



2025-2026 WTS HOT Chapter Application for Community College / Technical / Trade School Scholarship

WTS fosters the development of women in the transportation field by encouraging bright new professionals to undertake careers in transportation. One way it does this is by awarding community, technical, or trade college scholarships to women pursuing transportation- related study at community and trade colleges.

This scholarship is intended for students pursuing an associate or technical or trade school degree in transportation-related studies.

The WTS Junior College/Technical/Trade School Scholarship is \$2,500. The minimum criteria for selection are:

- GPA of 3.0 or higher
- Currently enrolled in a degree program in a transportation-related field.
- Plans to pursue a career in a transportation-related field.

Applications must be submitted through local WTS chapters as typed documents. Scholarships are competitive and based on the applicant's specific transportation goals, academic record, and transportation-related activities or job skills. Minority candidates are encouraged to apply. Membership within WTS is NOT a requirement but is highly encouraged. Local awards will be presented at the WTS HOT Chapter Gala in 2026 in Austin, Texas. National awards will be presented during the WTS Annual Conference in May 2026, and attendance during the awards ceremony is strongly recommended. Conference registration for scholarship winners is complimentary. Local chapters will assist with arrangements upon selection and may have additional requirements, such as personal interviews or higher GPA. Please contact your local WTS chapter at the address listed on the application for specifics.

Please submit your completed application and supporting documents in one envelope or by email in one PDF no later than 5 pm on Friday, November 21, 2025.

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Deadline: November 21, 2025

I. Personal Information

Name:			
	Last	First	Middle

Current Address:				
	Street			
	City	State	Zip	Telephone

E-mail address:	
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Permanent Address:				
	Street			
	City	State	Zip	Telephone

II. Educational Background

Current College or University:	
City, State:	

Expected Date of Graduation:		Degree to be Received:	
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Area of Concentration:	
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Grade Point Average:		(Minimum GPA of 3.0 is required. Attach an official copy of transcript.)
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List Previous Colleges/Universities Attended, Date, Degree Earned and GPA (Attach an official or unofficial transcript for each College/University listed to Application):

College/University:			
City, State			
Date Degree Earned:		GPA:	

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- List additional Colleges/Universities on a separate sheet, if necessary

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Professional or School Affiliations. List any school, professional or community activities you have participated in. Include offices held and awards received:

III. Employment History

Work Experience (List full-time, part-time, co-op and summer employment. Briefly describe duties and responsibilities.):

IV. Recommendation: Attached is a letter of recommendation from the following (print name of Professor or Job Supervisor)*:

V. Personal Statement: Please attach a personal statement about your career goals after graduation, highlighting your interest in transportation related field; relevant experiences and interests, and how this award will contribute to your ability to make a meaningful contribution in the transportation arena. Statement should not exceed 500 words. Please attach to application in a combined PDF document.

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VII. Proof of Enrollment:

Attach a copy of your tuition receipt or current registration card.

Printed Name:	

Signature:		Date:	
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NOTE: Please type or print in black ink on this form and provide all information requested neatly on separate sheet(s) (ie, resume, transcript(s), etc). Be sure your name and school appear clearly on each item submitted as part of your Application.

VII. Demographic Information: WTS is committed to recognizing the achievements of students pursuing transportation related degrees. To track our progress in reaching diverse applicants, we ask that you complete this confidential demographic information. This is not required for scholarship awards and will not be used in the selection process.

1. Race/Ethnicity (select all that apply)

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| ☐ Asian | ☐ Middle Eastern |
| ☐ Black | ☐ Multiracial |
| ☐ East Indian | ☐ Pacific Islander |
| ☐ Hispanic/Latino | ☐ White |
| ☐ Indigenous | ☐ Choose not to disclose |
| ☐ Other (please write in) | |

2. Age

- ☐15-18
- ☐19-23
- ☐24-30
- ☐31-50
- ☐50+

3. Anticipated or Current Mode of Transportation Career Focus (select all that apply)

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| ☐ Aviation | ☐ Multi-modal |
| ☐ Freight | ☐ Non-Motorized |
| ☐ Highway/Auto | ☐ Passenger |
| ☐ Maritime/Port | ☐ Transit/Rail |
| ☐ Connected/Automated | ☐ Other (please write in) |

4. How did you hear about this scholarship

- ☐Friend
- ☐School/Teacher
- ☐Social Media (please write in)
- ☐WTS Chapter
- ☐WTS International Website
- ☐Other (please write in)