

## 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 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 Transportation YOU High School Scholarship is \$500. 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 career 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. Minority candidates are encouraged to apply. Local awards will be presented on April 4, 2014, and national awards will be presented on May 15, 2014. Attendance at both awards dinners is strongly recommended.

Please return the completed application to:

Kelsey Ahern c/o Cambridge Systematics, Inc. 10415 Morado Circle, Bldg II, Suite 340 Austin, Texas 78759 <u>kahern@camsys.com</u>

Applications can be submitted either electronically or in hard copy form and must be received <u>no later than November 4, 2013</u>.

## **Transportation YOU High School Scholarship Application**

## I. Personal Information

Name		
Last	First	Middle
E-mail		
address		
Primary Phone ()		
Current Address (Street, Cit	ty, State, Zip):	
Permanent Address (Street	, City, State, Zip):	
II. Educational Backgrou	nd	
Current High School	City	/, State
Expected Date of Graduation	•	,,
Area of Concentration		
Grade Point Average		
U	ed, and a copy of your transc	cript must be included with the
		are selected as the recipient, an
official copy must be submitted	d prior to receiving the award	l.)

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.)

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

**IV. Personal Statement**: A statement about your career goals after graduation and why you think that you should receive the scholarship award. Statement should not exceed 500 words or two pages. Please attach as a word document to application form.

**V. Proof of Enrollment**: Attach a copy of your tuition receipt or current registration card.

Signature	Date
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Parent/Guardian	
Signature	Date