

## WTS New Jersey High School Scholarship

The WTS New Jersey (WTS NJ) Transportation YOU Committee focuses on engaging high school students in the transportation or STEM related field. The Committee aims to provide exclusive opportunities connecting aspiring transportation professionals with real-world opportunities. The WTS NJ High School Scholarship is awarded to High School students wishing to pursue studies in transportation, engineering, science, or a related field who demonstrate leadership skills, ability, and interest.

The purpose of the WTS NJ High School Scholarship is to motivate and reward students who demonstrate innovation and leadership within the transportation industry. The transportation industry is ever changing, and the future will be dependent on the next generation of transportation professionals.

The WTS NJ High School Scholarship will be awarded to **one** student in the amount of **\$1,000**. The minimum criteria for selection are:

- a. Currently enrolled in High School.
- b. Plans to pursue a career in the transportation industry.
- c. Applicants must submit a video (2-3 minutes).
- d. Must be a NJ resident.

### **Video Criteria**

**Topic #1: Discuss the importance of investing in local and Statewide transportation projects and how it impacts your community.**

**Topic #2: Discuss how you plan to achieve your goals in pursuit of a career path within the transportation industry.**

- Video must be 2-3 minutes long
- Submission can be via video file or weblink (i.e., YouTube Link, etc.)
- Evaluations will be based on video's creativity, content, innovation, & impact

Application and video submission as well as any questions must be submitted to Transportation YOU Chair, Naa-Adzeley Addo-Garrison ([Naddo-Garrison@njtransit.com](mailto:Naddo-Garrison@njtransit.com))

Scholarships will be presented during the WTS NJ Annual Event in November 2024; attendance during the awards ceremony is strongly recommended. WTS NJ Annual Event registration for scholarship winners is complimentary. **Submission deadline is Friday, September 20th, 2024.**

# WTS NJ High School Scholarship Application

## I. Personal Information

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle

E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Current Address (Street, City, State, Zip):

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Permanent Address (Street, City, State, Zip):

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## II. Educational Background

Current High School \_\_\_\_\_ City, State \_\_\_\_\_

Expected Date of Graduation \_\_\_\_\_

Area of Concentration \_\_\_\_\_

Grade Point Average \_\_\_\_\_

Professional or School Affiliations (List any school, professional or community activities you have participated in. Include offices held and awards received. Attach additional sheets, if necessary, as typed word documents.)

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