

## 2019 AZ Transportation Education Scholarship Program Program Description

## THE PROGRAM

The program will be called the AZ Transportation Education Scholarship Program.

The sponsor will be AZ Transportation Education Foundation ("Sponsor").

## **ELIGIBILITIES**

Applicants must meet all of the following criteria:

- Be an employee of AZ Trucking Association Member companies OR a child or grandchild (age 24 and under) of AZ Trucking Association member employees.
- Be high school seniors or graduates or be current postsecondary undergraduates.
- Plan to enroll in part-time\*\* or full-time undergraduate study at an accredited two-year or four-year college or university or vocational program for the entire upcoming academic year.
  - \*\*Employees of AZ Trucking Association Member companies may attend part-time (six credits per term or the equivalent). Children or grandchildren must attend full-time (12 credits per term or the equivalent).

## **AWARDS**

The program will use standard Scholarship America recipient selection procedures including the consideration of academic performance, demonstrated leadership and participation in school and community activities, work experience, a statement of career and educational goals and objectives, unusual personal or family circumstances and an outside appraisal.

Preference in the selection process will be given to applicants enrolled or planning to enroll in a field of study including business administration, diesel, truck body or truck mechanics.

Financial need will be considered. Recipients must demonstrate need. Financial need will be calculated based on information provided by the parent(s) who claims the applicant as a federal income tax exemption.

The authorized distribution for new awards will be \$10,000 with the possibility of up to \$15,000. Awards ranging from \$500 up to \$3,000 will be granted.

Awards are not renewable; however, students may reapply to the program each year they meet eligibility requirements.

Awards are for undergraduate study only.

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