

Northwest Arctic Borough

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Frank R. Ferguson Memorial Scholarship Application

The Frank R. Ferguson Scholarship Program was created in 1988 in recognition of the contributions made by Senator Ferguson in the Alaska State Legislature throughout his long career of public service to the residents of the state of Alaska and the Northwest Arctic Borough.

The Northwest Arctic Borough Code on the Frank R. Ferguson Memorial Scholarship Program can be found at https://www.codepublishing.com/AK/NWArcticBorough/#!/NWArcticBorough02/NWArcticBorough0260.html#2.60

Accredited academic school maximum individual awards per term:		Vocational or technical school maximum individual awards per training session:		Deadlines: Semester:	
Enrolled Credits	Award	Under two months:	Over two months:	Spring	January 15 th
1-2	\$250	\$1000	\$2000	Summer	June 1 st
3-5	\$500			Fall	August 15 th
6-8	\$1000				
9-11	\$1500			Vocational/Technical	
12+	\$2000			School: One	week prior to
				class start da	te.

COMPLETED APPLICATIONS AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS MUST BE SUBMITTED PRIOR TO OR ON THE DEADLINE. LATE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED FOR FUNDING.

In addition to a completed application, applicants are required to submit the following:

- □ **RESIDENCY:** Proof of residency in the Northwest Arctic Borough at the time of each application (voter registration, state Identification Card.)
- ☐ **TRANSCRIPTS:** Most recent unofficial transcripts. Student must maintain a 2.0 GPA or higher. GPA is based on the applicant's latest cumulative grades received.
- □ **BUDGET:** Use the Term Budget Forecast in this application OR provide a budget forecast from the school or technical institution.
- □ **REGISTRATION:** Proof of registration must show how many credits you are enrolled in for the upcoming term. This document must be directly from the school or your university account online. You may cut and paste your class list/ credit amount/ schedule onto a word document and submit with your application. The total of enrolled credits determines the individual award amount.
- ☐ **TWO LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION**: For new applicants.

SUBMIT COMPLETED APPLICATIONS TO THE NORTHWEST ARCTIC BOROUGH OFFICE

OR EMAIL TO SCHOLARSHIP@NWABOR.ORG

STUDENT INFORMATION Date of Birth: Full Name: Permanent Address: Email: Phone: PREVIOUS EDUCATION Name of your most recent school: Grade Point Average (GPA): **CURRENT SCHOOLING TERM BUDGET FORECAST** School Name: Tuition: School's Financial Aid Mailing Address: Fees: Books: Financial Aid Officer: Room: Financial Aid Email: Board: Total Enrolled Credits for the Term: Supplies: Major: Transportation: Other (Specify): Term Type: Quarter Semester Student Identification Number (SID): Other (Specify):

Statement of Correctness, Understanding and Authorization

Social Security Number:

Application Information. To the best of my knowledge and belief, I attest that the information contained in this application is true, correct, and complete. I understand that this application does not commit the organization to which I am applying to award an educational scholarship or to pay any cost incurred in the submission of this application. I also understand that the action taken by the appropriate approving committee is final.

Total:

Use of Funds. I understand that the proceeds of the educational scholarship, if approved, will be used to further my education in the certificate or degree program where I am enrolled as approved for this scholarship.

Unused Awards. I understand that the full amount or any portion thereof is to be refunded to the organization from which the scholarship was received if, for any reason, I am unable to use the award for which I am selected.

Certificate of Completion or Grade Transcripts. I understand that immediately upon completion of the semester, term, or training period, I must submit a copy of my unofficial grade transcripts and certificate(s) of completion to the organization from which the scholarship was received to verify completion of the courses of study during the semester or term for which the award was made.

Submission of Application. I understand that it is my responsibility, and not that of the organization, to obtain the necessary application materials from the participating organization to which I am applying and submit the completed application so that it is received in full before the deadline to receive full consideration for a scholarship.

Confidentiality. I understand that I must submit in writing my authorization for the participating organization's staff to release any information about me or my application prior to the release of any information to inquiries made by my legal guardians.

Release of Contact Information. I give the participating organization permission to release my name, address, email, school information and photograph for employment, education, and appropriate publications.

Acceptance. If selected as a recipient for a scholarship, I agree to accept that award in good faith.

I have read and understand the above "Statement of Correctness, Understanding and Authorization" and agree to abide by the terms and conditions of the award, if approved.

Signature Date