BIA CARES

2025 TRADE SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

BIA Cares of San Diego County is offering scholarships to 2nd, 3rd, and 4th Year Trade school students who seek to pursue a career related to the residential and commercial building/ development industry.

ELIGIBILITY

Scholarships are open to students/apprentices/interns who have graduated from a high school in San Diego County. Applicant must be living and attending a trade school, or are actively involved as an intern here in San Diego. In addition, you must be a California resident. The Scholarship Committee is seeking students who can demonstrate an interest in pursuing a career in the building industry. In addition to trade school applicants, other advanced certification course applicants may apply in the areas of advertising, business, finance, construction management, architecture, engineering, city planning, real estate, and interior design, to name a few.

SELECTION CRITERIA

The Scholarship Committee awards scholarships to students who demonstrate an interest in pursuing a career in the building industry. Scholarships are also awarded based on other qualifications, including academics, personal achievement, and financial need.

QUESTIONS

If you have any questions, please contact Jen Morales at the Building Industry Association (858) 514-7005 or email jen@biasandiego.org. Questions will be forwarded to the Scholarship Committee.

APPLICATION PROCESS

Applicants must complete the application and return it to the BIA Cares Scholarship Committee at the Building Industry Association, 9201 Spectrum Center Boulevard, Suite 110, San Diego, CA 92123, by November 3rd, 2025. Please submit a copy of your transcripts (official or unofficial acceptable) together with the application.

Applications are also available online at www.biasandiego.org

The Building Industry of San Diego believes in giving back to the community it serves. In 1990, BIA established BIA Cares a 501(c)3, charitable organization to help build a better future for those in need. BIA Cares has donated more than $2.3 million to charitable projects and programs in San Diego County. At BIA Cares, we are committed to fostering the growth and development of those who aspire to make a positive impact on our world through the Building Industry.

9201 Spectrum Center Blvd., #110, San Diego, CA 92123

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APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

1. Complete application online or print application in ink and mail
2. Attached Transcripts and essay
3. Deadline for submission: November 3rd, 2025
4. Send to:

   Jessica Nishiura, Chairman

   BIA Cares Scholarship Committee
   C/O The Building Industry Association 9201
   Spectrum Center Boulevard
   Suite 110
   San Diego, CA 92123

No Late Applications Will Be Considered.

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APPLICANT'S INFORMATION

Name (Last, First, M.I.): _____

High School: _____

Date of Birth: _____   Age: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____   Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____   email address: _____

EDUCATION INFORMATION

High School Graduated From and Year: _____

Current College/University (if any): _____

Previous College Attended (if any) : _____   Date(s) of Attendance: _____

Courses that have been completed in your field: _____
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Current Major/Field of Interest: _____

Anticipated date of training course/program/internship completion: _____

Total # of units/hours completed: _____