



## ASEA - Anchorage Chapter Member Scholarship Frequently Asked Questions

1. Am I eligible?  
**A member in good standing of the Anchorage Chapter of ASEA is eligible for the member scholarship if he/she has been accepted for admission to an undergraduate or graduate degree program at an accredited college or university.**
2. How do I know if I am a member in good standing?  
**Call ASEA Anchorage Headquarters at 277-5200.**
3. Is my non-member spouse eligible?  
**No. Only members of the Anchorage Chapter are eligible for the Member Scholarship.**
4. Is there a Grade Point Average (GPA) threshold?  
**Yes, you must maintain at least a 2.5 average on a 4.0 scale during the application period. No exceptions.**
5. Must the applicant show proof of financial need?  
**Yes, through completion of the budget forecast in the application.**
6. Should the entire application be typed?  
**Yes, it is the responsibility of the applicant to submit a typed, neat, and complete application. Disqualification will occur should this requirement not be met.**  
**Note: the 2021 application is intended to be a fillable PDF form. If any flaws occur, please e-mail [anchchptscholarship@gmail.com](mailto:anchchptscholarship@gmail.com)**
7. What must be included in my application packet?
  - a. **Typed and completed application, signed where indicated.**
  - b. **Official transcript of your school record, indicating your current GPA, signed across the seal by a school official, as is customary.**
  - c. **Two signed letters of recommendation in the original sealed envelope, initialed by the writer across the seal of the envelope, as is customary. These letters may come from professors, supervisors, fellow ASEA members, and others who can attest to your experience, academic abilities, character, and potential to succeed in your chosen field or course of study. Do not submit letters from relatives. Please do not include work evaluations.**

- d. **Proof of acceptance or admission (or equivalent) letter from the institution to which you will matriculate (first –year applicants only).**
  - e. **An essay, prepared by the applicant, and meeting the number of words requirement, that addresses one of the specified topics. The essay must be typed, double-spaced, and dated and signed. It cannot be a duplicate of a prior essay.**
8. May I fax my application in?  
**No, your complete application packet (all documents in one packet) must be mailed or hand-delivered to the ASEA Anchorage Headquarters by the specified deadline.**
9. May I (or may my school) provide my official transcript at a later date?  
May my Letters of Recommendation be submitted at a later date?  
**No, all documentation must be submitted at the same time in a single packet. (i.e., all enclosed in one envelope, please).**
10. Can the check be mailed directly to me?  
**No, it must go directly to the academic institution.**
11. Must I attend a minimum of three chapter meetings in the last year in order to be eligible?  
**Yes, this is a requirement. No exceptions.**
12. Do I have to come to a Chapter meeting to receive my award?  
**Yes.**
13. May I re-apply?  
**Yes.**