



## JNESO District Council 1, IUOE/AFL-CIO Scholarship Application

**Application Deadline: February 15, 2018**

Information must be filled out by applicant. Read all instructions carefully before completing. Please type or print clearly.

<p><b>Personal Information</b></p> <p>_____ Name</p> <p>_____ Home Address</p> <p>_____ City _____ State</p> <p>_____ (_____) _____ Zip Phone</p> <p>Date of Birth ____/____/____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female</p> <p>Are you a JNESO Member? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <p>Local _____ Member Since _____</p>	<p><b>Union Affiliation</b></p> <p>1. _____ Name &amp; Relationship</p> <p>Union _____</p> <p>Local _____ Member Since _____</p> <p>2. _____ Name &amp; Relationship</p> <p>Union _____</p> <p>Local _____ Member Since _____</p> <p>3. _____ Name &amp; Relationship</p> <p>Union _____</p> <p>Local _____ Member Since _____</p>
<p><b>By June 2018, I will have completed</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> High School</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 1<sup>st</sup> year college <input type="checkbox"/> 3<sup>rd</sup> year college</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 2<sup>nd</sup> year college <input type="checkbox"/> 4<sup>th</sup> year college</p>	<p><b>In the fall of 2018, I plan to attend</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Community college or junior college</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> College or University</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Trade or technical school</p> <p>Intended major: _____</p>

**Eligibility**

1. Union members, spouses, and dependent children (as defined under IRS regulations).
  2. JNESO member in good standing.
  3. Acceptance into an accredited college, university, community college, or technical or trade school at the time of the award. Verification of current/ pending enrollment required.
  4. Applications must be postmarked by **February 15, 2018** in order to be considered.
- Applicants wishing to receive confirmation of receipt of their applications may send a self-addressed, stamped post card along with the application or provide an email address.

- JNESO will not advise applicants as to the status of their applications.
- Only winners will be sent notification on **March 30, 2018**

**Award Criteria**

Awards will be based on academic achievement and potential, character, leadership, social awareness, and career goals. Applications will be judged by a Scholarship Committee and members of the JNESO Board of Directors.

## Application Instructions

1. Application must be filled out by the applicant. Please type or print clearly.
2. All requirements must be met and all information must be completed in order for the application to be considered.
3. Enclose with your application two letters of reference from a teacher or other unrelated adult who is familiar with you achievements and abilities. **Applications without letters of reference will not be considered; do not send letters of reference separately.**
4. Attach an essay of no more than 500 words describing your career goals and aspirations. Highlight your relationship with the union and the labor movement, and explain why you are deserving of a union scholarship. **Applications without essays will not be considered; do not send essays separately.**
5. The union verification form must be signed by an officer of the member's local and submitted with the application. **Applications without union verification forms will not be considered; do not send union verification forms separately.**
6. Review and complete the scholarship application checklist and certification on this application.
7. Retain a copy of the completed application for your files.

### Educational Background

Name of Institution	Location of School (City/State)	Attendance Dates (Month/Year)	Major/Field	Degree/Diploma (Month/Year)	G.P.A. <u>Ex:3.9 G.P.A.</u>	Class Rank / Class Size

## Transcripts

Please supply a certified copy of your high school record transcript or if you have been enrolled in a college or trade school for at least one year, a certified transcript from your school. Scholarship awards are to be used during the 2018–2019 school year. **APPLICATIONS WITHOUT TRANSCRIPTS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED; DO NOT SEND TRANSCRIPTS SEPARATELY.**

## SAT or ACT Scores

Test taken: \_\_\_\_\_ Date taken: \_\_\_\_\_ Score: Verbal \_\_\_\_\_ Math \_\_\_\_\_ Total: \_\_\_\_\_

If no results, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

School to which you have been accepted / enrolled:

School: \_\_\_\_\_ Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Anticipated graduation date: \_\_\_\_\_

## Employment /Awards/ Activities

Please provide information on any employment you have held. Attach additional sheet if needed.

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Please provide information on any special honors or awards you have received.

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Please provide information on extracurricular or outside activities (clubs, sports, volunteer or professional associations) in which you have participated.

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## Checklist & Certification

Use this checklist to complete your application. All materials must be submitted with this application. Materials sent separately will not be considered. Your application will not be considered if it is incomplete.

- Complete all sections of the application.**
- Letters of reference.** Two sealed recommendation letters. Send the letters with the application in order to be considered.
- Essay.** The essay must be sent with the application in order to be considered.
- Union verification form.** Verification form must be sent with application in order to be considered.
- Certified copy of high school transcript** or, if enrolled in a college or trade school for at least one year, a certified transcript from your school.
- Return receipt postcard** (only if you want confirmation that your application was received). or Email: \_\_\_\_\_
- Review and sign the application.**
- Retain a copy** of the completed application for your file.

### Certification

I, the undersigned, certify that all of the information I have included in and with the application is true. I understand that if I am selected for an award, I may be required to submit further proof of my membership or my relationship to a union member and of my acceptance to or enrollment in a accredited college, community college, university or recognized trade school. Further, I understand that official verification will be required of my attained grades and test scores. I agree that if I am selected for an award, my name and/or photograph may be used for publicity purposes with no additional compensation by the sponsors of this scholarship program. I certify that I have read and understand the information above.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**ALL ITEMS ON CHECK LIST MUST BE COMPLETED AND/OR INCLUDED IN ORDER FOR APPLICATION TO BE CONSIDERED.**

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**Mail To: JNESO Scholarship Program  
1225 Livingston Ave.  
North Brunswick, NJ 08902**

## Union Membership Verification Form

This form must be completed by the applicant, verified by the union shop steward or local union representative, and submitted together with the application in order to qualify for a JNESO Scholarship.

Name of Scholarship Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Please type or print clearly)

### Union Member Verification:

I, \_\_\_\_\_ verify that I have been a member in good standing of  
Name of union member  
\_\_\_\_\_ Local \_\_\_\_\_ Since \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of union Month/Year

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of union member Date

### Shop Steward or Local Representative Verification:

I verify that the above information is true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of shop steward or local union representative Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print name of shop steward or local union representative Daytime phone number

**Attention Shop Steward or Local Union Representative:**  
This form is a required part of the JNESO Scholarship application package. Please complete it promptly and return it to applicant for submission. **Applications without this completed form will not be considered.**