

The Society for Manufacturing Engineers offers **college scholarships** to graduating high school seniors who plan to enroll in a college major related to **Manufacturing Technology and/or Engineering**.



### Scholarship Qualifying Criteria

- Graduating high school senior
- Enrolling in an associate's or bachelor's degree in manufacturing or other technical fields that support manufacturing
- Citizen or permanent resident alien of the U.S. or Canada; or possess a U.S. or Canadian student Visa
- Full or part-time student
- GPA – minimum 2.0/4.0

### Application Requirements

- Application Period: November 1, 2024 – February 1, 2025
- One online application – considered for all eligible scholarships:  
[www.smeef.org/scholarships](http://www.smeef.org/scholarships)
- Current High School Transcript (uploaded as a PDF)
- List of all STEM courses taken in high school
- Two References – STEM Instructors, Engineering Mentors preferred

### Application Notes

- Scholarship awards range \$2,500 - \$20,000
- Students and schools do not need to be SME members to apply for scholarships
- Students must create an SME account to complete and submit a scholarship application
- STEM Courses include any courses in science, technology, engineering, computer/IT, mathematics, or others specific to a manufacturing/engineering pathway.
- The Application requires contact information for two references. The references are then contacted to complete their portion of the scholarship application.

### Timeline:

- ✓ Application Window: November 1, 2024 – February 1, 2025
- ✓ Reference Completion Deadline: February 8, 2025
- ✓ Application Review: February – April 2025
- ✓ Award Notification: May – June 2025
- ✓ Awards sent to Colleges: July – August 2025

**SME Education Foundation Online Scholarship Application Link:**

[www.smeef.org/scholarships](http://www.smeef.org/scholarships)