

Northeast Illinois Council, Boy Scouts of America 2019 Eagle Scout Scholarship

Applications will not be considered if postmarked or emailed later than midnight Wednesday, April 15th, 2019. All applications should be addressed to: *Northeast Illinois Council, BSA, Eagle Scout Scholarship Selection, 850 Forest Edge Drive, Vernon Hills, IL 60061* or emailed to: scholarships@neic.org.

Only this 2019 version of the application is accepted, any other versions will not be considered.

An Eagle Scout will be selected to receive a one-time scholarship. The amount of the scholarship is \$1,000.00. Such scholarship is applicable towards tuition and other expenses at the accredited college or university of his choosing.

This application becomes the property of the Selection Committee and will not be returned to the applicant. The Selection Committee will inform all applicants of their decision by Wednesday, May 15th, 2019.

This scholarship is made possible through the support of the Northeast Illinois Council and the Eagle Scout Association. The applicant must have all of the following to be considered for the scholarship (incomplete/non-readable applications are removed from consideration), **ALL APPLICATIONS MUST BE TYPED.**

- Be currently registered in the Northeast Illinois Council, Boy Scouts of America and be currently active in a Troop or Venture Crew in the Northeast Illinois Council.
- Have received the Eagle Scout Award. Applicants should ensure that they have been certified (i.e., approval from National) as an Eagle Scout prior to submission of the application. Eagle board must be dated 31 March 2019 or earlier.
- Be a graduating high school senior and an entering college freshman in the year he is applying for the scholarship. The scholarship is awarded only to high school graduating seniors graduating in the calendar year in 2019.
- Applicants must take the SAT or ACT in time to submit the results on the application. The ACT score printout must be submitted with application.
- Have demonstrated leadership ability in Scouting and a strong record of participation in activities outside of Scouting in the school or community.
- Have only one letter of endorsement from a volunteer registered Scout Leader who knows the applicant personally. Extra letters/resumes, additional pages etc. are removed. All documents must be signed where asked or application is discarded.
- Attach a statement clearly stating how you adhere to the Scout Oath and Law in their daily life. (This is different than the life goals statement for the Eagle Application.) It must be signed by the Scout and a Parent/Guardian.
- Typing is REQUIRED. Unreadable applications or applications with missing signatures, letters or information are removed from consideration. Please follow all instructions carefully.

2019 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
MUST BE TYPED
EAGLE SCOUT SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Name: _____ E-mail address: _____

Home Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zipcode: _____

Home Telephone: _____ Date of High School Graduation: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Date of Eagle Scout Rank: _____

Number of merit badges earned: _____ Date of last merit badge: _____

My Eagle Project was: _____

Names of parents/guardian:

Parent/Guardian 1: _____

Parent/Guardian 2: _____

SCOUTING RECORD

I am currently registered in (Unit Type and Number): _____

My current Leadership position(s) is/are the following: _____

<u>Positions Held</u>	<u>Total Months Served in Position</u>	<u>National Awards Earned</u>	<u>Year</u>
Patrol Leader	_____	50-Miler Award	_____
Senior Patrol Leader	_____	Historic Trails Award	_____
Assistant Senior Patrol Leader	_____	Hornaday Award	_____
		Lifeguard BSA	_____
Junior Assistant Scoutmaster	_____	Venture Ranger Award	_____
Troop Guide	_____	Religious Emblem	_____
Den Chief	_____	OA Brotherhood	_____
Crew President	_____	OA Vigil Honor	_____

OA Member	_____	Medal of Merit	_____
OA Chapter Officer	_____	Heroism Award	_____
OA Lodge Key 5	_____	Bronze Palm	_____
Ma-Ka-Ja-Wan Staff	_____	Gold Palm	_____
NYLT Staff	_____	Silver Palm	_____

List other Scouting positions/awards (with date) _____

List all Long-term outdoor experiences including staff positions for each group below along with year:

Ma-Ka-Ja-Wan or treks: _____

High-adventure bases (Philmont, Northern Tier, Sea Base, Summit), National or World Jamborees:

SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

Name of high school/preparatory school _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Counselor's Name _____ Telephone Number _____

Your anticipated ranking _____ in a class of _____ students (if given). GPA _____

SAT Score – math* _____ SAT Score – verbal* _____ and/or ACT Composite Score _____.

*You must use scores from the same test shown on your high school transcript.

List the activities you have been involved in during your time in high school.

Activity	Total Months Involved	Position/Varsity Letter
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

OTHER ACTIVITIES

List your activities outside of school or Scouting, such as civic and religious activities.

Activity	Total Months Involved	Position/Varsity Letter
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

COLLEGE PLANS

In order of preference, list colleges or universities to which you have applied to, plan to apply or have been accepted.

College/University Names

What major(s) do you plan to pursue?

What would you like to do when you graduate from college?

I hereby authorize the Eagle Scout Scholarship Selection Committee to request and obtain any information it may deem necessary and agree to appear before an in-person interview if selected as a finalist on a date/time and place chosen by the selection committee.

On my honor as a Scout, all information and statements on this form are true and correct.

Application Signature Date

I have read the foregoing application, agree with all criteria and conditions and it has my approval.

Signature of parent/guardian _____ Date _____

Signature of parent/guardian _____ Date _____

ENCLOSURE CHECKLIST

Be sure to enclose the following items. Each enclosure is to have on it the applicant's name and birthdate. No more than six pages (one-sided) may be attached to this application including all items listed below.

ALL ENCLOSURES MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH THIS APPLICATION TO BE VALID

- Transcript of high school grades covering at least the last six semesters
- All SAT or ACT test scores. This may be on separate sheet or on the high school transcripts (Note: Not all schools include them on transcripts)
- One letter of recommendation from Scoutmaster or other BSA volunteer who knows the applicant personally. No other letters of recommendation/resumes etc are needed or considered and are removed prior to board consideration.
- A statement by the applicant clearly stating how he adheres to the Scout Oath and Law in his daily life. Statement must be signed by applicant and countersigned by the parent/guardian
- Applications with missing items/pages or unreadable information are not considered.

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