



# ETS–Trenton Central High School Scholarship Program



## About the Program

The ETS–Trenton Central High School (TCHS) Scholarship Program recognizes and aids talented graduating seniors who have a desire to attend college. Recipients of this scholarship are those who can provide evidence of a high level of academic achievement, strong community engagement and demonstrated school leadership throughout their high school years.

The scholarship provides financial aid to attend a two- or four-year accredited, not-for-profit postsecondary institution of the student's choice. Recipients attending a two-year community college will receive \$5,000 in two payments (\$2,500 per semester), while those attending a four-year institution will receive \$10,000 in two payments (\$5,000 per semester). ETS will award a maximum of \$30,000 in scholarships per academic year.

The scholarship is renewable each year until graduation if the recipient maintains a 3.0 cumulative grade point average (GPA) by the end of the academic year and has no disciplinary infractions. It will be renewed for two or four consecutive years only — scholarship recipients are expected to graduate in two years if attending a two-year institution or in four years if attending a four-year institution.

## Who Is Eligible to Apply?

Current TCHS seniors graduating in June 2022 who:

- will have a minimum, cumulative high school GPA of 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale) at the time he or she completes an application package
- demonstrated school leadership qualities and strong community engagement through participation in community service, school government, or other activities inside and outside of school
- plan to enroll at a two- or four-year accredited, not-for-profit institution
- demonstrate a financial need



## Selection Criteria

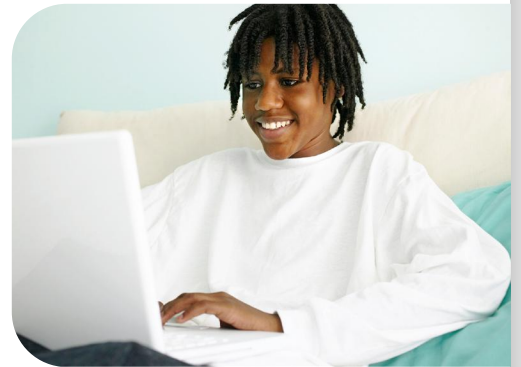
Students will be selected based on:

- their academic record
- their involvement and accomplishments in school leadership activities
- their community service
- the content of an original essay
- their demonstrated financial need, including showing proof he or she will benefit from the scholarship without being over awarded

## How to Apply

The following documents must be emailed to Terri Flowers at [tflowers@ets.org](mailto:tflowers@ets.org) **no later than Monday, May 2, 2022:**

- a completed application (available online at [www.ets.org/s/caap/pdf/ets-tchs-scholarship-application.pdf](http://www.ets.org/s/caap/pdf/ets-tchs-scholarship-application.pdf))
- an original essay (no more than 500–700 words) written about a person or an experience that has been a major influence in your life and explaining how this person or experience has influenced your decision to attend college
- your most recent transcript
- your self-reported Expected Family Contribution (“EFC”), private scholarships, school aid and government funding



## Selection Process

A review committee from various fields of study will review and score the application packages, as well as recommend potential scholarship recipients. ETS will make the final decisions on the winners, and they will be notified in June 2022.

## Payment of Scholarships

Scholarship checks will be made payable to the institution and mailed in August 2022 for the first semester and in November/December 2022 for the second semester.

## Whom Do I Contact With Questions?

If you have any questions or concerns, contact Terri Flowers by email at [tflowers@ets.org](mailto:tflowers@ets.org) or by phone at 1-609-734-1847.

