

**ABM Industry Groups LLC Scholarship
Scholarship Application
2018-19 School Year**

ABM Industry Group LLC will award one **\$1,000 scholarship** to a Class of 2019 graduating senior from each of the Cherokee County School District's six traditional high schools. Students interested in pursuing this scholarship must complete this application and return it to the address listed below. Additionally, each applicant must have **two references** complete the attached Confidential Reference Form. References may **only** include **one teacher**, the other **must** be work or extra-curricular activity related. **Completed applications must be submitted to the Office of Communications by the close of business on June 3, 2019.**

A committee of representatives from the community, ABM Industry Group LLC and the School District will review all applications and make the award selection. ABM Industry Group LLC will recognize the students chosen to receive the scholarship on **June 20, 2019 School Board meeting.**

Name:

Address:

Home Phone: Alt. Phone:

Email: Date of Birth:

Which High School do you attend?

Please list up to three postsecondary institutions you want to attend, whether you have applied for admissions and, if you have been accepted.

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What do you expect will be your declared major?

Please describe yourself, in **25 words or less.**

Tell the committee, **in 50 words or less**, why you should be awarded this scholarship rather than another qualified student. Please do not tell the committee that you need the money...**everybody needs money for college!**

Please tell the committee about your extra-curricular activities, community service activities and/or work experience. To what extent have you participated in these activities (what role you served, how many hours, accomplishments, etc.), length of time participated and what have you gained from these experiences that you feel will be of most benefit to you in both your career path and your personal growth? Feel free to attach **one** additional page, if needed. However, other than the required reference forms, **do not attach additional documents to this form.**

By signing this application, you are certifying that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of your knowledge, as of this date. Additionally, you agree to allow your academic transcript, grade point average and program of study information to be shared with sponsor with permission to use your name and likeness for promotional purposes associated with this scholarship competition. Please be aware, this is a competitive process and not all applicants will receive a scholarship award and no guarantees in that regard are stated or implied. Funds awarded through this process are to be used for postsecondary education-related expenses only. Any and all tax liabilities associated with this award are the sole responsibility of the recipient.

Student Signature

Parent Signature (if student is under 18)

ABM Industry Group LLC Scholarship Application Checklist

The following checklist is for your use only to assure a complete scholarship application and should *not* be sent with your application. Please check off each item as it is completed...

- ☐ **Form is complete and accurate.** Please use your full legal name, complete address (including P.O. Box, apartment number, etc.) to avoid confusion when matching references with scholarship application.
- ☐ **An alternate phone number (cell, work, etc.) is included.**
- ☐ **All inquiries within the application are answered completely, honestly and within the parameters set forth.** Some questions require multiple responses within tight restraints in an effort to force applicants to be concise yet forthright.
- ☐ **Reference forms have been completed and submitted to the appropriate persons for completion.** Contact your references early and provide them with ample time to complete and return the form. *Please be aware, the committee will not act as the intermediary between you and your references...that job is yours and yours alone!* Please follow-up with each reference regularly until such time as all forms have been submitted.
- ☐ **The forms are legible.** An electronic (Word document) version of the application and Reference Form from anne.reed@cherookeek12.net are attached, so you may type directly onto the form and email or print the final versions.
- ☐ **Application and Reference forms are to be submitted to the Office of Communications on or before June 3, 2019.** Applications that are incomplete, illegible, late or that otherwise do not follow directions may not be considered.

Applications must be scanned and emailed or mailed to the following address:

EMAIL:
anne.reed@cherookeek12.net

MAIL:
Cherokee County School District
Office of Communications
Attn: Scholarships
P.O. Box 769
Canton, GA 30169

ABM Industry Group LLC Scholarship Application Timeline

The following is a brief timeline of the scholarship application and decision-making process, for your information only. Please be aware that unforeseen events may alter this timeline, but every effort will be made to assure timely notification.

May 17, 2019	Flyers, application and reference forms sent to CCSD High Schools for distribution to counselors, teachers and students. Notices sent to local media.
May – June 3	Students complete scholarship application and reference forms.
May 31, 2019	Applications matched with appropriate reference forms. If an application is missing one or more reference forms, the student is contacted and provided an opportunity to contact the reference(s).
June 3, 2019	<u>Application deadline!</u> <i>Committee meeting to review applications and select recipient.</i>
June 11, 2019	The winner will be notified on or before this date.
June 20, 2019	Students are recognized at the scheduled Cherokee County School Board Meeting.
June 30, 2019	On or before this date a check will be sent to the student from the Cherokee County School District.