



**APPLICATION FOR STUDENT AID
AND APPLICABLE TUITION, FEES, BOOKS AND SUPPLIES**
Application Deadline ♦ March 9, 2009

Who is Eligible:

- Applicants must be residents of Coos, Douglas, or Lane County.
- Applicants must have the intention to major in a **natural resources related field**.

Eligible Institutions:

- Eligible institutions include any public or private accredited post-secondary institution in Oregon or out-of-state.

Application Procedure:

- Complete the Douglas Timber Operators' Scholarship Application Form.
- Attach an official transcript of all high school course work through 1st semester of senior year including current GPA and/or transcript of all college courses taken. Please be sure SAT and/or ACT results are included.
- **Applications must be received by March 9, 2009.**
- Include three letters of recommendation.
- Mail applications to:
Douglas Timber Operators, Inc.
Attn: Scholarship Committee
3000 Stewart Parkway, Suite 208
Roseburg, OR 97470

Selection:

- The Douglas Timber Operators' Scholarship Committee will select recipients. Applicants will be evaluated according to academic achievement, participation in school and community service activities, a written personal statement by the applicant, student needs and letters of recommendation.
- The Douglas Timber Operators' Scholarship Committee will schedule an interview with the finalists on Saturday, April 18, 2009 (date subject to change), in Roseburg. In case of an interview, each finalist will be asked to respond to specific questions and may be asked to clarify their responses to previously completed application form and written statement.

Award Notification:

- The Douglas Timber Operators' Scholarship recipients will be selected no later than April 30, 2009. Notification will occur soon after that date.

Amount of the Award:

- There will be at least two awards given of \$1,000 or \$1,500 for educational cost. "Educational cost" includes tuition, fees and books. These awards will be given to at least one high school student continuing on to college and one currently enrolled college student.

Disbursement:

- A scholarship check in the student's name will be forwarded to the institution prior to the beginning of the fall quarter/semester.

Checklist:

- Application
- Three letters of recommendation
- Copy of official transcript through 1st semester senior year and/or transcript of college coursework.



SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

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College for which application is intended

Field of Study (Major)

PART I – PERSONAL DATA

Applicant's Name: _____
Last First Middle

Address: _____
Street Address City State Zip

Phone Number: _____ **Birthdate:** _____

Applicant's Marital Status: Married Single Divorced Separated
Number of Dependents: _____

For students dependent upon parents or guardians

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| Guardian/Father's Name: _____ | |
| Address: _____ | Occupation: _____ |
| Guardian/Mother's Name: _____ | |
| Address: _____ | Occupation: _____ |
| Total number of family members living at your home: _____ Number of brothers and/or sisters: _____ | |
| Number in school: elementary/middle _____ high _____ college _____ | |
| Others who are dependent upon your parents for support: _____ | |
| _____ | |
| Parents' annual gross income: \$0- \$15,000 _____ \$15,000 - \$30,000 _____ | |
| \$30,000 - \$45,000 _____ \$45,000 - \$60,000 _____ \$60,000+ _____ | |

High School Accumulated GPA: _____ College Accumulated GPA: _____

PART II – APPLICANT’S FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Please complete the following financial statement. The scholarship committee does not wish to penalize those students whose industry and careful planning have been a consideration for future college attendance.

INCOME:

- 1. Savings to date \$ _____
- 2. Expected earnings from this summer’s work \$ _____
- 3. Expected contribution from parents \$ _____
- 4. Other sources: (gifts, other scholarships, loans, etc.) please list below:
 - a. _____ \$ _____
 - b. _____ \$ _____
 - c. _____ \$ _____
 - d. _____ \$ _____

TOTAL ESTIMATED INCOME \$ _____

ANTICIPATED ANNUAL EXPENSES:

- 1. Tuition and fees \$ _____
- 2. Books and supplies \$ _____
- 3. Room and board \$ _____
- 4. Personal expenses (laundry, travel, etc.) \$ _____
- 5. Other _____ \$ _____

TOTAL ESTIMATED EXPENSES \$ _____

- Please explain below any special circumstances, personal or financial, that would assist the scholarship committee in evaluating your application:

PART III – ACTIVITIES RECORD

1. School Activities:

List school activities such as memberships in school organizations, offices held, memberships on committees, athletic participation, etc. Include any awards or special recognition received:

2. Out-of-School Activities:

List activities not school connected, such as community, civic and service activities, church groups, work experience, etc. Include any awards or special recognition received:

PART IV – PLANS AND PERSONAL STATEMENT

The Scholarship Committee is especially interested in your ability to organize your thinking and express yourself. In the space below, write a statement indicating your chosen field of study. Please state your reason for this choice. Describe the relationship between your choice of field of study and your future vocational and personal goals. Include pertinent experiences, activities, and accomplishments. You may add one additional page if necessary.

I hereby certify that:

1. I will be a full time student as established by the college.
2. This assistance, if granted, will be used only to pay tuition, fees, books and supplies.
3. I promise to promptly inform the Financial Aid office of any significant changes in the information I have submitted as part of this application.
4. I agree to make a brief presentation at a Douglas Timber Operators Breakfast Meeting to include where I plan to attend college, my field of study and my career plans The information contained in this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.
5. I've attached an official transcript of all high school course work through 1st semester of senior year including current GPA and/or transcript of all college courses taken. SAT and/or ACT results are also included.
6. I've included the 3 letters of recommendation.
7. The information contained in this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature of Applicant: _____ Date: _____