



**Laclede Electric Trust, Inc.**  
**Operation Round Up<sup>®</sup>**  
**Application, Criteria and Guidelines for \$1,000 Scholarship**  
**P. O. Box M**  
**Lebanon, MO 65536**



**Applicant Must:**



Attend a high school or a private school in the service area of Laclede Electric Cooperative (Camdenton, Conway, Hartville, Laquey, Lebanon, Richland, Stoutland, and Waynesville); be home schooled; or live in the service area of Laclede Electric Cooperative and attend a high school out of the service area.



Be a graduating senior who is enrolled or plans to enroll in an accredited college, university or technical training school for the 2012 - 2013 school year.



Submit an essay telling about yourself--your achievements, interests, civic involvement, volunteer work, why you want to go to college or technical school and what circumstances prompt your need for the scholarship.



**Complete all sections of the application in full. Incomplete applications will not be considered.**



Submit a high school transcript with application.

**Criteria:**

The scholarship committee will judge each application using the following criteria:

- ❖ ACT composite score and/or SAT combined score
- ❖ Cumulative GPA for six (6) semesters
- ❖ Applicant's curriculum
- ❖ Financial need
- ❖ Extra-curricular activities
- ❖ Work activities

**Additional guidelines:**

- ❖ Applications are available through guidance counselors at the high schools named above, the office of Laclede Electric Cooperative in Lebanon, or on our website at [www.lacledeelectric.com](http://www.lacledeelectric.com).
- ❖ **Completed applications must be submitted to the respective high school guidance counselor's office or the office of Laclede Electric Cooperative in Lebanon, by 5:00 p.m., Monday, February 27, 2012.**
- ❖ The Laclede Electric Trust Board will make all determinations as to whether scholarships are or are not awarded.
- ❖ The Laclede Electric Trust Board is the final authority on all applicant qualifications.
- ❖ The lack of qualified applicants may preclude the awarding of any or all scholarships.

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Date \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
(last) (first) (middle)

Home address \_\_\_\_\_  
(city) (zip code) (county)

Telephone numbers \_\_\_\_\_  
(home) (cell) (parent/guardian's phone, if different)

E-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Attending High School \_\_\_\_\_

GPA \_\_\_\_\_ ACT Score \_\_\_\_\_ Ranking through 1st Semester of Senior Year \_\_\_\_\_

**Family status**

List children in current household (include ages) \_\_\_\_\_

List children in household attending college this fall \_\_\_\_\_

To what college or school have you applied? \_\_\_\_\_

To what college or school have you been accepted?  
(Please furnish letter of acceptance)

At this time, what are your career plans? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Please submit high school transcript**

# Financial Information

Parent/Guardians' Names: \_\_\_\_\_

	Annual Gross Income <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>					Monthly amount contributed towards education
	None	\$1-\$24,999	\$25-\$49,999	\$50-\$74,999	\$75,000+	
1. Father's occupation: _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$ _____
2. Mother's occupation: _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$ _____
3. Guardian's occupation: _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$ _____
4. Guardian's spouse's occupation: _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$ _____
5. Your occupation (if employed) _____						
6. Other sources of income (ex: Trust, gifts, Soc. Security) _____						

What other scholarships or financial aid do you expect to receive? \_\_\_\_\_

**Please submit the cost per semester of the following:**

### **Section One**

Number of hours you will take next semester \_\_\_\_\_ Cost per credit hour \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Cost per semester (cost per hour X number of hours) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Estimated cost of books \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Lab fees \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_

### **Section Two**

Apartment rent/dorm fees \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Food expenses (if not included in dorm fee) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Other (child care, transportation, etc.) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Grand total of Section One and Section Two above \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**If the above financial information is not appropriate for the particular program for which you've applied, please submit a list of all tuition and/or living expenses you will incur.**

**Work experience**

How many jobs have you held in the past two years? \_\_\_\_\_

List your employment history with current employer first:

Employer	Dates employed	Full or part-time	Weekly salary
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Do you plan to continue to work while in school? \_\_\_\_\_ Does the college/technical school you plan to attend have any kind of work study program? \_\_\_\_\_ If so, do you plan to take advantage of that program? \_\_\_\_\_

Any comments regarding your work plans while in school \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Any final comments you would like to share \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Important! Please read:**

My signature below certifies that all information provided in this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I understand that this scholarship is non-renewable and that if I decide not to further my education or become ineligible for any reason to attend an institute of higher learning, this scholarship will be revoked and awarded to an alternate recipient.

**Signature of applicant** \_\_\_\_\_