



NEIL ARMSTRONG
SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Neil Armstrong Scholarship Application

The Neil Armstrong Scholarship Fund at the Telluride Foundation honors the achievements and character of Neil Armstrong through scholarships awarded to Telluride regional youth pursuing a Bachelors of Science degree in science, technology, engineering or math (STEM). The Scholarship Committee will award competitive scholarships based on the criteria listed below and on completion of an application form and essay.

In 2014, the Neil Armstrong Scholarship will consist of:

- One \$20,000 scholarship, \$5,000 per year, based on merit and need.

Scholarship Criteria:

- Students must be pursuing a STEM bachelor of science degree
- Scholarship will be merit and need based
- Applicants must be a senior at one of the following regional high schools: Nucla/Naturita, Norwood, Telluride, Ridgway, Ouray, Paradox and Mountain School
- Scholarship funds must be used starting the year of award, unless a deferment is approved by the scholarship committee
- Be a full-time student and maintain a 3.0 GPA for four consecutive years.
- Finalists may be invited for an interview with members of the selection committee

Scholarship Instructions & Deadline:

- The attached application, essay, and any related documents must be emailed to April Montgomery, Programs Director at the Telluride Foundation by Monday, April 21st at 5pm.
- Applications must be emailed to april@telluridefoundation.org. No paper copies will be accepted.



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Name: _____

School: _____

Age: _____ Date of Birth _____ Telephone No: _____

Mailing Address: _____
PO Box or Address City/State Zip

Email: _____

Parents' Names: _____

College(s) to which you applied and were admitted:

College(s) where you have been accepted and plan to attend:

Intended Major: _____

Possible Eventual Career (s): _____

Start Date: _____

FINANICAL INFORMATION

Your Costs:

- 1) Annual Tuition & Fees: _____
- 2) Annual Room & Board: _____
- 3) Annual Misc. Expenses (books, travel, etc): _____
- 4) TOTAL ANNUAL EXPENSES (Add lines 1 – 3): _____

Financial Aid Package from College:

- 4) Grants/Scholarship (please list grants/scholarships and amounts): _____

- 5) Amount you plan to receive in loans: _____

- 6) TOTAL FINANCIAL AID (Add lines 4 -5) _____
- 7) TOTAL ANNUAL EXPENSES MINUS TOTAL FINANCIAL AID: _____



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8) Did you file the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid)? ___ Yes, ___ No.

9) If No, please explain why _____

10) If you filed the FAFSA, you should have received a Student Aid Report (SAR) on which you will find your Expected Family Contribution (EFC) located on the front page in the upper right. What is your family's EFC? _____

11) My family's 2013 adjusted gross income based on this year's filed (or to be filed) tax return was:

- _____ less than \$50,000
- _____ between \$50,000 and \$130,000
- _____ greater than \$130,000

12) How many children in your family (including applicant)? _____

13) How many children will be in college in the fall of this year? _____

ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT

Current GPA (Weighted): _____

ACT Composite Score: _____

SAT Verbal: _____ SAT Math: _____

Please list any AP, Honors, or Dual Credit Courses Taken, with Scores/Grades: _____

What STEM activities have you participated in outside of the classroom during high school (i.e. Pinhead, clubs, mentoring or internships): _____

What other extra-curricular activities you have been involved in, leadership positions held, employment experience, and awards received if any: _____



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ESSAY

Please type your answers to the following questions on a separate sheet(s) of paper and attach them to this application

How do you hope to use your science, technology, engineering or math education in your personal and professional future; include what has lead you to choose this field of study, and how you will benefit society with your education (maximum 1,000 words)?