



NATIONAL CONFECTIONERY SALES ASSOCIATION 2012 SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

The National Confectionery Sales Association takes great pleasure in offering educational assistance by awarding five \$2,500 scholarships totaling \$12,500 for 2012. These scholarships are available to students entering as full-time, degree-seeking freshmen in the fall or presently enrolled in accredited college, university, vocational or technical institutions.

QUALIFICATION PARAMETERS

1. Applicant must be the child or grandchild of a NCSA member in good standing.
Note: One award only, per year, per family.
2. Student must be committed to achieving a higher level of education to prepare them for gainful employment.
3. Student will be judged on these factors: scholarship, civic, charitable and other notable achievements. Student must demonstrate a sense of purpose and desire to succeed. All elements will be evaluated equally. No one element will count more than another in the final selection. The objective is to select well-rounded, worthy candidates.
4. Verification of enrollment and nature of school accreditation **MUST** accompany application.
 - a. For new students, verification of enrollment and the nature of school accreditation must be provided prior to issuance of the scholarship.
 - b. For continuing students, verification of enrollment, attendance and the nature of school accreditation must accompany the application.
5. A supporting letter from a school administrator or faculty member familiar with the applicant, addressing the student's dedication, attitude and grades **MUST** accompany application.
6. Previous winners cannot reapply.

ALL OF THE ABOVE QUALIFICATIONS MUST BE MET FOR YOUR APPLICATION TO BE CONSIDERED.

AWARD SELECTION

1. Applications and supporting school letter must be post-marked no later than **April 13, 2012**.
2. Applications will be reviewed and winners selected by a committee of professional educators knowledgeable of the selection criteria. *Note: No member of the NCSA is involved in the selection process.*
3. The objective is to select worthy candidates, from academic and vocational or technical institutions.
4. Winners will be announced during the NCSA Annual Meeting, October 19 to 21, 2012, in Tampa, FL.
5. If you have submitted an application in the past and were not chosen, you may resubmit an application.