

Program Description

In 2012, one (1) one-year \$1,000 scholarship will be awarded to a dependent of members of the Teamsters Union Local 407. Recipient will be selected by Cleveland Scholarship Programs (CSP). Scholarships will be awarded based on the applicant's scholastic record, results of college admittance tests (i.e. ACT or SAT), community involvement, employment history, and recommendations from individuals familiar with the applicant. Financial need will not be a consideration.

Who is Eligible

Current high school graduates who are dependents of members are eligible to apply. Members must be in good standing and have been an active member for at least one (1) year.

The Teamsters member must be in good standing the day this application is submitted to CSP and the day awards are announced.

Eligible Institutions

Institutions receiving scholarship awards through this program must be recognized as Pell-eligible. Additionally, the institution must be an accredited degree-granting four-year college or university, two-year community college or technical school.

How to Apply

Complete the application form and attach any required documents such as school transcript, letters of recommendation, essay, and SAT or ACT test scores. Announcement of the scholarship will be made during the **May 2012 monthly meeting**.

Applications must be mailed to and received by May 11, 2012 :

College Now Greater Cleveland
Attn: Teamsters' Truck Drivers Union Local 407
BP Tower, Suite 3820
200 Public Square
Cleveland, OH 44114

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Outside Cleveland 1-800-NEED-AID (633-3243)
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Scholarship Qualifications

To qualify for a Teamsters Union Local 407 Scholarship, graduating high school seniors must have maintained a minimum of a 2.5 grade point average (based on a 4.0 scale) during his/her high school or years. Additionally, the applicant must fulfill test score requirements of 21 ACT or 1010 SAT or higher.

Selection of Recipients

- The Teamsters Union Local 407 Scholarship will be administered by CSP.
- To ensure objectivity, the selection of the scholarship recipient will be made by a selection committee of individuals with extensive backgrounds in secondary and post-secondary education, as well as long experience in selecting scholarship recipients for similar corporate sponsored and other scholarship programs. The CSP selection committee will have no affiliation whatsoever with Teamsters Union Local 407.
- Teamsters Union Local 407 reserves the right to make changes to or discontinue this program at any time.

Scholarship Payment

- The scholarship may be applied to payment of tuition, room, board and other educational expenses such as books, fees, etc. as approved by CSP.
- The monies will be paid directly to the eligible educational institution by CSP on behalf of the Teamsters Union Local 407 Scholarship Program at the beginning of the academic year.

Obligations of Scholarship Winners

Traditional scholarship winners are required to enroll full-time in a course of study at a four-year accredited college or university, two-year community college or technical school. All institutions must be Pell-eligible. Teamsters Truck Drivers Union Local 407 will award one (1) \$1,000 non-renewable scholarships for academic year 2012-2013. The first disbursement will be sent at the start of the fall semester. Subsequent disbursements will be made upon receipt of student's college grade report and proof of enrollment.

2012 Teamsters Union Local 407 Scholarship Program Application Form

Personal Data (please type or print)

Last Name	First Name	Home Telephone Number	
Street Address	City	State	Zip
Date of Birth	Sex (M) (F)	Social Security Number	
Name of parent member of Teamsters		Parent's Social Security Number	
Home address of parent (<i>if different from that of the student</i>)		E-mail (Mandatory)	

Activities

List all activities you have engaged in during your high school and/or post high school, including out-of-school activities (e.g., Scouting, 4-H, church organizations), in-school activities (e.g., music, theater, publications, student government) and community service.

Activity	Special Honors or Offices Held	Years of Participation

What recognition have you received for outstanding schoolwork? Include any honors, prizes, and scholarships.

Employment

List your employment/jobs you have held during high school or post high school.

Company	Type of Work	From Mo/Yr	To Mo/Yr	Hours Per Week

(If you need more space, please attach a separate sheet.)

In what community college, four-year college or technical school do you plan to enroll? (Your choice will not affect your chance of being awarded this scholarship.)

	Have You Been Accepted
First Choice _____	Yes _____ No _____
Second Choice _____	Yes _____ No _____
Third Choice _____	Yes _____ No _____

Essay

To assist the selection committee in knowing you better, please attach an essay (maximum 500 words) stating why you feel you should receive a Teamsters Union Local 407 Scholarship. Write about your purpose in going to college, your career objectives and future goals and how your parent's involvement with the Union has influenced you.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

CATEGORY	APPLICATION	TRANSCRIPT	ESSAY	SAT OR ACT SCORES	RECOMMENDATIONS *
High School Senior	Yes	Yes – High School	Yes	Yes	Teacher and one additional (see below)

***Additional recommendation(s) should be from an individual(s) familiar with your academic achievement, community service activities or job/work performance and work habits. (Not from family members.)**

Certification: I certify that all statements and information contained in this application are true and correct, that I have read and understand the requirements of the Teamsters Union Local 407 Scholarship Program, and that I believe I am eligible to compete for a scholarship.

Signature of Applicant

Date

The following is to be completed by applicant's high school administrator, counselor or principal.

This to certify that _____ has attended _____

Located in _____ from _____ to _____

And graduated _____ or will graduate month/year _____

Applicant ranks exactly _____ approximately _____ in a class of _____

Cumulative high school grade point average on a **4.0 scale**: _____ (*attach copy of high school transcript*).

Results of SAT or ACT college admission tests

A copy of the test results should accompany this form, if available. Otherwise please record applicant's highest test scores below:

Name of Test	Date Administered	Point Score	Combined or Composite
Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT)	_____	V-____ M-____	_____
American College Testing Program (ACT)	_____		_____

I attest that the information provided by me is true and accurate, to the best of my knowledge.

Signature of administrator, counselor or principal

Date

Telephone Number of administrator, counselor or principal

Mail completed application to:

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c/o College Now Greater Cleveland
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200 Public Square
Cleveland, OH 44114**