CEMSTONE AND TCC COMPANIE SCHOLARSHIP FUND

FOUR \$4,000 **SCHOLARSHIPS** WILL BE AWARDED in **2024**

* \$5,000 if student is enrolled in CIM (Concrete Industry Management) Program at SDSU **89 SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED SINCE 1998!**

Amcon Concrete Products, LLC • Borgert Products LLC • Cemstone Products Company • Cemstone Ready-Mix, Inc. Cemstone Concrete Materials, LLC • Dakota Aggregates • River's Edge Concrete, LLC • Roberts Concrete Products, Inc. • Twin City Concrete Products Co.



ST. CROIX VALLEY FOUNDATION



Applicants pursuing a field of study with an industry specific focus related to our companies and/or CIM student at SDSU will be given extra consideration!

APPLY **TODAY!**

Eligibility: Applicants must be high school graduates who are full-time Cemstone and TCC Companies employees or dependents of full-time employees who demonstrate academic achievement, leadership and active participation in school and community activities (see back for details).

Award Amount: \$4,000.00 per award recipient

***\$5,000** if student is enrolled in CIM (Concrete Industry Management) Program at SDSU (South Dakota State University)

Application Deadline: MARCH 31, 2024

Applications Available: https://www.scvfoundation.org/scholar-cemstone Click on scholarship tab for access to online application.

Ouestions contact: Heidi Herron at (715) 386-9490 or email hherron@scvfoundation.org

THE PROGRAM

The Cemstone and TCC Companies Scholarship Fund was established in 1998 to assist full-time employees and their qualified sons and daughters to further their education beyond high school. Each year, scholarships are offered for undergraduate study in an accredited two or four year college, university or vocational-technical college. The scholarship program is administered by The St. Croix Valley Foundation.

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ELIGIBILITY

The applicant must be:

- A full-time Amcon, Borgert Products, Cemstone, Dakota Aggregates, River's Edge Concrete, Roberts Concrete Products or TCC Materials employee who has a minimum of one year of active full-time employment as of the application deadline,
- and
 - A high school graduate who plans to enroll or is currently enrolled in a full-time or part-time undergraduate course of study at an accredited two or four year college or university, or vocational-technical college.
- or
- Adependentchildofafull-timeAmcon,BorgertProducts,Cemstone,DakotaAggregates,River'sEdgeConcrete,RobertsConcreteProductsor TCC Materials employee who has a minimum of one year of active full-time employment as of the application deadline,

and

A high school senior or graduate who plans to enroll or is currently enrolled in a full-time undergraduate course of study at an accredited two or four year college or university, or vocational-technical college.

Past Cemstone and TCC Companies scholarship recipients are eligible to re-apply but may not receive more than two awards. Preference will be given to qualified applicants who have not received a Cemstone and TCC Companies scholarship previously.

SELECTION CRITERIA

Scholarship recipients are selected on the basis of academic record, leadership, participation in school and community activities, honors, work experience, and a statement of educational and career goals. Awards are granted without regard to race, color, creed, religion, gender, sexual or affectional orientation, disability, national origin, or financial need. Preference will be given to qualified applicants who have not received a Cemstone and TCC Companies scholarship.

Applications should be accompanied by a letter of recommendation from a teacher, counselor, or supervisor, a copy of the applicant's high school or post-secondary transcripts, and for students who have graduated high school within the past five years - must include high school transcripts. Transcripts must be electronically submitted when applying or mailed separately. If mailed, indicate the scholarship you are applying for. Mailed transcripts must be postmarked MARCH 31, 2024. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

NOTIFICATION AND PAYMENT OF SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarship recipients will be announced in April. The St. Croix Valley Foundation is responsible for: selection of recipients using an independent Selection Committee created for this purpose, notifying recipients and non-recipients, and distributing all scholarship payments.

Scholarship awards will be paid in August in the year in which the award is made. Checks will be made payable on behalf of the recipients educational Institute. Scholarships expire and will be withdrawn if uncommitted by August 31st of the year following the award.

APPLICATION DEADLINE

Students must complete an online application to apply for the Cemstone and TCC Companies Scholarship. This application can be accessed at SCV Foundation.org under the heading receiving scholarships. Applications are due MARCH 31, 2024. Note, all additional information, including transcripts, letters of recommendation, etc. MUST be submitted by MARCH 31, 2024 as well.

SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

This scholarship program will award four recipients; each recipient will be awarded \$4,000.

NUMBER OF AWARDS

Four recipients will be awarded scholarships from the Cemstone and TCC Companies Scholarship Fund each year. Notification of committee decisions will be given to all applicants. All committee decisions are final. This award is not renewable. Recipients and non-recipients may reapply in succeeding years. Preference will be given to qualified applicants who have not received a Cemstone scholarship previously. Past recipients may not receive more than two awards.

QUESTIONS

For questions regarding the on-line process for the scholarship program, contact Heidi Herron at St. Croix Valley Foundation, at **hherron@scvfoundation.org**.

REVISIONS

The St. Croix Valley Foundation reserves the right to revise this scholarship program at any time.