

Delaware Valley Section Scholarship Program Award Criteria

1. Applications must be received by November 1, 2008 for consideration.
2. Over \$5000 in scholarship funds are expected to be distributed in 2009 with a minimum award of \$500 to the successful applicants.
3. **Eligibility:**
 - a. The applicant must be a citizen of the United States or have permanent resident status.
 - b. The applicant must be enrolled in, or planning to enroll in the fall in, a four-year college program leading to a bachelor's degree in a program related to the Highway Design and Construction industry, preferably civil engineering.
 - c. Preference is given to students who have not previously received a scholarship from ASHE-DVS.
 - d. Applicants in high school must submit copies of SAT scores, and high school transcripts. College students must submit their most recent college transcripts, unofficial copies are acceptable, including grades for the most recent semester completed.
4. **Evaluation:** Each applicant will be evaluated on a point system as follows:
 - a. Performance Factors - 20 points maximum
High school seniors will be rated on their SAT. The verbal score will count a maximum of 8 points and the math score will count a maximum of 12 points.
College students will be rated on the cumulative grade point average at the time they apply for the scholarship.
 - b. Evaluation of Applicant - 80 points maximum
Evaluation of the applicant's activities and honors, work experience (past and upcoming for this summer) leadership positions and distinguishing qualifications (40 points maximum) Evaluation of career goals, based on content, clarity of ambitions, grammar, spelling and neatness (40 points maximum).
 - c. Bonuses – 10 points each
ASHE dependent
No previous award
Permanent Resident of Bucks, Chester, Delaware, Philadelphia, or Montgomery Counties
Attend College in Bucks, Chester, Delaware, Philadelphia, or Montgomery Counties
5. Candidates that are selected to receive a scholarship may be invited for an interview with the selection committee to determine the amount of the scholarship. The interview would be held in the King of Prussia area in December 2008.
6. The application form is available as an Excel spreadsheet at www.reg6ashe.org/delval.htm
7. All applications should be sent to:

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