LABORERS LOCAL 270 SCHOLARSHIP FUND APPLICATION

This Scholarship is possible because of the hard work and dedication of our membership. The Laborers' Local 270 Executive Board awards it annually to be applied toward the tuition, books and educational Expenses of the student selected to be its recipient.

If you wish to apply, you must be a high school senior, or currently enrolled full-time in an accredited college or Technical school, and also **must** be an active member of Local 270 for the last 12 months working under covered Employment or seeking covered employment, or be a child or legally adopted child, grandchild or spouse of a <u>current</u> Member or retiree of Local 270. The applicant must demonstrate financial need and fully complete the application.

The San Jose office of Local 270 must receive the completed application by **Friday, March 22, 2024** to be eligible.

Once eligibility is established the application will be processed and all information will be forwarded to our College Scholarship Committee to be judged. As soon as they are judged, you will be informed of the results.

Please note: if you are awarded the Scholarship we will be having an Award Ceremony on Friday, May 17, 2024 at our Local 270 headquarters: 2195 Fortune Dr, San Jose CA 95131.

(Please type the following or print in black ink.)

Name:Last	First	Middle	
Birth Date:			
Street Address:	City:	State:	Zip:
Telephone Number(s): ()	Email Address:		
High School/College Attended(in	g):		
Diploma Received (High School/ Year Diploma Received	G.E.D.)	.A.:	
Qualifying Member, Parent or G	randparent's Name:		
Membership Status with Local 2	70:(Active Member))	(Retired Member)
Qualifying member's Last 4 of S	Social Security # or Member ID#		
Have you ever received a scholarship from Local 270?		Date:	
•	ancial assistance. Be specific about the lege. Consideration will be given to fin		•
Give a brief outline of any Accor	mnlishments Achievements Work Ex	xnerience and Vocati	onal & Professions

11. Acquire Two (2) letters of Recommendation from work, school, or an organization you are involved in.

(Use back if necessary):

Training (including internships), Certificates of Proficiency, Community Service, Hobbies and Affiliations

12. Prepare a 500-word essay on the following subject:

The fundamental components of a labor union are to negotiate fair living wages and benefits for its respective membership, operate a fair and non-discriminatory hiring hall and further represent its members in their employment with our signatory employers.

Beyond these basic components, Laborers' Local 270 is active in our respective communities through political engagement and community programs. These include advocacy for affordable housing, food banks, health and immigration fairs.

In order to achieve our goals, it is critical to have an active and engaged membership, who are willing to volunteer their time and efforts to advance our mission. One such program recently enacted by LIUNA is "Laborers' Rising," which is centered around empowering members and their families to become member volunteers and activists. More information about Laborers' Rising can be found at www.laborersrising.org, and you can sign up at https://laborerspswroc.formstack.com/forms/liuna-rising.

Please describe how Laborers' Local 270 has impacted you and your family in the various programs and services it provides; and how you feel that you might best contribute your time and effort to help further advance the labor movement and local community programs.

Additionally, how do you feel that you can influence others to become active and engaged members of the union and community?

Please answer all questions and be specific. Incomplete essays will result in disqualification.

- 13. Please include a recent photograph of yourself. (Students should include with completed application.)
- 14. Please enclose a copy of <u>proof of your enrollment</u> (or acceptance) in an accredited College or University for Fall 2024.
- 15. Please enclose an Official Transcript from your most recent academic institution- college if you have attended or high school if you are now graduating.

Mail with your completed application and essay to:

Laborers Local 270 2195 Fortune Drive San Jose, CA 95131

All applications must be received and postmarked no later than 5:00 pm Friday, March 22, 2024.

<u>Note:</u> Any Incomplete packet and/or missing any of the 15 requirements will result in disqualification. Any scholarship awarded to a student who does not, at any time during the award period, attend full-time, an accredited college, or university in the United States, will be revoked.

DATE:	
	APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE