



WATER ENVIRONMENT ASSOCIATION OF TEXAS SCHOLARSHIP FUND

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Deadline for application form: Monday, June 15, 2015

Email application form to: weatsf@weat.org

Mail Official Transcripts* to: WEAT Scholarship Fund
1825 Fort View Road, STE 102
Austin, TX 78704

***Transcripts may be mailed after the application but must be received no later than June 30th, 2015.**

Award Date: Recipients will be selected by August 15. Once a scholarship recipient is selected, a check will be issued to their respective University on behalf of the student.

Scholarship Criteria: Candidate must be an active individual member or a legal dependent of an active member of WEAT. **(A legal dependent is being financially supported by the WEAT member and is claimed on their income tax return.)** The student must be enrolled in College for the semester immediately following awarding of funds. All scholarships are competitive and based on the ranking criteria provided.

If you meet the eligibility criteria shown above, carefully complete all parts of the following application. If something is not applicable please put **NA**. If you have any questions, please contact Julie Nahrgang at (512-693-0060). The last page of the application shows the general criteria used to score an application.

APPLICATION FORM

SECTION ONE - This application is for the Fall/Spring 2015/2016 academic year.

Mr. _____ Ms. _____

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____ Middle Initial: _____

I am (select one of the following):

- 1) Active Member of WEAT
- 2) the legal dependent of an Active Member of WEAT.
Name of legal guardian: _____

How long have you or your legal guardian been an active member of WEAT: _____

I prefer that the _____ Endowment be used for funding my scholarship. (Write NONE if you have no Endowment preference.) Please refer to weatsf.org for a list of current endowments.

Permanent Home Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code _____

Email Address: _____

Guardian Home Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code _____

Guardian Email Address: _____

SECTION TWO - Academic and Professional information

COLLEGIATE AND CAREER PLANS:

Major: _____

College or University Attending: _____

Student ID: _____

School Bursar/Financial Aid Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code _____

School Bursar/Financial Aid Phone Number: _____

Currently pursuing an Undergraduate or Graduate Degree ? (Check One)

Specialization / Emphasis: _____

What is your planned career choice: _____

Classification at the beginning of this semester: _____

Number of credit hours completed in Major at the beginning of this semester: _____

Number of credit hours enrolled for this semester: _____

Number of hours enrolled for last semester: _____

Number of hours completed last semester: _____

Overall GPA: _____ GPA in Major: _____

EDUCATIONAL HISTORY:

**Very Important!!! Mail an Official High School Transcript, GED or University grade report!
(Application will not be considered without an official transcript.)**

High School Attended (Name/City): _____

Year Graduated: _____

List scholastic honors, scholastic clubs/organizations memberships, extracurricular activities, etc. received at the University or High School:

Extracurricular and Service Activities: List any extracurricular activities, including sports, clubs, service organizations, etc. Include activities not sponsored by the University or High School: (Indicate offices held)

Provide a brief description of your career interests after graduation:

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY:

Current Employer (if applicable): _____

How long? _____

Describe the duties you performed:

Please list any previous employment that is applicable:

MEMBERSHIP HISTORY:

Describe yours or your Legal Guardian's WEAT (or other professional organization) leadership and/or other activities:

SECTION THREE - Need for financial assistance:

Do you have your own household? Yes No If yes, number of persons in household: _____

Do you live with your legal guardian? (If your legal guardian claims you on their tax return and/or you are supported by your legal guardian even if you live at the school or city where you are attending please check yes)

Yes No If yes, number of persons in guardian's household: _____

Total Gross Annual Household Income (Dependents must list the sum of their legal guardian and their own income):

\$ _____

Does your employer offer tuition or other education reimbursement program? Yes No

If so, what portion of college expenses is reimbursed?

Are there any extenuating financial circumstances that you would like to provide for consideration?

SECTION FOUR - *Applicant's Administrative Checklist:*

- Is active membership in WEAT (for you or your legal guardian), clearly stated in the application?
- Is the length of active membership in the qualifying organization also clearly stated in the application?
- Is the academic degree to be pursued by the applicant, the college or university chosen and the applicant's intended career plans clearly stated in the application?
- Is your income level and/or the family income level (if applying as the dependent of a member and being supported by your legal guardian) clearly stated in the application?
- Is the past academic record of the applicant, whether in high school or previous college activity, clearly indicated in the application and have you provided a post graduation high school transcript, GED or University Grade Report? **THE APPLICATION IS NOT COMPLETE WITHOUT THIS INFORMATION!!**
- Are all current leadership and/or volunteer activities in the qualifying organization(s) (for the applicant or his/her legal guardians) clearly indicated in the application?

PLEASE NOTE! Incomplete or late applications will not be considered for funding!

SECTION FIVE- Applicant's Certification

I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. I further certify (1) that if I am selected as the recipient of funds from the Water Environment Association of Texas Scholarship Fund, Inc., or of one of the Endowments thereof, all funds received by me shall be used for the purposes stated and to attend the college or university indicated within the immediate semester following the date the notification letter is mailed to me by the Water Environment Association of Texas Scholarship Fund, Inc.. and (2) that should the funds not be used for the stated purpose and within that time they will be returned to the Water Environment Association of Texas Scholarship Fund, Inc..

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____

If you have questions call: (512-693-0060)

Application Score Card

This Section Is Not To BE Completed! For Example Only

CRITERIA FOR RECIPIENT SELECTION

If Any Criteria is Incomplete the Applicant Will Be Considered Ineligible

Student Name: _____

<u>CRITERIA</u>	<u>POINTS</u>
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ORGANIZATIONAL MEMBERSHIPS: (of applicant or legal guardian)

W. E.A. T. (Only) Members.....10 Points

LENGTH OF MEMBERSHIP:

>1 year.....	2 point/Year (20 point max)	_____
< 1 year.....	Ineligible	_____

DEGREE PROGRAM:

Engineering/Physical Sciences.....	20 Points	_____
Public Administration, Environmental Law, Etc.....	10 Points	_____
Others.....	Up to 9 Points	_____

UTILITY CAREER PLANS:

Direct Industry Involvement.....	20 Points	_____
Indirect Industry Involvement.....	10 Points	_____
Industry Involvement Unlikely.....	0 Points	_____

SCHOLASTIC RECORD (HIGH SCHOOL OR COLLEGE)

Excellent.....	10 Points	_____
Average	5 Points	_____
Poor	0 Points	_____

FAMILY GROSS INCOME LEVEL

Provide written explanation of financial need.....Up to 10 Points

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES/COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Provide details of level of activity/involvement.....Up to 10 Points

MISCELLANEOUS:

Bonus Points for Special Accomplishments.....Up to 10 Points
(i.e. Eagle Scout, Valedictorian, Salutatorian, Armed Forces,
Community Involvement, Heroism)

TOTAL _____