directly to this address:

Maru Quintana
Scholarship Coordinator
503 Oak Ridge Rd.
White Salmon, WA 98672.

We appreciate your help in informing eligible students of this scholarship. Please feel free to contact me, my email is maruquintana68@gmail.com

Sincerely,

Maru Quintana
Scholarship Coordinator



SCHOLARSHIP

Eligibility Requirements & Instructions for Applying

- **Eligibility:** To be eligible, you must:

Be a high school senior whose parent or guardian is employed by:

Mt. Adams Fruit

Orchards located at: White Salmon, WA; Alderdale, WA; Hood River, OR and The Dalles, OR

Packing house located at: Bingen, WA and Dallesport, WA

Graduate from high school at the end of the present school year.

Be planning to attend a four-year college.

(If there are no qualified applicants planning to go directly to a four-year college, those applying to junior colleges will be considered if their course of study will require the completion of four years of college & if they have concrete plans to transfer to a four-year college.)

- **Instructions for Applying:**

Complete the attached application and send it to:

Maru Quintana, Scholarship Coordinator

Mt. Adams Fruit

503 Oak Ridge Rd.

White Salmon, WA 98672

Include:

1. A one-page Biographical Statement in which you discuss your school activities, community involvement, and principal goals & values. (Please do not send copies of the awards, clippings, etc.)
2. A one-page essay using a situation in your life to support **“What is More Important to Me: Motivation or Ability?”**
3. Most recent high school official transcript.
4. Three confidential evaluations

If you are planning to attend a community college, we will expect you to have specific plans to transfer. Have you been in touch with the four-year institution, both their admissions department & your projected major department? What are their requirements for transfer credits? Will you be able to complete your studies in two years, or will you need to transfer after one year of community college?

DEADLINE: April 30th, 2021



SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

NAME _____ DATE _____

Address _____

Father's Name _____

Occupation _____

Mother's Name _____

Occupation _____

High School Attended _____ Graduation Date _____

College you are planning to attend _____

Date of Entry _____ Planned Major _____

Post-Secondary Goals _____

I have attached:

- Official Transcript
- Essay
- Biographical Statement
- Three confidential evaluations

I certify that the information contained in this application is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Signature of Applicant

Date



Scholarship

Confidential Evaluation

Student Name: _____

Evaluator Name and Title: _____

Evaluator Info (email/ phone number): _____

Subject taught/ Coach/ Club: _____

Characteristics	Good	Very good	Excellent	Comments
Time Management				
Good Study Habits				
Goals Setting				
Concentration				
Completion of Assignments				
Organizational Skills				
Self-confidence				
Motivation				
Commitment				
Leadership				

How long have you known this student and in what context? _____

Additional Comments: _____

Evaluator Signature: _____ Date: _____

**COVID-19**

For the latest COVID-19 health guidance, statistics and resources, visit [Coronavirus.wa.gov](https://www.coronavirus.wa.gov).

On-The-Job Training Support Services – Highway Construction Trades Scholarships

01/19/2021: We are accepting scholarship applications at this time. Thank you for your interest in the Washington State Department of Transportation Highway Construction Trades Scholarship.

WSDOT's On-the-Job Training Support Services Program (OJT/SS) provides pre-apprenticeship and apprenticeship scholarship opportunities, to support the participation of women, minorities, and other disadvantaged individuals in the federal-aid highway construction workforce, and includes the following trades:

- Carpenters
- Electricians (Inside Wireman)
- Cement Masons
- Painters
- Truck Drivers
- Diesel Mechanics
- Iron Workers
- Heavy Equipment Operators or mechanics
- Pile Drivers
- Laborers
- Other trades related to highway construction

Awards may be applied to tuition, books, and supplies.

Awards may not be used for:

- Costs related to union membership
- Fees for required tests prior to enrollment and/or acceptance into a training program

If you have received a scholarship previously, and are still in a training program or apprenticeship, you may apply again.

Scholarship award amounts will not exceed \$4000, and the total award amount for a single individual will not exceed \$7,000 in up to three (3) separate awards.

Scholarships can only be awarded to Washington State residents who provide appropriate identification as noted in the application materials.

Thank you for your interest in the Washington State Department of Transportation's Highway Construction Trades Scholarship.

How to apply:

Complete the application materials* and submit to OJTSSinfo@wsdot.wa.gov. Make sure you include a letter of acceptance or enrollment into the program of your choice.

*To be considered for an award, your application materials must include:

- Proof of enrollment in or acceptance to your training program along with contact information and detailed information about the course or program
- Appropriate identification of your Washington state residency
- Personal Essay
- Award amount requested, and for what those funds would be used
- Three personal and/or professional references

Applications will not be considered complete until all required information has been received

Once a complete application packet has been received, an award determination will be emailed to you and your training provider within 28 business days.

Office of Equal Opportunity Construction Trades Scholarship Application (pdf 673 kb)