

2014 LA County Air Show STEM Scholarship – Criteria and Instructions

The Los Angeles (LA) County Air Show, Inc. is a California corporation, IRS 501 (c)(3) non-profit dedicated to promoting the importance of aviation for continued economic growth and supporting educational pursuits and scholarships in the areas of Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM).

CRITERIA

The LA County Air Show will be awarding five (5) individual scholarships in the amount of \$1,000 to graduating high school seniors planning to enroll in college/university level studies in a Science, Technology, Engineering, or Mathematics field starting in the Fall 2014 semester.

Applicants must be high school students that either (1) attend school full-time in Los Angeles County or (2) live primarily in Los Angeles County and attend school elsewhere.

The scholarship applicant must be able to demonstrate via transcripts a grade point average (GPA) of 3.0 or higher (adjusted to a 4.0 scale).

Qualified applicants must attend or be admitted to a college or university on a full-time basis by the Fall 2014 semester or equivalent. Proof of attendance via a tuition bill will be required prior to the disbursement of scholarship funds to the applicant.

INSTRUCTIONS

Part 1: Applicant Information

- Complete the application form, print, sign, and scan as required
- Applications must be CLEAR and LEGIBLE for consideration
- Applicants under the age of 18 as of June 6, 2014 must provide the additional Parent or Guardian information and secure the Parent or Guardian's signature on the completed application form

Part 2: Scholastic Record

- Complete Part 2 of the application by entering the applicant's high school GPA (adjusted to a 4.0 scale)
- Provide transcripts from each high school attended and from any college at which supplemental courses may have been completed

Part 3: Extracurricular Activities

- Provide a list detailing the applicant's involvement in extracurricular activities
- Indicate the level/extent and timeframe of involvement, including any leadership roles

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• May be submitted as a list with short descriptions or as a résumé

Part 4: Essay

- Prepare an original essay responding to the question stated in Part 4 of the application
- The essay must be typed handwritten essays will result in disqualification of the applicant
- Essay length and formatting must be in conformance with the specifications provided on the application

Submittal:

- All application components must be consolidated into a single e-mail with one or more attachments
- Sending application components in separate e-mails will result in disqualification of the applicant
- Applications must be received by 5pm on Friday, June 6, 2014
- Applications must be sent via e-mail to: LosAngelesCountyAirShow@yahoo.com
 - Subject line must be, "Scholarship Application: [Last Name, First Name]"
 - Attachments must be in .DOC or .PDF formats only