

To: Scholarship Applicant  
From: Jerry Bonagofsky, CEO  
Subject: Scholarship Application

It is with pleasure that we send you the enclosed application. In partnership with the WCLA Credit Union, WCLA, Inc. will grant a number of scholarship awards in the minimum amount of \$500. Eligibility requirements are as follows:

1. Active and Honorary members of the Washington Contract Loggers Association, Inc. in good standing and their children or grandchildren.
2. Employees of members in good standing and their children.
3. Dependent family members of Washington Contract Loggers Association, Inc. staff who have been employed by WCLA a minimum of five years.
4. Those meeting the above eligibility requirements who will be attending a community college, university, graduate school, or vocational school.
5. Two reference forms are included with each application and are to be completed by one personal and one academic reference. An application will be considered incomplete unless the two references are attached and submitted with your application.
6. Scholarship winners will be asked to submit a scholarship award form, including their name, social security or student id number and the contact information for the Office of Financial Aid for the school they will be attending. The scholarship will be sent directly to the recipient's school and deposited into the student's account. If a recipient does not attend school for the year the scholarship is awarded, the total amount of the scholarship will be returned to the Washington Contract Loggers Association.

The WCLA, Inc. Scholarship Application process is a COMPETITION and application requirements must be met before it will be considered. **Your application and recommendations must be returned to the WCLA office no later than April 1, 2026.**

Winners are notified at the end of April, and a list of winning recipients will appear in the May issue of the Springboard magazine.