

Eastern Illini *PowerLines*

A Touchstone Energy® Cooperative 

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Eastern Illini Electric Cooperative 2010 “Youth to Washington” Scholarship

Official Rules

- Two high school seniors will each receive a \$1,000 scholarship and a weeklong, all expenses paid trip to Washington, D.C. in June 2010.
- Applicants must be sons or daughters of Eastern Illini Electric Cooperative members. (Immediate family members of employees and directors of Eastern Illini are not eligible.)
- Applicants must be high school seniors.
- Scholarships may be used for educational costs for an undergraduate course of study at an accredited two-year or four-year college or university, including vocational/technical schools.
- Scholarship winners will be expected to be “full time” students (at least 12 hours). Winners must submit evidence that they are enrolled as full time students before receiving the \$1,000 disbursements.
- Scholarships must be used within 12 months of high school graduation, are for one year and are not renewable.



- Scholarships will be awarded based on grade point average, college entrance test scores, work, and volunteer experience, participation in school and community activities, biographical statement and knowledge of electric cooperatives as demonstrated by a short essay.
- Deadline for receipt of completed applications is February 1, 2010.
- The “Youth to Washington” Scholarship Committee will select the winners.
- Scholarship winners will be notified by March 1, 2010.

For more information contact Debbie Laird at (800) 824-5102, or visit our Web site at www.eiec.coop.

Youth to Washington scholarship application on the reverse side!

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Eastern Illini Electric Cooperative

2010 "Youth to Washington" Scholarship Application

Name _____

Address _____

Home Telephone Number (____) _____ Cell Phone Number (____) _____

E-mail Address _____ Date of Birth _____

Name of Parent or Guardian _____

High School Attended _____ Counselor's Name _____

H.S. Grade Point Average (100 Point Scale) _____

(e.g. if your school uses a 4 point scale, multiply your GPA by 25; if your school uses a 5 point scale, multiply your GPA by 20.)

Most Recent S.A.T. and/or A.C.T. Score _____ - _____
S.A.T. A.C.T.

Work and Volunteer Experience

List positions held, for what time period, and whether volunteer or for pay.

Participation in School and Community Activities

List activities (both school and non-school) in which you have participated.

Organization or Activity	No. Years	Offices Held
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Biographical Statement

Write a brief biographical statement that includes your educational goals, financial needs and other pertinent information about yourself that you feel is important. The biographical statement should be typewritten, double-spaced, and attached to the application.

Knowledge of Electric Cooperatives

Submit an essay of 500 words or less in your own words concerning the organization and services of Electric Cooperatives and your relationship or involvement in the activities and/or operations. The essay should be typewritten, double-spaced, and attached to the application.

Statement of Applicant and Parent or Guardian

We have examined this application, including accompanying submissions, and to the best of our knowledge and belief, it is true, correct and complete.

Date: _____ Signed: _____ Signed: _____
(Applicant) (Parent or Guardian)

The deadline for receipt of completed applications and required submissions is February 1, 2010.
Mail applications to: Debbie Laird * EIEC * PO BOX 96 * Paxton, IL 60957