



# 2025

## Effingham Area Home Builders Association

### \$500 Scholarship Award

This scholarship is open to any 2025 Graduating Senior who is planning on attending a Trades School, taking an Apprenticeship, Or will be attending a 2 or 4 year College in 2025-2026, in The Home Building field/industry.

*The Home Building Industry is comprised of many different fields such as: Construction/Builders, Interior Designers, Electricians, Plumbers, HVAC Installation, Business/Accounting, Architectural Designers, etc.*

#### Our Scholarship Purpose:

- To encourage graduating seniors to consider the Home Building Industry as a career by helping pay for their tuition, training or supplies.

#### REQUIREMENTS:

- Must be a 2025 graduating senior in good standing
- Must provide proof of apprenticeship, enrollment or acceptance letter to an accredited 2 or 4 year college, trades school or program that will prepare you for a career in the home building industry. (A copy of your acceptance letter/ email or a letter from the Apprenticeship employer letter is acceptable)
- Complete and mail or email a EAHBA scholarship application and 500 word essay
- **Must be postmarked by May 1, 2025 if you choose to mail**

**Good luck and please note that when the selection process is complete, the selections are final!**

**For more information contact the Effingham Area Home Builders Association at [info@effinghamHBA.com](mailto:info@effinghamHBA.com)**

**Return Application & Essay to: Effingham Area Home Builders Association  
Scholarship Program  
PO Box 1323  
Effingham, IL 62401**

**Or email to [info@effinghamHBA.com](mailto:info@effinghamHBA.com)**



# 2025 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

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

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

HIGH SCHOOL \_\_\_\_\_ COUNSELOR \_\_\_\_\_

HIGH SCHOOL: GPA \_\_\_\_\_ CLASS RANK \_\_\_\_\_

CONSTRUCTION OR SHOP RELATED COURSES TAKEN:

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SPORTS AND/OR EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES:

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HONORS EARNED: \_\_\_\_\_

COLLEGE, TRADES SCHOOL OR APPRENTICESHIP YOU PLAN TO ATTEND:

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Are you familiar with any Contractors or Home Builders? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, please list their names:

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Have you had any field experience in the industry (Construction, Construction Classes, Interior Design, Cabinetry, Heating/Air Conditioning, Electrical, Plumbing, etc.)? \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, describe:

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Three references we can contact:

1. \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Please include a typed essay of 500 words or less, telling us about your future goals, dreams and plans and how the Effingham Area Home Builders Association Scholarship can help you achieve them.