



San Isabel Electric offers scholarship opportunities for students with various backgrounds and career goals.

Check them out!

Application and scholarship requirements:

siea.com/scholarships

Questions?

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All scholarships require student's parent or guardian to buy electricity from San Isabel Electric.

SAN ISABEL ELECTRIC SCHOLARSHIP

These scholarships are awarded to students who have a primary address in San Isabel Electric's service territory and are planning to attend their first year at an accredited college or university. Students must enter college the same year as their graduation from high school.

AT-LARGE SCHOLARSHIP

Students whose primary address is outside of San Isabel Electric's service territory are eligible for At-Large Scholarships. Applicants must reside in the state of Colorado, and plan to attend their first year of higher education at an accredited college or university. Students must enter college the same year as their graduation from high school.

CONTINUING EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP

The Board of Directors award scholarships to adults who have been out of high school for a minimum of two-years and are planning to attend an accredited college, university, vocational or technical school, community college or junior college.

BASIN ELECTRIC POWER COOPERATIVE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Basin Electric Power Cooperative (BEPC) will award a \$1,000 scholarship to a student of the San Isabel Electric Board of Directors choosing. BEPC scholarships will be awarded without regard to other awards, loans or financial assistance the applicant may have obtained. The scholarships must be used for educational costs, and the student must enter college as a full-time student in the fall of the school year for which the scholarship is given.

FIRST TO ATTEND SCHOLARSHIP

Scholarships will be available to students whose primary address is in San Isabel Electric's service territory and will be the first person in their immediate family planning to attend their first year of higher education at an accredited college or university. Students must enter college the same year as their graduation from high school.

VOCATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP

Vocational Scholarships will be available to students whose primary address is in San Isabel Electric's service territory and are planning to attend an occupational training program of two-years or less at an accredited vocational school, technical school, community college, or junior college. The student must enter the school the same year as their graduation from high school.

POWERED-UP SCHOLARSHIP

San Isabel Electric's Board of Directors will select the top scoring applications and invite the applicants to participate in an interview to compete for the Powered-Up Scholarship, an additional \$4,000 award. The recipient will be announced at the scholarship banquet.

San Isabel Electric will donate \$500 to the school that produces the Powered-Up Scholarship awardee provided that the school receives electric service from San Isabel Electric.

The At-Large and Continuing Education Scholarship recipients are ineligible for the Powered-Up Scholarship.

TRI-STATE SCHOLARSHIP

The Board of Directors will select a(n) applicant(s) to receive either two (2) \$500 or one (1) \$1,000 scholarship(s). The recipient of the scholarship must register as a full-time student in an accredited university, college or vocational/ technical school of their choice.



The checklist below will help you stay organized while preparing your scholarship application.

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ACADEMIC INFORMATION

- ⚡ Current school information - Name of high school or college
- ⚡ Most recent transcript
- ⚡ Two letters of recommendation
- ⚡ The college you plan to attend
- ⚡ Intended degree or area of study
- ⚡ A resume not to exceed two pages



MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION

- ⚡ A 750-word or less essay answering all the following questions:
 - How will a scholarship from San Isabel Electric help you complete your degree?
 - How are you unique?
 - Who are your role models and how have they helped set the course for your future?
 - What are some of your greatest accomplishments and challenges?

PERSONAL BACKGROUND INFORMATION

- ⚡ Personal information - Name, parents' names, mailing address, service address, phone number
- ⚡ Email address that you check regularly for yourself and a parent
- ⚡ SIEA account number



SCHOLARSHIPS OPEN

Scholarship applications will be available **November 1st**. Visit siea.com/scholarships to start your application.

STEP
01



DECEMBER

December is a great time to get a head start! Contact teachers, advisors, and others that you plan to ask for a letter of recommendation. SIEA requires two letters of recommendation to apply.



STEP
02

JANUARY

Request a copy of your most recent transcript from the high school or college you are attending. Attach your transcript to your online application.

Make sure the personal and background information are complete in your application to prevent any delays or denials.

STEP
03



LATE JANUARY

Begin planning your essay. It should describe why you should be awarded a scholarship from San Isabel Electric. Additionally, you should describe your chosen career path and why. Topics covered should also include items like school and community involvement, volunteer experience, and leadership.



STEP
04

EARLY FEBRUARY

By this time, you should have completed all of the application requirements and submitted all of your final materials to San Isabel Electric. You should receive an email confirmation if your application is complete or a denial if it is incomplete.

STEP
05



SCHOLARSHIPS CLOSE

San Isabel Electric's scholarship application period closes on **February 15**.