



Table with columns for 1st and 2nd place scores and rows for GPA, RANK, PART A-F, SUPPLEMENTAL CREDITS, and SUBTOTAL.

Form fields for Name, Permanent Address, Email Address, High School, and citizenship/residency questions.

SCHOLARSHIPS

A number of Central Iowa Chapter of the Iowa Engineering Society (CIC-IES) Freshman Engineering Scholarships are awarded each year to students having qualifications for success in engineering education.

COLLEGE PREFERENCES

Table with columns for College Name, Major, Have you applied for admission?, and Have you been accepted?

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION: MARCH 2, 2026
After completing, please return this form via mail or email to:

Contact information for Chapter Scholarship Coordinator: Erin Ollendike, PE, Civil Design Advantage, 4121 NW Urbandale Drive, Urbandale, IA 50322, (515) 369-4400, ErinO@cda-eng.com

DO NOT SEND APPLICATIONS TO THE IES STATE OFFICE



INSTRUCTIONS FOR APPLICANTS AND COUNSELORS

FORWARD

The Central Iowa Chapter of the Iowa Engineering Society (CIC-IES) wishes to encourage students with the talent and commitment to succeed in an undergraduate engineering curriculum, for whom the financial support and encouragement of a scholarship can make a difference. The minimum criteria for application are set to make certain that winners are capable of the challenge.

1. ELIGIBILITY AND REQUIREMENTS

- a. All applicants must enroll in an eligible engineering curriculum, intend to earn a degree in engineering, and to enter the practice of engineering after graduation. IES scholarship award is contingent upon acceptance for admission at an Iowa ABET accredited Engineering school.
- b. Only applicants with a documented high school transcript will be considered.
- c. Academic requirements are:
GPA: Minimum - 3.5
- d. Only current year IES application forms are acceptable.
- e. Applicant must be a U.S. Citizen and an Iowa resident.

2. SELECTION PROCESS

- a. Judging is conducted at the Chapter level. Scholarships will be awarded by the Chapter.
- b. Scholarship(s) may be awarded based on Special Consideration. To apply, submit a one-page letter either from your principal, counselor, or a registered professional engineer, identifying that you have extenuating circumstances that will require scholarship assistance in order for you to continue your education. Attach the letter to the top of the transcript on this page.

3. CRITERIA

The Scholarship Selection Committee will award points based on GPA, Class Ranking, Activities & Honors, Essay & Supplemental Credits (Computer, Chemistry Physics, Calculus, etc.). Points will also be awarded for honors/advanced-placement and college-level courses.

AUTHORIZATION TO RELEASE INFORMATION

- 1. In submitting this application, I authorize my high school Principal or counselor to make available to the Iowa Engineering Society information concerning my academic records.

- 2. I hereby grant permission to the Iowa Engineering Society to release information contained herein to other potential sources of scholarship assistance for engineering studies.
- 3. I hereby certify that all statements contained herein are true and factual.

Applicant's Signature

Date

COUNSELOR OR PRINCIPAL CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the academic information and summary of school activities as submitted on this application are correct and, that to the best of my knowledge the applicant has applied for or intend to apply for admission to the schools listed on page 1.

- 1. AVERAGE High School Weighted GPA: _____.
- 2. Applicant's class rank (check 1 box **REQUIRED**):
 - Top 5.0%
 - Top 10.0%
 - Top 15.0%
 - Top 20.0%
 - Top 25.0%
 - Under 25%
- 3. Transcript: Showing GPA and Essay are attached to page 2 of this application.
- 4. Applicant meets all academic requirements as outlined herein? Yes No

Signature: _____

Printed Name: _____

High School: _____

School Telephone No: _____

Date: _____

ANNOUNCEMENT OF WINNERS

Made by May 1, 2026

HIGH SCHOOL TRANSCRIPT

Obtain a certified copy of your high school transcript with your courses for the first semester of the 12th grade indicated. Also clearly indicate on the transcript all courses that are included in the high school "honors" and "advanced placement" programs and any college-level courses.

ACTIVITIES & HONORS

List each activity ONLY ONCE in the appropriate section. DO NOT ABBREVIATE (attach additional pages if necessary, clearly identifying part number).

PART A: Technical Activities Sponsored by High School (i.e., Math Club, Aim Hi, Science Club or Fair, Computer Club...)	School Year				Major Office Held/Year(s) Held	IES Use
	9	10	11	12		
Total Part A (IES Only)						

PART B: Non-Technical Activities Sponsored by High School (i.e., athletic teams, cheerleading, band, service clubs, debate teams, FFA, School publications, student council)	School Year				Leadership Positions Held	IES Use
	9	10	11	12		
Total Part B (IES Only)						

PART C: Special Recognition for Academic Honors or Other Special Achievements (i.e., Honor Society, National Scholar Semifinalist, Silver Cord, Merit Scholar, Other Academic Scholarships, Science Fair award...)	School Year				Description of What You Did to Earn Recognition	IES Use
	9	10	11	12		
Total Part C (IES Only)						

Applicant Last Name: _____



Table with 5 columns: Description of Paid Employment While Attending High School, School Year (9-12), Number of Weeks Each School Year, Average Hours Worked Per Week, IES Use. Includes a Total Part D (IES Only) row.

Table with 5 columns: Summer Activities after grades 9, 10, & 11, School Year (9-11), Average Hours Worked Per Week, Number of Weeks Each Summer, IES Use. Includes a Total Part E (IES Only) row.

Table with 5 columns: Organized Volunteer, Community or Other Activity NOT Sponsored by High School, School Year (9-12), Average Hours Per Week, Significant Contributions, IES Use. Includes a Total Part F (IES Only) row.

ESSAY

Prepare a DOUBLE-SPACED TYPEWRITTEN essay of approximately 250 words on the following topic: "How I Was Influenced to Pursue an Engineering Career". Place the title of your essay along with your name at the top.

Applicant Last Name: _____