



MAINE BETTER TRANSPORTATION ASSOCIATION

Maine Maritime Academy

SCHOLARSHIP QUALIFICATIONS AND GUIDELINES

The Maine Better Transportation Association (MBTA) is a statewide, non-profit coalition that advocates for funding for Maine's transportation infrastructure. Members include organizations and individuals who plan, design, build, maintain and use Maine's transportation network. The MBTA believes that investment in transportation infrastructure is integral to improving Maine's economy.

MBTA has an Educational Foundation that awards scholarships to Maine residents pursuing transportation-related fields of study. The scholarship is open to any Maine student at MMA who is enrolled in a program in the transportation construction or engineering field. Preference may be given to students who grew up in Maine, or worked in the transportation or construction field, or who have shown other indications that construction or transportation is their career of choice.

1. MMA Scholarship Criteria:
 - Students must have completed high school or the equivalent, and be accepted or enrolled in a relevant program of study
 - Enrollment in a transportation-related field such as marine engineering, engineering technology, power engineering, vessel operations or other marine studies
 - Students with demonstrated financial need
2. Applicants are required to write an essay (minimum of 150 words) describing why they wish to pursue a transportation or construction-related career.
3. Applicants must include a transcript or send separately to MBTA, 146 State Street, Augusta, ME 04330.
4. Applications must be **received** by June 30, 2017 for the 2017-2018 academic year. Applications and required documents should be mailed to MBTA, 146 State Street, Augusta, ME 04330, or emailed to deanna@mbtaonline.org. If possible, please include a résumé.



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SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Please print clearly or type all information.

Name of Applicant: _____ Date of Birth ___/___/___

Cell No. _____ Home Phone: _____ Email: _____

Mailing Address _____

Father's Occupation: _____ Father's Income: \$ _____

Mother's Occupation: _____ Mother's Income: \$ _____

Family's Gross Income (all sources): _____

How much have you earned toward your education? _____

Have you received any scholarships/awards to be used for post-secondary education? Yes No

If yes, which ones:

List any jobs you have had in the past two years: (may be on attached résumé) _____

High School and Year Graduated: _____

School currently attending or accepted to: _____

Major: _____ Anticipated Degree & Graduation Year: _____

Other education: _____

Applicant's signature: _____ Date: _____

Please include a statement (minimum of 150 words) of your interest in transportation as a career. A transcript is required. Deadline for receipt of applications and all required documents is June 30, 2017 for the 2017-2018 academic year. Please use additional sheets if necessary. All information provided by applicants will remain strictly confidential.

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