



WACKER SCIENCE AWARD APPLICATION OVERVIEW

All essays, applications and transcripts must be submitted to your school's guidance counselor to be eligible for consideration. Only essays which are accompanied by a completed application form and a transcript will be considered.

Eligibility

- A graduating senior in good standing at one of the following high schools:
 - Bradley Central High School
 - Cleveland High School
 - Walker Valley High School
- Minimum overall GPA of 3.0
- A average in science classes (93 to 100 percent range)
- Plans to attend a university full time
- Proven interest in science (ex. participates in science fairs, projects, clubs if available)
- Intent to pursue a science or engineering degree
- Immediate family members of WACKER employees are not eligible for this award

Requirements

- A typed essay, no fewer than 500 words and no more than 700 words, which answers the following question: *Why do you wish to pursue science or engineering after high school?*
 - Essays should be well-written, focused and original
 - Essays should be typed with Arial 12 pt font, single-spaced
 - There is no right or wrong response—essays will be evaluated based upon perceived interest in exploring science and pursuing a career in science or engineering
 - The application form serves as a cover page; no additional cover page is necessary
 - The essay must conclude with the following signed statement: "I certify that this essay is my own work."
- Interviews will be conducted with authors of the top two eligible essays at each school
- A completed application form
- High school transcript

APPLICATION FORM
Please type or print legibly



Your name: _____
(First) (Middle Initial) (Last)

Your mailing address:
Address Line 1: _____
Address Line 2: _____
City: _____ Zip: _____

Your high school: _____ Your GPA: _____

The university you will attend: _____

Anticipated major/area of study: _____
Ex. Chemistry, Physics, Engineering, Agricultural Sciences, etc.

Career goals:

Science activities to date (science projects, fairs, clubs, research, etc.):

Are you an immediate family member of a WACKER employee? Yes No

How did you learn about this scholarship? _____

Certification of accuracy and photo release

I understand that all information in the application and in my essay will be provided to the staff involved in the selection process. To promote, evaluate or otherwise describe the efforts of WACKER programs and activities, I give permission to WACKER and its agents to use in connection with any publication (including but not limited to brochures, websites, booklets, reports, press releases and exhibits) the photograph(s) or any other files portraying my image or likeness, as well as my name and any information provided in my application or essay, in association with WACKER in which I appear. I certify that to the best of my knowledge all information contained in this application is accurate.

Signature: _____ Date: _____