



Scholarship Application Instructions

Each applicant must submit a complete application package postmarked by the application deadline. The package must include the following:

1. A **completed** application form.
2. A brief, yet complete, essay indicating educational objectives, future plans of study, activities related to the profession, any surveying-related work experience, how you have promoted the profession and your financial status and degree of need. Must be typed. **Handwritten essays will not be accepted.**
3. At least one letter of recommendation, from the current calendar year, from a faculty member familiar with the student's work. **Applications received without a letter of recommendation will not be accepted.**
4. A complete and **official** transcript through May of the year prior to when the award will be presented.
5. Application must be typed (electronic fill-in form provided). **Handwritten application will not be accepted.**

Incomplete, improperly completed and late applications will be rejected. Valid applications must be postmarked no later than the application deadline.

It is the obligation of the applicant to ensure that applications be postmarked by the application deadline.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: JANUARY 10th

All Applications Must be Postmarked by the application deadline.

Mail to:

NALS Education Foundation
526 South E Street, Santa Rosa, CA 95404

QUESTIONS?

(888) 994-3510
NALS@NvLandSurveyors.org



SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE

Student's Name _____

Steve Parrish Memorial Scholarship (\$2500)

This annual scholarship is awarded once a year to a student enrolled in the Great Basin College Land Surveying Geomatics program. The following criteria will be used to award the scholarship:

1. Qualified Candidate will complete and return a NALS Foundation Scholarship Application with required letter of recommendation(s), essay, and transcripts by the postmark date.
2. Qualified Candidate will have a minimum GPA of 3.0 for overall classes.
3. Preference will be given to students indicating a desire to reside and work in the state of Nevada.

If a candidate cannot be found to meet the criteria listed above, the Foundation shall select an applicant as they see fit or choose not to award the scholarship.

Rita Lumos Leadership Scholarship (\$2500)

This annual scholarship is awarded once a year to a student enrolled in a four-year land surveying degree program. The following criteria will be used to award the scholarship:

1. Qualified Candidate will complete and return a NALS Foundation Scholarship Application with required letter of recommendation(s), essay, and transcripts by the postmark date.
2. Qualified Candidate will have a minimum GPA of 3.0 for overall classes.

Candidates will be selected by applying the following preferences:

- a. A woman pursuing a career in land surveying.
- b. A student who has demonstrated a commitment to professional activities and shown leadership abilities.
- c. A student who has demonstrated an interest in residing and working in the state of Nevada.

If a candidate cannot be found to meet the criteria listed above, the Foundation shall select an applicant as they see fit or choose not to award the scholarship.

Bill Cuddy Memorial Scholarship (\$2500)

This annual scholarship is awarded once a year to a student enrolled in a land surveying degree program. The following criteria will be used to award the scholarship:

1. Qualified Candidate will complete and return a NALS Foundation Scholarship Application with required letter of recommendation(s), essay, and transcripts by the postmark date.
2. Qualified Candidate will have a minimum GPA of 3.0 for overall classes.
3. Preference will be given to students demonstrating a desire to provide public awareness for the survey profession.

If a candidate cannot be found to meet the criteria listed above, the Foundation shall select an applicant as they see fit or choose not to award the scholarship.



SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE (Continued)

Eric P. Christianson Memorial Scholarship (\$2500)

This annual scholarship is awarded once a year to a student enrolled and attending a 4-year or junior college with survey-related coursework. The following criteria will be used to award the scholarship:

1. Qualified Candidate will complete and return a NALS Foundation Scholarship Application with required letter of recommendation(s), essay, and transcripts by the postmark date.
2. Qualified Candidate will have a minimum GPA of 3.0 for survey-related coursework.
3. Candidates must be current resident(s) of the United States of America.
4. Candidate will display leadership qualities, intent to work in a surveying related field within the United States of America.

If no candidate can be found to meet the criteria listed above, an award may be issued to candidate with the greatest need.

NALS Hispanic/Latino Scholarship (\$2500)

This annual scholarship is awarded once a year to a student enrolled in the Great Basin College Land Surveying Geomatics program. The following criteria will be used to award the scholarship:

1. Qualified Candidate will complete and return a NALS Foundation Scholarship Application with required letter of recommendation(s), essay, and transcripts by the postmark date.
2. Qualified Candidate will have a minimum GPA of 3.0 for overall classes.
3. Preference will be given to students indicating a desire to reside and work in the state of Nevada.
4. The student must be a U.S. citizen.
5. The student must be of Hispanic or Latino origin.

If a candidate cannot be found to meet the criteria listed above, the scholarship will not be awarded.

Ben Grissom Memorial Scholarship (\$2500)

This annual scholarship is awarded once a year to a student enrolled in a land surveying degree program. The following criteria will be used to award the scholarship:

1. Qualified Candidate will complete and return a NALS Foundation Scholarship Application with required letter of recommendation(s), essay, and transcripts by the postmark date.
2. Qualified Candidate will have a minimum GPA of 3.0 for overall classes.
3. Preference will be given to students indicating a desire to reside and work in civil service in the state of Nevada.
4. Preference will be given to students that have attended and/or volunteered at NALS Conferences.

If a candidate cannot be found to meet the criteria listed above, the Foundation shall select an applicant as they see fit or choose not to award the scholarship.

NALS Trig-Star Scholarship (\$1000)

This annual scholarship is awarded once a year to a student enrolled in a land surveying degree program

1. Qualified Candidate will complete and return a NALS Foundation Scholarship Application with required letter of recommendation(s), essay, and transcripts by the postmark date.
2. Candidate will have participated in a Trig-Star competition.

If a candidate cannot be found to meet the criteria listed above, the scholarship will not be awarded.

NALS Education Foundation Student Stipend (\$500)

This stipend is payable each semester that a student is enrolled in a land surveying degree program. This application must be completed and receipts submitted by September 15th & February 15th. A maximum of \$3000 will be awarded each year.



SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Full Name

Current Address

City, State, Zip

Hometown County (e.g. Clark County)

Email

Phone

Fax

Are you a U.S. Citizen?

Yes No

Birth date

Student I.D. Number

Are you now, have you, or will you receive any financial aid during the current school year?

Yes No

If yes, please describe.

Toward what degree will you be working and when do you expect to receive it?

Colleges and universities attended, including the one in which you are currently enrolled. Arrange in sequence, listing your current institution first. (Submit transcripts for each). For incoming freshman, list the college you will be enrolled in and submit your high school transcripts.

College or University	State	Dates of Attendance	Major



SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION (Continued)

Full Name

Do you hold any licenses/certifications?

LSI CST: Level _____ FAA 107 Other _____

Trig-Star: Did you take a Trig-Star exam during high school?

Yes, Year _____ No

Are you currently employed?

Yes No

If employed, what firm/agency do you work for?

Are you a member of NALS?

State Level Chapter Level (Chapter Name _____) Nevada Young Surveyor Network (YSN)

List all scholastic honors, scholarships (full name of scholarship and amount) and awards you have received (include NALS Scholarships and all other scholarships).



Full Name

List all other professional organization/service club memberships.

List all professional conferences, seminars and/or meetings attended.

By signing below, I certify that the information given in this application is true and accurate. I further certify that if for any reason subsequent to receiving a scholarship award, I elect to substantially alter my proposed study plan, I will immediately inform the NALS Education Foundation and if requested, I will return the money paid to me. I hereby authorize NALS to use my name and picture for promotional purposes (e.g. listed on NALS Website)

Signature of applicant

Date

Application Must Include: Completed Application Essay Letter of Recommendation Official Transcript