



The 2025 Arthur and Eileen Whitaker Memorial Trade Scholarship is a one-time award of \$2,000 coordinated by Hazleton Rotary.

The Arthur and Eileen Whitaker Memorial Trade Scholarship was established in 2023 to further area students' formal training and education in a bona fide trade school or similar training/educational program, including but not limited to, plumbing, welding, electrical, HVAC, masonry, truck and automotive maintenance, automotive repair, CDL licensure, beauty school, barber school, massage therapy, and licensed practical nurse programs, but excluding education and training for which a baccalaureate or higher degree may be awarded.

Applicants must reside within the boundaries of the Hazleton Area School District and must be under the age of 30 years old. Dependents of Hazleton Rotary members are not eligible.

Applications will be scored using the following point system:

Academic Information	30 points
Essay	20 points
Employment, Activities, & Service	30 points
Financial Need	20 points

Applications are due Wednesday, April 23, 2025.

Please refer any questions to Kim McNulty, Scholarship Committee Chair, at kmcnulty@mmiprep.org or (570) 636-1108 x138.

APPLICATION

2025 Hazleton Rotary Technical Scholarship

Please submit no later than Wednesday, April 23, 2025

Name _____ Date _____

Address _____

Cell Phone _____ Date of Birth _____

Email Address _____

Parent's Name (Mother) _____ (Father) _____

Parent's Address (Mother) _____

(Father, if different than Mother) _____

Name and ages of other household members:

PART I - Academic Information:

What is your course or intended course of study? _____

Name of post-secondary institution _____

What degree/certificate will you ultimately attain? _____
(Please attach an official transcript from institution if you completed any post-secondary education previously)

From which high school did you/or will you graduate? _____ Year _____
(Please attach an official transcript if you are a member of the class of 2024)

PART II – Employment, Activities, and Civic Involvement:

Are you employed now? _____

Where? _____

How long have you been employed at this business? _____

Earnings (per hour) _____ (or per year) _____

List other employers and length of employment:

School Activities (attach additional page or resume if necessary)

Extra-curricular Activities:

Honors/Awards:

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Civic Involvement/Community Service (attach additional page or resume if necessary)

Organization

Type of Involvement

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

PART III – ESSAY:

Prepare a 500-word essay describing your view of the importance of work, volunteerism, or service to your school or community.

PART IV – FINANCIAL NEED:

(Please note: adult learner applicants should submit their own or marital earnings as indicated on their tax return but parent earnings are not required)

Applicant's Earnings_____

Father's Employer _____ **Last Year's Earnings**_____

Mother's Employer _____ **Last Year's Earnings**_____

Other significant family income:

Significant Liabilities:

PLEASE RETURN COMPLETED APPLICATION TO:

**2025 Arthur and Eileen Whitaker Memorial Trade Scholarship
c/o Kim McNulty
MMI Preparatory School
154 Centre Street
Freeland, PA 18224**

or email to kmcnulty@mmiprep.org

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