

ARTHUR S. JOHNSON SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

NCC Will Award Four (4) \$1,000 Scholarships in 2012!

SUBMIT THIS APPLICATION TO: NORTHWEST COMMUNICATIONS COOPERATIVE
ATTN: JILENE ZERR
PO BOX 38
RAY, ND 58849-0038

DEADLINE: This application must be received in our office in Ray before 5:00 p.m. on March 16, 2012.

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT ALL ANSWERS:

_____	_____	_____	
(Last Name)	(First Name)	(NCC Member Telephone #)	
_____		_____	_____
(Address)		(City)	(State) (Zip)
_____		_____	
(High School)		(High School Graduation Date)	
_____		_____	
(Name of Parent(s) or Legal Guardian)		(Address if Different)	

Two or four year accredited college/university you plan to attend or are attending: _____

_____ Intended field/major: _____

ELIGIBILITY: This scholarship is available to graduating high school seniors *and* students who are attending a two or four year accredited college or university. Previous winners of this scholarship are **not** eligible to apply.

Your parents or legal guardian must be members of *and* receiving **local exchange telephone service** from Northwest Communications Cooperative.

On the reverse side, or on a separate sheet of paper, list your participation in both school and community activities. **When using a separate sheet of paper, you must follow the format on the reverse side for listing the years and dates of your participation in school and community activities.**

On plain white paper, type (double space) a one-page essay on one of the three topics listed on the attached page. **The essay will be judged on title, content, grammar, and paragraph form.** (Do not put your name on the essay paper. Do not reference your city location or where you are attending school. It should be completely anonymous.)

Attach a copy of your *official* High School transcript (including your Senior grades), your *official* College transcript if you are attending college, and a copy of your ACT test results. **Your official senior High School transcript with seven semester grades must be included (Freshman through 1/2 of Senior year).**

Your scholarship application will be judged on: (1) academics, (2) ACT scores, (3) extra High School activities, (4) community/volunteer/employment activities, and (5) essay paper.

****ANY MISSING INFORMATION WILL BE CONSIDERED AN INCOMPLETE APPLICATION AND WILL BE DISQUALIFIED BY THE SCHOLARSHIP SELECTION COMMITTEE.**

I understand my application will be considered in confidence. The scholarship selection committee for this scholarship has permission to view my academic records from school officials.

_____ (Student Signature) _____ (Date)

LIST ACTIVITY PARTICIPATION IN BOTH SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY.

<p align="center">SCHOOL ACTIVITIES (include organizational involvement, sports, leadership, science or math fairs, academic activities, music, etc.)</p>	<p align="center">Circle the high school year(s) that you participated in each activity.</p>
Sports:	Fr So Jr Sr
	Fr So Jr Sr
	Fr So Jr Sr
	Fr So Jr Sr
	Fr So Jr Sr
Music:	Fr So Jr Sr
	Fr So Jr Sr
	Fr So Jr Sr
Academic:	Fr So Jr Sr
	Fr So Jr Sr
	Fr So Jr Sr
	Fr So Jr Sr
Leadership:	Fr So Jr Sr
	Fr So Jr Sr
	Fr So Jr Sr
	Fr So Jr Sr
Other:	Fr So Jr Sr
	Fr So Jr Sr
	Fr So Jr Sr
<p align="center">COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES (include volunteer work, organizational and church involvement, work history, etc.)</p>	<p align="center">List the beginning and ending dates (month/year) of your participation.</p>
Religious & Community Organizations:	
Work History & Volunteer Work:	

(Additional information may be included on an attached sheet, or copy this back page.)

Essay Topics to choose from (choose one):

- ⇒ **What are the most important issues the telecommunications field is facing today?**
- ⇒ **Describe your most meaningful achievements and how they relate to your field of study and your future goals.**
- ⇒ **How has your family background affected the way you see the world?**

****Application Checklist**

- Completed application form (*Be sure the application is signed and dated*)
- Official High School transcript (*7 semesters minimum*)
- Official College transcript (*if applicable*)
- ACT Test results
- One-page essay (*Do not put your name on the essay paper*)
- Return application to NCC by 5:00 p.m., Friday, March 16, 2012