

International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, Local 153, Scholarship

PURPOSE AND INFORMATION:

The International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, Local 153, Scholarship provides support to biological or dependent children (as determined by the IRS) including step-children who live more than 50 percent of the time in the household of active union members in good standing who are contributing to the Electrical Industry Advancement Fund. If insufficient applicants are gathered from this group, IU South Bend will consider biological grandchildren and then current spouses (in that order) of active union members in good standing.

CRITERIA

Applicants must:

- (a) Be formally admitted to IU South Bend
- (b) Must enroll either full or part-time in an undergraduate degree program, including an associate or bachelor's degrees.

To assist in choosing the most qualified recipients, candidates should provide the following to IBEW by **March 15:**

- a) A completed scholarship application (attached)
- b) Most recent high school and or college transcripts, if applicable
- c) A 500 to 750 word essay discussing the impact and benefits labor unions have provided them and their families

Recipients will be selected on the basis of previous academic record and analysis of the submitted essay. The scholarship will award up to 30 percent of the per credit hour tuition cost of attendance at IU South Bend. Scholarships will be announced by **April 30** and awarded the following fall term.

RENEWAL

Scholarships may be renewed after the first year of attendance if the scholarship recipient maintains satisfactory academic progress by maintaining a 2.0 (C) GPA. Recipients will be awarded the scholarship for the reasonable amount of time needed to complete their degree program if they remain active as a part- or full-time student. Renewal applicants must submit a letter describing academic progress throughout the year and a current transcript indicating maintenance of the 2.0 GPA requirement.

Application materials for the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, Local 153, Scholarship must be submitted by **March 15** to:

Office of Student Scholarships
Administration Building Room 151
1700 Mishawaka Avenue
South Bend, IN 46634

OR IBEW, Local 153, Scholarship Fund
1345 Northside Boulevard
South Bend, IN 46615

**International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, Local 153
2009-2010 Scholarship Application**

Section 1: To be completed by applicant

Name: _____

Social Security #: _____ Student ID #: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone (day): _____ (evening): _____ E-mail: _____

High school attended: _____ Dates: _____

College or university attended: _____ Dates: _____

Anticipated # of CREDITS in which you plan to enroll during the following semesters:

Fall: _____ Spring _____ Summer I: _____ Summer 2: _____

Applicant signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Section 2: To be completed by related union member

Name: _____ Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone (day): _____ (evening): _____

Relationship to applicant: _____

Union card number: _____

Union member signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Submit this application, copies of high school or college transcripts and the essay by
March 15 to:

Office of Student Scholarships
Indiana University South Bend
1700 Mishawaka Avenue
South Bend, IN 46634
(574) 520-4483

OR IBEW, Local 153, Scholarship Fund
1345 Northside Boulevard
South Bend, IN 46615
(574) 287-8655

