

2012 Washington Apple Education Foundation Universal Scholarship Application Form

(Please use this application to apply for awards to be made in the year 2012 for the 2012-13 school year.)

Please complete one application form and submit only one set of attachments. Your application will be reviewed by the selection committee and considered for all scholarships for which you qualify. **You must complete our form.** Do not attach a resume or other information instead of completing the form. Application should be submitted single-sided without any staples. Presentation folders will be discarded. Tips for completing a successful application are available at www.waef.org.

This application and all attachments must be postmarked on or before March 1, 2012.

Send To: Washington Apple Education Foundation
Attention: Scholarship Committee
2900 Euclid Avenue
Wenatchee, WA 98801

It is your responsibility to ensure that all materials reach the Washington Apple Education Foundation (WAEF) by the stated deadline. Whenever possible, please gather materials and send them together with your application to ensure they aren't lost or misdirected to another application. Faxes will not be accepted. Notice will be sent to you within two weeks of receipt of your application. If you do not receive a postcard from WAEF acknowledging receipt of your application, contact us at (509) 663-7713 or waef@waef.org.

All applicants will be notified of the selection committee's decision before the end of May.

If you have any questions please contact the Foundation office at (509) 663-7713 or waef@waef.org.

DISCLAIMER: All information contained in the application will be treated with the upmost level of confidentiality. It is the applicant's responsibility to consider thoughtfully information shared and assess the appropriateness of the information given the audience. It is advisable to refrain from sharing information about illegal conduct or activities.

(Please print or type)

Full Name: _____

Permanent Address:

Mailing Address (Street or PO Box): _____

City, State, Zip: _____

County: _____

Home Telephone Number: _____ **Cell Phone:** _____

E-mail Address: _____

Are you currently enrolled in high school? _____

Which high school did you/do you attend: _____

What year did you/will you graduate from high school? _____

Are you currently enrolled full-time in college? _____ **If yes, which institution:** _____

How many college credits will you complete by June of 2012 (include running start)? _____

Which college/university will you attend in the fall of 2012? _____

If **unknown**, please list the colleges/universities you have applied in order of attendance preference.

College/University	Accepted	College/University	Accepted
_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	
_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____	

College Major/Minor (anticipated or declared): _____

Anticipated career: _____

The following series of questions relate to specific scholarships and help us qualify students for each of the awards. Please answer each question with a yes or no and provide supporting information if applicable.

Yes	No	
		Is your parent a grower member or employee of Tree Top? If yes, please list the Tree Top grower number or Tree Top employee ID number here: _____
		Do you plan to live in the Yakima Valley and work in the tree fruit industry after receiving your college diploma?
		Have you been selected by a college or university to play on its collegiate level sanctioned sports team during for 2012-13 school year? If so, please identify the sport _____
		After receiving your degree, do you foresee residing in the counties of Okanogan, Grant, Chelan, Douglas, Kittitas, Yakima, Benton or Franklin?
		Are you related to a member of the Washington Apple Education Foundation board of directors, its scholarship committee or its staff? If so, list the board, committee or staff member's name and your relationship here: _____
		Is a member of your immediate family a Farm Bureau member in Yakima County? If yes, please provide member name and relationship to you here: _____
		Do you meet the federal eligibility criteria of Title 1 Migrant Education Program? Migrant child means a child - (1) Who is a migratory agricultural worker or migratory fisher; or (2) Who, in the preceding 36 months, in order to accompany or join a parent, spouse, or guardian who is a migratory agricultural worker or a migratory fisher, (i) Has moved from one school district to another; (ii) In a state that is comprised of a single school district, has moved from one administrative area to another within such district, or (iii) As the child of a migratory fisher, resides in a school district of more than 5,000 square miles, and migrates a distance of 20 miles or more to a temporary residence.

Tree fruit industry employment includes ownership of, or employment in, an apple, cherry, pear, or stone fruit company or a company directly serving the apple, cherry, pear or stone fruit producers.

Does your family's primary source of income derive from the tree fruit industry? Yes No
All students must answer all questions on this page even if income is not derived from the tree fruit industry.

If your immediate family owns a tree fruit orchard, please list warehouse(s) where fruit is packed:

Check here if you are age 23 or older AND are financially independent of your parents. If you checked the box, complete the following financial and employment information requests for yourself (and spouse, if applicable) instead of your parents. Please keep in mind parent(s) employer may be an award qualifier. If you do not check this box, complete the information below for your parents/guardians.

Father/Guardian Information:

Father/Guardian name: _____ Signature: _____

Mailing Address

Street or PO Box: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Home telephone: _____ Work telephone: _____

Is your father/guardian employed in the tree fruit industry? Yes No

Does your father/guardian own an orchard or tree fruit warehouse? Yes No

Father's Principal Employer: _____ Full-time? yes no
Company Name _____ Position: _____ Seasonal? yes no

Father's Secondary Employer: _____ Full-time? yes no
Company Name: _____ Position: _____ Seasonal? yes no

Mother/Guardian Information:

Mother/Guardian name: _____ Signature: _____

Mailing Address (if different than above)

Street or PO Box: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Home telephone: _____ Work telephone: _____

Is your mother/guardian employed in the tree fruit industry? Yes No

Does your mother/guardian own an orchard or tree fruit warehouse? Yes No

Mother's Principal Employer: _____ Full-time? yes no
Company Name _____ Position: _____ Seasonal? yes no

Mother's Secondary Employer: _____ Full-time? yes no
Company Name: _____ Position: _____ Seasonal? yes no

Financial Need Assessment:

Please check the appropriate box indicating your family's average taxable income for the past three years (this information can be found on line 43 on Form 1040 or line 6 on Form 1040 EZ):

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|--------------------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$0-30,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$81-100,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$31-50,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$101-120,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$51-80,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$121,000 |

Does your family's net worth (personal and business interests) exceed \$500,000? _____

How many people _____

How many siblings do you have (brothers & sisters)? _____

How many family members (other than you) will be enrolled in college full-time? _____

_____ parents _____ brothers _____ sisters

Are you receiving school loans? _____

If yes, please list the dollar amount of school loans accepted for one school year: _____

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Have you applied for school loans? _____

	Applied	Received	Amount, if known
_____		<input type="checkbox"/>	\$ _____
_____		<input type="checkbox"/>	\$ _____
_____			\$ _____
_____			\$ _____
_____		<input type="checkbox"/>	\$ _____

Activities, Leadership and Recognition

List your activities, leadership positions, etc., in the spaces provided below. Do not submit attachments other than those specifically requested on the final page of the application. A resume or other document describing your employment and/or activity history will not be considered in the selection process. Please refer to all groups by their name, not initials. If you have more than five potential entries for each category, pick your top five. **College students:** Please record your college activities first then complete each table with activities participated in while enrolled in high school.

JOBS: List the jobs you held in high school or college starting with the most recent. Include work in your family's orchard/farm, even if unpaid.

Employer (Company Name)	Job Duties	# of Hours Per Week	Dates (be specific)

VOLUNTEER WORK/COMMUNITY SERVICE: List the community service projects for which you volunteered. Please total hours for each year involved and list the grand total in the box provided.

Group	Activity	Total # of Hours	School Year(s) (e.g: 9, 10, 11, 12, or college 1, 2, 3, 4)

SCHOOL or COMMUNITY GROUP INVOLVEMENT: List your extracurricular activities (sports teams, church groups, music groups, clubs, etc.).

Activity	School Year(s) (e.g: 9, 10, 11, 12, or college 1, 2, 3, 4)

LEADERSHIP ROLES: List your elected and non-elected leadership positions held through your high school or in the community (i.e.: ASB officer, club officer, committee role, church role, etc.)

Group	Leadership Position	School Year(s) (e.g: 9, 10, 11, 12, or college 1, 2, 3, 4)

AWARDS/RECOGNITION: List awards you received. Awards may include those for academics, attendance, team involvement, drama, etc. from your school, community service clubs, etc.

Group	Award	School Year(s) (e.g: 9, 10, 11, 12, or college 1, 2, 3, 4)

Short Answers: Please answer the questions below using the space provided. **Each Ubg Y'a i gibchY WXX), S' characters.** A character is a letter, number, space or punctuation mark. Applicants that exceed the short answer character maximum will be disqualified from consideration.

8]gWgg a signification experience in your life, a risk you have taken, or an ethical dilemma you have faced and its impact on you.

Provide us with the name of a leader you admire and why.

Where do you see yourself in seven years? Include information about your career aspirations, anticipated Wmmunity, family or other area of your life of significance to your future.

The following items must accompany your application, even if you are already enrolled in college. If items are to be sent separately, please make sure your name is clearly identifiable.

- High School Transcript:** An official transcript of high school credits.
- College Transcript:** If applicable, an official transcript of any college credits. You must request your official transcript from the applicable office of each college you attended or are currently attending.
- Entrance Examination Results:** Examples include SAT or ACT.
If you have not taken any exams, include an explanation of why not or when you plan to take the test. You must include either your test results or an explanation of why you have not taken a college entrance examination for scholarship consideration.
- Reference Letters:** Two letters of reference providing the selection committee with insight into your character, values and unique attributes. Each letter writer must define his/her relationship (i.e.: teacher, advisor, employer, etc.) to you. References from family members will not receive consideration.
- Essay:** You must submit a single-page essay (typed, double-spaced, size 12 font) answering the question below. Please pay attention to grammar and sentence composition. Essays that exceed the stated length or do not answer the question asked will be eliminated from consideration.

Essay Topic: Why are you investing your time and resources in a college education? Why should we invest in you?

I agree to strictly comply with all conditions of any award. I agree that any award made to me under this application may be cancelled and revoked by the Washington Apple Education Foundation for failure to comply with the scholarship terms or if information provided on the application is found to be false.

I also agree to allow my name and photograph to accompany promotional stories about the scholarship program.

Sign Your Name: _____

Print Your Name: _____

Present Address: _____

Present Telephone: _____

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