



2016 Spalding Scholarship Application

Deadline: Applications must be postmarked no later than January 30, 2016.

ELIGIBILITY

1. Only employees of Education Market Association (EDmarket) member companies and/or their children are eligible to win.
2. Sponsoring EDmarket member companies are qualified only if dues are current.
3. Applicants are eligible only if scholarship will be used to sponsor undergraduate work.
4. Applications must be typed and completed in full, including signature, date, and all other requested information.
5. Applications must be postmarked by January 30, 2016 to be eligible.

Please complete the following in full. This application must be legible.

Name _____

Telephone Home/Cell (____) _____ Email: _____

Address _____

Current Occupation (including "student") _____

If Student, Current School: _____

If Employed, Name & Address of Employer: _____

We request that winner attend EDmarket's Annual Meeting to receive the award and give a brief acceptance speech to the membership. If chosen, will you be able to attend awards presentation and give a brief acceptance speech? (A \$500 travel stipend is provided.) _____ Yes _____ No

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EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:

Please include information on high schools, technical or vocational schools, and colleges attended.

Name of School	City & State	Dates Attended	Diploma/Degree	Approx. GPA
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

If available, please furnish your:

Combined SAT Score _____ and/or ACT Scores _____ Class Rank # ___ out of _____ in class
(If these are not offered in your school district, please fill in blanks with "NA".

Please list all honors received and/or clubs and organizations you participated in that are associated with the schools listed above. Please specify your role/position held (if applicable) with these organizations.

Honor/Organization	Year(s) Participated/Received	Position Held (if applicable)
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Please estimate what percentage of your total college cost you will provide personally, as opposed to that covered by other sources (parents, other scholarships, etc.) _____

COMMUNITY SERVICE & VOLUNTEER WORK:

List below any community, volunteer, sports, fraternal, religious, or related activities and your involvement in them.

Name of Organization	Type of activity and your involvement
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

WORK EXPERIENCE:

Please list all jobs held in chronological order.

From - To	Company	City/State	Job Title/Description
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

ATTACHMENTS:

A statement of purpose:

1. Please write a typed statement of 700 words or less (a) telling specifically how, when, and where the scholarship award would be used; (b) describing your current occupation or main interest (if student or otherwise not a full-time employee); (c) explaining the role that you believe educational product manufacturers and educational dealers play in advancing excellence in public education; and (d) describing your future career goals.

2. Include a letter of endorsement from a responsible citizen in your community who is **not** affiliated with your sponsoring EDmarket member company or related to you by blood or through marriage.

Applicant's signature _____

Date_____

I am a _____ an employee of an EDmarket member company

_____ a child of an employee of an EDmarket member company.

Parent's name_____

Please have a representative from your sponsoring EDmarket member company complete the following:

Sponsoring member company name: _____

EDmarket Member ID: _____

Company representative signature_____

Date_____

Please send the original application and three (3) copies postmarked by **January 30, 2016** to: Adrienne Dayton, Education Market Association, 8380 Colesville Road, Suite 250, Silver Spring, MD 20910.