



Lancaster Building Industry FOUNDATION

2026-2027

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

This scholarship application packet contains the materials necessary to apply for a scholarship from the Lancaster Building Industry Foundation – the charitable arm of the Building Industry Association of Lancaster County. This application must be completed and submitted by the applicant to the Foundation for review by the Foundation’s Scholarship Committee on or before April 30, 2026. All applicants must renew and resubmit their applications to the Foundation, as necessary, for reconsideration by the Foundation on an annual basis.

Applicants are hereby advised that any scholarship funds received which are not subsequently used for payment of educational fees and supplies in connection with Foundation-approved curriculum, such as the costs of tuition, books, and/or any other such educational supplies; must be promptly refunded by the applicant to the Foundation. Failure to do so will result in the pursuit by the Foundation of any and all legal remedies available to it to recover any such unused funds.

Please type or print all information on the application. Scholarships will be awarded regardless of an applicant’s race, religion, national origin, gender, age, veteran’s status, physical handicap or disability.

DEADLINE: April 30, 2026

**OBJECTIVE CRITERIA USED TO SELECT RECIPIENTS OF
SCHOLARSHIPS AND RULES FOR ELIGIBILITY FOR SCHOLARSHIPS**

1. Prior academic performance of applicant.
2. If currently enrolled in an academic program; the recipient must annually maintain a minimum grade point average of 2.00 in his or her major field of study.
3. Recipient must be enrolled in an accredited program.
4. The recipient's major field of study, continuing education or trade-related certification must be directly related to the **RESIDENTIAL BUILDING INDUSTRY**, including, but not limited, to the following building trades: electrical; plumbing; carpentry; cabinetmaking; HVAC; CADD; masonry; painting; sheet metal; mechanical; equipment operation; and safety management.
5. Recipient must reside in Lancaster County (permanent address).

PROCEDURES TO SUPERVISE USE OF SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS

1. When amounts are paid directly to an educational institution, the Foundation will require the educational institution to use the funds received exclusively for the education of a named recipient or exclusively for the tuition of a scholarship recipient chosen by the educational institution.
2. The Scholarship Committee will review the information required to be submitted by each recipient annually and for each academic term, as previously described.
3. The Foundation will aggressively seek refund from a recipient of any scholarship funds that are not used exclusively for tuition, books or supplies. Such efforts may include the withholding of all future disbursements, disqualification for future scholarships and appropriate legal action.

Unless indicated otherwise, all information requested in this application pertains to the applicant.

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Applicant's Full Name: _____

Permanent Address: _____ Town _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone () _____ Current Employer (if applicable): _____

Current Address:

Email Address: _____

EDUCATION

High School and College Information	Address	Dates Attended	Degree or Certificate Received

Were you a Foundation scholarship recipient in the past? Yes No If yes, when? _____

Name of educational or training institution you will be attending:

Identify course of study, program, certification or degree you are pursuing and how it relates to the residential building industry:

Number of credit hours enrolled for upcoming academic year: _____

Expected date of completion of course of study, program, certification or degree: _____

Anticipated total cost per year: Tuition/Fees \$ _____

Are you receiving any academic loans, scholarships, awards, grants or other financial aid? YES _____ NO _____

If YES, identify source, amount and date received or to be received below:

Loan, Scholarship, Award or Grant (Choose One)	Name of Source	Amount	Date Received

CAREER

Please provide a brief statement of your intended career path in the residential building industry after completion of your course of study:

REASONS FOR APPLICATION

Please provide a brief statement explaining why you need a scholarship from the Foundation:

REFERENCES

Two letters of recommendation are required, with at least one from an academic source if the applicant is currently a student.

Reference 1) Full Name: _____ Relationship to Applicant: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: () _____

Reference 2) Full Name: _____ Relationship to Applicant: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: () _____

OTHER INFORMATION

Please feel free to share in the space below, or on additional pages, any information that you think would be helpful to the Scholarship Committee, such as awards you have won, accomplishments you would like to share, or personal interests you have.

The information listed below must be attached to the completed application or the applicant will be disqualified from consideration.

- Copies of any **acceptance letters** from colleges or universities or other school.
- Your most recent **academic transcript** of grades **with official school seal**.
- Copies of two **Reference letters** (see page 4 for clarification).

The information supplied in and with this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I will inform the Foundation of any changes to the enclosed information or additional information that would be necessary so that this application is not misleading. I hereby give permission to the Lancaster Building Industry Foundation to use my name and photograph; or copies thereof. I understand that any photographs; or copies thereof will be used for the purposes of advertising and promoting the Lancaster Building Industry Foundation and its scholarship program.

Date of application

Signature of applicant



Parent/Guardian Signature (if a minor)

Send this completed form to:
Lancaster Building Industry Foundation
204 Butler Avenue, Suite 200
Lancaster, PA 17601
Phone: (717) 569-2674

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