

TEAMSTERS LOCAL 61 SCHOLARSHIP

Eligibility and Guidelines

Teamsters Local 61 is honored to provide two (2) \$500 scholarships to 2025 high school seniors who are the dependents of the Local Union's members.

Applicants for the scholarship must use the application forms provided by Local 61. These may be obtained from your steward or at the Local Union office.

Guidelines for this scholarship program are as follows:

Eligibility: Applicants must be 2025 high school seniors who are dependent children or stepchildren, both natural and adopted, of Local 61 members who have been in good standing with the Local Union for at least one (1) year. Children of deceased or retired members also may apply. The children of Local 61's full-time business agents, organizers and office staff are NOT eligible to participate in the program.

Application: Each applicant **must** provide Teamsters Local 61 with the following material

1. Applicants should request the guidance counselors send his or her **high school transcript** directly to Teamsters Local 61 Scholarship Program, 45 Sardis Road, Asheville, NC 28806.
2. Three (3) **recommendations** from persons such as teacher, advisor, coach, pastor, neighbor, or possibly an employer for whom applicants have performed part-time or summer work. These may be sent to the Local Union either by the applicant or by the person providing the recommendation.
3. A **written statement** from the applicant outlining his or her qualifications, ambitions, reasons for seeking higher education, plans for the future and intended area of study.

A letter of acknowledgment will be sent to each eligible applicant once it is determined that the Teamster parent is a member in good standing with Local 61.

The applications of all eligible participants will be given to a committee of professors from several universities/colleges within the jurisdiction of Local 61. This committee will review the material and select two (2) scholarship winners.

**Applications and all supporting materials must be received by Teamsters Local 61
no later than April 30th, 2025**

Teamsters Local 61 Scholarship Application

Program only for children of Teamsters Local 61 parents who are high school seniors

Applicants Name: _____
Last First MI

Address: _____
Street/P.O. Box

_____ City State Zip

Telephone: () _____

Date of Birth: _____
Month Day Year

Name of High School:

Address of High School:

Expected High School Graduation Date:
_____ Month Year

College You Plan to Attend?

1st Choice _____
Name City, State

2nd Choice _____
Name City, State

Teamster Parent (full name):

Teamster Parent's Employer:

Teamster Parent's Social Security #:

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Relationship of Teamster Parent to applicant (check one section)

- (a) Father Living Deceased-Mother Remarried? Yes No
- (b) Mother Living Deceased-Father Remarried? Yes No
- (c) Other-Specify Relationship Step-Parent Adopted

Teamster Member:

Signature Date

Applicant:

Signature Date

Parental Statement:

I hereby certify that I provide in excess of 50% of the financial support of the applicant and that the applicant is my dependent for Federal Income Tax purposes.

Signed (Teamster Member)

Complete & forward this application to:

Teamsters Local 61 Scholarship Program 45 Sardis Road Asheville, NC 28806

Applications must be received at Local 61's office by April 30th, 2025