SKILLED TRADES SCHOLARSHIP
2027 Guidelines

The Skilled Trades Scholarship benefits graduating high school seniors, GED recipients and current community college students pursuing training and certification in Career Education or Career Technical Education Pathways at Napa Valley College, Santa Rosa Junior College, or Solano Community College. Recipients of the scholarship will receive funding for up to two years while working to complete their certification or degree.

Award Amount: $1,000 to $2,500 per year for up to two years.

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION IS MARCH 3, 2027

WHO'S ELIGIBLE?

- Graduating high school seniors or GED recipients
- Current students at Napa Valley College, Santa Rosa Junior College or Solano Community College

ALL APPLICANTS MUST:

- be in good academic standing
- have a cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA) of at least 2.0
- be enrolled or planning to attend Napa Valley College, Santa Rosa Junior College or Solano Community College during the 2025-2026 academic year
- be pursuing a certificate or degree in a trade skills program per attached list
- demonstrate financial need

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS:

- ☐ **Completed online application** or **paper application.**
- ☐ **Two short responses** to the following questions (250 words or less):
    1. What are your career plans or goals after you graduate with this certificate or degree? What motivates you to continue your education? How do you plan to meet these goals?
    2. How would receiving this scholarship help you meet your academic goals?
- ☐ A **copy** of your **unofficial transcript** — *if applicable*.
- ☐ A **copy** of the page from your FAFSA Student Aid Report or California Dream Act Student Aid Report showing your **Student Aid Index (SAI)** — *if applicable*.

HOW TO APPLY

Complete a paper application https://www.napavalleycf.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/09/Skilled-Trades-Scholarship_2026-paper-application-questions.pdf **or** an online application at https://napavalleycf.awardspring.com/

QUESTIONS?

Contact Lupe Reyes at (707) 254-9565 or scholarships@napavalleycf.org

ELIGIBLE DEGREES/CERTIFICATES BY COLLEGE:

➢ NAPA VALLEY COLLEGE

- ❑ Combination of Welding Technician B. Certificate of Achievement
- ❑ Machine Tool Technology Associates in Science
- ❑ Machine Tool Technology Certificate of Achievement
- ❑ Machine Tool Technology-One Year Job Skill Certificate
- ❑ Welder's Assistant C. Job Skill Certificate
- ❑ Welding Technician Basic Certificate of Achievement
- ❑ Welding Technology Associates in Science
- ❑ Welding Technology Certificate of Achievement

➢ SANTA ROSA JUNIOR COLLEGE

- ❑ Advanced Manufacturing Technology Certificate
- ❑ Advanced Manufacturing Technology: Basic Manual Machine Tool Technology Certificate
- ❑ Advanced Manufacturing Technology: CNC Machining I Certificate
- ❑ Advanced Manufacturing Technology: CNC Machining II Certificate
- ❑ Automotive Brakes and Chassis Certificate
- ❑ Automotive Diagnostic Technician Certificate
- ❑ Automotive Fundamental Certificate
- ❑ Automotive Maintenance and Light Repair Certificate
- ❑ Automotive Technology Certificate
- ❑ Automotive Technology: Brakes, Steering and Suspension Specialist Certificate
- ❑ Automotive Technology: Electric and Electronic Systems Specialist Certificate
- ❑ Automotive Technology: Engine Repair Specialist Certificate
- ❑ Automotive Technology: Mobile Heating and Air Conditioning Systems Certificate
- ❑ Automotive Technology: Powertrain Systems Performance & Electronics Specialist Certificate
- ❑ Automotive Technology: Transmission Specialist Certificate
- ❑ Automotive Transmission Certificate
- ❑ Autonomous Vehicle Certificate
- ❑ Carpentry Fundamentals Certificate
- ❑ Construction Management Fundamentals Certificate
- ❑ Diesel and Heavy Duty Engine (T1 and T2) Certificate
- ❑ Diesel Chassis (T4 and T5) Certificate
- ❑ Diesel Electrical/Electronics (T6) Certificate
- ❑ Diesel Equipment Technology Certificate
- ❑ Diesel Power Train (T3) Certificate
- ❑ Diesel Preventative Maintenance (T8) Certificate
- ❑ Electronic Technology Fundamentals Certificate
- ❑ Engine Machining Certificate
- ❑ Heating, Ventilation, Air Conditioning, and Refrigeration (HVACR) Fundamentals Associates of Science
- ❑ Heating, Ventilation, Air Conditioning, and Refrigeration (HVACR) Fundamentals Certificate
- ❑ Industrial Maintenance Fundamentals Certificate
- ❑ Medium Heavy Truck Brakes and Chassis Technology Certificate
- ❑ Medium Heavy Truck Diagnostic Technician Certificate
- ❑ Medium Heavy Truck Fundamentals Certificate
- ❑ Medium Heavy Truck Technology Certificate
- ❑ Welding Technology Certificate
- ❑ Welding: Flux Cored Arc Welding (FCAW) Certificate
- ❑ Welding: Gas Metal Arc Welding (GMAW) Certificate
- ❑ Welding: Gas Tungsten Arc Welding (GTAW) Certificate
- ❑ Welding: Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW) Certificate

➢ SOLANO COMMUNITY COLLEGE

- ❑ Advanced Manufacturing/Mechatronics Associates in Science OR Certificate of Achievement
- ❑ Aeronautics Associates in Science OR Certificate of Achievement
- ❑ Airframe Maintenance Technician Associates in Science OR Certificate of Achievement
- ❑ Airframe and Powerplant Maintenance Technician Associates in Science OR Certificate of Achievement
- ❑ Powerplant Maintenance Technician Associates in Science OR Certificate of Achievement
- ❑ Automotive Associates in Science OR Certificate of Achievement
- ❑ Automotive Automatic Transmissions and Transaxles Certificate of Achievement
- ❑ Automotive Electrical and Body Systems (CA)
- ❑ Automotive Maintenance and Light Repair Technician Certificate of Achievement
- ❑ Automotive Technician Associates in Science
- ❑ Welding A. Associates in Arts OR Certificate of Achievement
- ❑ Welding Job Direct Certificate