

W. Price Jr. Memorial Scholarship Application



About the Scholarship

Each year the Texas Restaurant Association awards the W. Price Jr. Memorial Scholarship to students with a growing passion for the foodservice industry. The scholarship is named for W. Price Jr., the first executive director of the Texas Restaurant Association who served from 1953 until 1974. Seven scholarships of \$1,000 are awarded to students graduating high school or those currently enrolled in a post-secondary culinary program.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: New Extended Deadline - APRIL 1, 2019

Candidate must:

- ❖ Be a resident of the state of Texas, can attend a school outside of Texas
- ❖ Enrolled in any degreed foodservice or hospitality program
- ❖ Be a registered full time student (12+ hours), with at least
 - o 3 hours per semester devoted to foodservice or hospitality
 - o Provide proof of enrolled hours after the last drop date
- ❖ Have an overall GPA of 2.75 and major GPA of 3.5 | 2.75 for high school seniors

Application Evaluation & Selection Process:

- ❖ Grade point average, ACT/SAT scores, where applicable
- ❖ Strength of recommendation letters
- ❖ Honors & community involvement
- ❖ Industry related work experience
- ❖ Quality of essay response

Scholarship Requirements:

- ❖ Completed scholarship application
- ❖ Officially sealed transcript from current school
 - o Current college applicants must send transcript covering minimum of the previous 2 academic years, including high school transcript if a college freshman
- ❖ Two letters of recommendation, in sealed envelopes with signature over seal, from:
 - o Current or previous employer on company letterhead
 - o An official of your current school on school letterhead

Send all requirements, postmarked by March 15th, to:

W. Price Jr. Memorial Selection Committee
c/o TRAEF
PO Box 1429
Austin, TX 78767-1429

Your name and phone number must accompany all documents, including those mailed separately

