

# **JAMES KILPATRICK, JAMES VARNER AND SAM CLARK MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP AND THE SAM SATTERWHITE TRADE EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

*The following will be the initial criteria to qualify for scholarship funding.*

The President of the Board shall appoint an ETBA member as Chairman of the Scholarship Committee. The Executive Board will select five ETBA members to serve on the Committee. The Chairman and Committee will review applications and recommend the scholarship recipients to the Board of Directors.

The amount of funding available and the number of qualified applicants determines the number of scholarships to be awarded, as well as the amount of each. It is our intent to provide a minimum of \$500 per semester.

The applicant must be the son or daughter of an ETBA member. One or both parents must reside in the ETBA jurisdictional area.

The applicant must be a senior in high school or enrolled in a College or University pursuing a 4-year degree or pursuing a certification from a Technical Institute. Pursuit of education associated with the building or construction industry **is not required**; however, preference will be given to those applicants. An individual recipient's long-term accumulated maximum scholarship is limited to \$4000. This is the maximum limit of funding- it is not guaranteed that an applicant will receive the \$1000 scholarship per year for four years.

The applicant will be required to complete a written application and could be asked to attend an oral interview with the scholarship committee.

This is a 1-year (2 semesters) scholarship, beginning with the Fall semester. Each semester will be funded upon proof of enrollment/registration and last semester's grades transcript/GPA. A minimum of a 2.50 GPA on a 4.00 scale is required to continue subsequent semesters' funding.

The scholarship committee may amend these minimum requirements at any time upon the approval of the board of directors of the ETBA.

ETBA is a 501C-6 non-profit corporation operating under the laws of the State of Texas. Contributions are not tax deductible.

ETBA will accept donations "in memory of" and/or "in honor of" a designated person for the purpose of awarding scholarships. Those funds will be accepted and distributed at the sole discretion of the ETBA Scholarship Committee. When the designated memory/honor funds

are less than \$500, the remaining balance will be transferred to the general ETBA scholarship fund- known as the Kilpatrick Scholarship Fund.

ETBA will be financially responsible for the funds and distribute funds after all criteria have been met.

The above-mentioned criteria will be the initial parameters of this fund and will be subject to final approval within legal limits. In the event, that amendments are required; the concept of the James Kilpatrick, James Varner, Sam Clark and Sam Satterwhite Memorial Scholarship Funds will endure.

### ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS

1. Write a one-page letter on your career plans.
2. Provide one letter of recommendation from a teacher.
3. Provide one copy of your grades transcript from the previous semester.
4. Provide proof of registration.

If you have questions about qualifications, please call the ETBA office at 903-758-6416.

### Return application to:

East Texas Builders Association  
2023 Alpine Road  
Longview, TX 75601



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2025 FALL AND THE 2026 SPRING SEMESTERS (Deadline: June 30, 2025)**



**THIS APPLICATION MUST BE FILLED OUT IN ITS ENTIRETY. PLEASE PRINT.**

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ AGE \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

STREET ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

FATHER'S NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

FATHER'S PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT \_\_\_\_\_

MOTHER'S NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS (if different from above) \_\_\_\_\_

MOTHER'S PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT \_\_\_\_\_

COLLEGE/SCHOOL YOU PLAN TO ATTEND \_\_\_\_\_

MAJOR FIELD OF STUDY \_\_\_\_\_

HIGH SCHOOL OR COLLEGE GPA \_\_\_\_\_

NUMBER OF STUDENTS IN GRADUATING CLASS \_\_\_\_\_

LIST HIGH SCHOOL ACTIVITIES THAT YOU HAVE BEEN INVOLVED IN (include  
office or title held):

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LIST HONORS OR SPECIAL RECOGNITION YOU HAVE RECEIVED:

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LIST COMMUNITY SERVICE ACTIVITIES THAT YOU HAVE BEEN INVOLVED IN:

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INDICATE FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS OF HOW YOUR EDUCATION WILL BE FUNDED:

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LIST EMPLOYMENT/WORK EXPERIENCE:

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LIST INTERESTS/HOBBIES:

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This is a 1-year (2 semesters) scholarship. It will be funded each semester upon receipt of proof of enrollment (at least 12 credit hours) and your previous semester's grades transcript/GPA. The required minimum GPA is 2.5 on a 4.0 scale. The amount of the scholarship will be at the discretion of the Scholarship Committee and the Board of Directors of the East Texas Builders Association.

Student's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

High School Administrator/Counselor Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

