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Marine & Maritime Scholarship Criteria & Application

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Marine & Maritime Scholarships **2016 Criteria & Application**

Overview:

- The Marine & Maritime Scholarship Program is provided by the Eastport Yacht Club Foundation, in keeping with our mission to provide financial support to high school graduates who choose to pursue a marine or maritime career.

Criteria for Selection:

- Preference will be given to those applicants who reside in the core states that border the Chesapeake Bay Region.
- Applicants who reside outside the core area will be considered based on availability of funds.
- Applicants must have a minimum GPA of 2.75 to apply.
- Applicants agree to make time available to promote and talk about the Scholarship Program on a limited basis.

Scholarship Award:

- A Scholarship of up to \$2000.00 each will be awarded annually to those applying to an accredited school, program or course.
- Scholarships will be awarded by the EYCF on behalf of the recipient and paid directly to the accredited college, program or course upon receipt of the invoice/bill.
- Payments will be made twice during the school year, at the start of the first semester and the second semester.
- If funds are not used within one year from date shown on the award letter, the Scholarship will be forfeited.

Application Process:

- The Scholarship Application must be complete, in its entirety and emailed to eycfoundation@gmail.com
- Application must be submitted and received by June 1 of the calendar year.
- Applicants will be notified no later than July 15 of that same year.
- Applicant may re-apply each year for another Scholarship provided a minimum GPA of 2.75 and evaluation for continued study is acceptable.