Home Builders Care of Fargo-Moorhead Foundation 2016

High School Scholarship Application



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Home Builders Care of Fargo-Moorhead Foundation is a charitable organization created by the Home Builders Association of Fargo-Moorhead. Home Builders Care of Fargo-Moorhead Foundation provides a positive outlet for the housing industry to give back to the community, building a framework for the future.



Home Builders Care of Fargo-Moorhead Foundation (HBC), charitable organization of the Home Builders Association of Fargo-Moorhead (HBA of F-M), is pleased to announce the availability of its annual scholarships.



Application Process

All scholarship applicants must:

- Submit the official HBC application form found on page three.
- Include a copy of your most recent student transcript. Unofficial copies are accepted.
- Plan to enroll in residential construction trades or a related field (i.e., plumbing, electrical, building construction technology, construction management, heating/air conditioning, etc.) at Minnesota State Community and Technical College (M State) in Moorhead or North Dakota State College of Science (NDSCS) in Wahpeton within eighteen (18) months of graduation.
- Provide three letters of recommendation. The letters should be mailed separately to the Home Builders
 Care of Fargo-Moorhead Foundation, 1802 32nd Ave. S., Fargo, ND 58103. Applicants are encouraged to
 include letters from sources outside of their high school.
- Include a brief description of your financial situation. This should include financial aid, grants, scholarships etc., you have received.
- Include up to a two-page typewritten statement of the following:
 - 1. Education objectives (both short and long-term).
 - 2. Job shadowing experience (if applicable).
 - 3. Information concerning the applicant's construction work experiences and/or related courses to the construction industry.
 - 4. Any honors or awards received while in high school.
 - 5. Career goals beyond post-secondary education.
 - 6. Description of course(s), experience or individual(s) that have influenced applicant's interest in this career field, and why or how the applicant has been influenced.

Awards

Scholarship amounts can vary. Depending on the applicants, one or more awards may be issued. The awarded funds will be held until the student has graduated from high school and proof of enrollment at M State or NDSCS is provided to the Home Builders Care of Fargo-Moorhead Foundation. Proof of enrollment must be provided to HBC within 18 months of graduation or the scholarship will be forfeited.

Judging

A scholarship evaluation committee consisting of HBC board trustees, HBA board directors, HBA members and staff, and Student Chapter advisors will determine recipients of scholarship awards based on information in the application packet. Applicants will be evaluated using a point system based on the items shown at right. Applications that do not contain all requested information will not be considered.

Applications will be judged on a point-based system Academic standing10	
Objectives15	
-Education objectives	
-Job shadowing	
-Work-related experience	
-Construction-related courses	
-Career goals	
Financial Need 5	points
Overall application10	points
Total Points 40	points

Home Builders Care of Fargo-Moorhead Foundation does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, creed, age, sex, national origin, genetic testing information, ancestry, marital status, pregnancy, disability, military or veteran status, affectional or sexual orientation, status with regard to public assistance, participation in lawful conduct or any other characteristic protected under federal state or local law.

Note: Awards will be announced at the HBA of F-M Awards Gala and Annual Meeting. Event details will be provided to all applicants.



Home Builders Care of Fargo-Moorhead Foundation High School Scholarship Application Form



Please complete and return this application to the Home Builders Care of Fargo-Moorhead Foundation office at 1802 32nd Ave. S., Fargo, ND 58103 by 4:30 p.m., Friday, Sept. 30, 2016.

Incomplete applications will not be considered.

Eligibility:

- Applicant must be a U.S. citizen and a student enrolled in high school.
- Throughout each individual's academic career, each student is eligible to receive a total of four awards from the HBC Foundation encompassing high school, technical schools and universities.

1.	High School:		
2.	Name:		
	Name:First Name	Middle Initial	Last Name
3.	Home Address:		
		Street	City/State/Zip Code
4.	Email Address:		Phone:
5.	Expected Date of Graduation:		
6.	Cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA):	
7.	Name of Parent(s)/ Guardian(s):		
8.	Mailing Address:		
	Mailing Address:(if different than above)	Street	City/State/Zip Code
lf y	you are awarded a scholarship, we can	send a press release to your hom	etown newspaper if you desire.
9.	Hometown Newspaper Name:		
	Phone Number:		
	Email:		
10	. Please indicate if you have worked		s. A full list can be found at
	www.hbafm.com/findamember:		
11.	. I grant permission to Home Builder	s Care of Fargo-Moorhead Fou	indation to use my picture and name
	in any format promoting scholarship	ps. the Foundation and HBA of	F-M. Initials:
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Please see **page two** for additional items needed to complete this application. Be sure to carefully read the section titled "Application Process."

Applicants will be evaluated on presentation, format and completeness of application materials. Applicants will be evaluated using a point system based on the items shown on the bottom of page two. Applications that do not contain all requested information will not be considered for scholarship funds.

Please see **page four** for a checklist of all materials needed and tips for a complete application. Use this to make sure your application will be competitive.

Application Checklist

To ensure that your application is considered, make sure all these				
items are included:				
Official application form found on page three.				
A copy of your student transcript through your last completed semester.				
Three letters of recommendation (mailed separately).				
Description of financial situation.				
Two-page typewritten statement with requested information.				
Tips for a competitive application:				
Use spellcheck.				
Use correct grammar.				
Have someone proofread your application.				

Questions?

Contact Jenny at the Home Builders Care of Fargo-Moorhead Foundation at (701) 232-5846 or jenny@hbcfm.com.

