



## WTS Transportation YOU High School Scholarship

WTS fosters the development of women and girls in the transportation field by encouraging bright new professionals and students to undertake careers in the area of transportation. One way it does this is by awarding the WTS Transportation YOU High School Scholarship to girls pursuing high school studies in science, technology, engineering, and math.

*Transportation YOU* is a hands-on, interactive, mentoring program that offers young girls ages 13-18 an introduction to a wide variety of transportation careers. Through the Transportation YOU program and this scholarship, WTS chapters work to make a difference in the lives of young girls by offering opportunities and activities that will spark their interest in all modes of transportation and encourage them to take courses in math, science, and technology, which are the stepping stones to exciting careers that can change the face of the transportation industry.

The WTS Wisconsin Chapter Transportation YOU High School Scholarship is in the amount of \$500. Winners are eligible for the national scholarship of \$1,000. The minimum criteria for selection are:

- a. Applicant must be a high school senior.
- b. GPA of 3.0 or higher.
- c. Currently studying math, science, and technology.
- d. Considering a college degree in a transportation-related field

Applications must be submitted through local WTS chapters as typed **Word documents**. Scholarships are competitive and based on the applicant's specific transportation goals, academic record, and transportation-related activities or job skills. National awards will be presented during the WTS Annual Conference on May 17, 2018, and attendance at the awards dinner is strongly recommended. Local chapters may have additional requirements, such as personal interviews or higher GPA. Please send your questions and final submissions to [wts.wisconsin@gmail.com](mailto:wts.wisconsin@gmail.com). **Submissions will be accepted until 11:59 P.M. on Friday, December 1, 2017.**

# WTS Transportation YOU High School Scholarship Application

## I. Personal Information

Name:

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Last

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First

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Middle

**E-mail address:** \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Phone:

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Current Address

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(Street, City, State, Zip):

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

## II. Educational Background

Current High School: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

(Minimum GPA of 3.0 required. Attach official copy of transcript to application.)

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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. Attach additional sheets, if necessary, as typed Word documents.):

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**III. Recommendation:** Letter of recommendation by a teacher, counselor, or principal must accompany your application.

**IV. Personal Statement:** A statement about your goals to pursue studies in STEM areas (science, technology, engineering, or math) while in college and why you think that you should receive the scholarship award. Statement should not exceed 500 words. Please attach as a Word document to application form.

Applicant Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian  
Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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