



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.

The Neil Armstrong Scholarship consists of:

- One \$20,000 scholarship, \$5,000 per year, based on merit and need.
- At the Scholarship Committee's discretion, it may choose to award a:
 - Merit Scholarship, in a lesser amount, to reward a student's effort
 - Prize Award, recognizing a student's achievement who may not fit within the need requirement

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
- Scholarship funds are for a full-time student who maintains a 3.0 GPA for four consecutive years.
- Finalists may be invited for an interview with members of the selection committee

Scholarship Instructions & Deadline:

- Applications, essay, and any related documents must be provided through the Telluride Foundation's online scholarship portal:
<https://www.grantinterface.com/Home/Logon?urlkey=telluridescholarship>
- The deadline may vary each year but is typically in early April. See the on-line scholarship portal for the exact deadline time.
- For any questions about the scholarship or process, contact april@telluridefoundation.org. or 970-728-8717.