

KODIAK ELECTRIC ASSOCIATION, INC.

Your Electric Cooperative

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Attention: 2010 Continuing Education and Vocational Education Students

Kodiak Electric Association, Inc. (KEA) is pleased to offer 13 scholarship awards to continuing education students and vocational education students who are pursuing higher education at an accredited college, university, trade, or technical school in the fall of 2010. (*Graduating high school seniors are not eligible to apply for continuing education scholarships.*) To apply for these scholarships, you or your immediate family must be receiving service from KEA.

2010 Continuing Education Students

One (1)	\$ 2,000	Full-Time Continuing Education Scholarship
Six (6)	\$ 500	Full-Time Continuing Education Scholarships
One (1)	\$ 1,000	Part-Time Continuing Education Scholarship
Two (2)	\$ 500	Part-Time Continuing Education Scholarships

2010 Vocational Education Students

One (1)	\$ 2,000	Vocational Education Scholarship
Two (2)	\$ 1,000	Vocational Education Scholarships

Please review the attached document *Scholarship Awards Descriptions and Requirements – 2010 Continuing Education and Vocational Education Students* for specifics on each category of scholarships.

The KEA Scholarship Selection Committee will evaluate all complete application packets based on scholastic achievement, character, leadership, community involvement, educational goals, and potential future contributions to the cooperative and/or the community. The weight to be allotted to each of the criteria and special circumstances given shall be determined by the KEA Scholarship Selection Committee. Interviews with applicants may be requested. Applications and documents will not be returned unless you include this request on your application.

Upon award notification, applicants selected to receive KEA Scholarship Awards will be requested to provide a digital photograph that may be used for public relations and marketing material. Excerpts from recipients' acceptance letters or letters of appreciation may also be used for public relations or marketing materials.

This application packet includes the following documents:

- KEA Applicant Letter – 2010 Scholarship Awards for Continuing Education and Vocational Education Students
- KEA Descriptions and Requirements – 2010 Scholarship Awards for Continuing Education and Vocational Education Students
- KEA Document Checklist – 2010 Scholarship Application for Continuing Education and Vocational Education Students
- KEA Scholarship Application – 2010 Continuing Education and Vocational Education Students

To be considered for these scholarships, a complete application packet must be submitted! An eligibility checklist for your use is included with this application.

Official transcripts including your most recently completed semester grades must be submitted in an envelope provided and sealed by your school Registrar's Office. Unofficial transcripts, faxed transcripts, and internet printed grades will not be accepted. School Registrar transcript processing time varies; please allow your school at least a week to handle your request.

Special Note to University of Alaska students: Kodiak College, UAA, UAF, and UAS students may obtain expedited transcripts from the Registrar's Office at Kodiak College. Please contact Jenny Myrick, Registrar.

All complete application documents must be received no later than 5:00 p.m. on February 19, 2010 at the KEA office at 515 E. Marine Way, Kodiak, Alaska, 99615. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

Please contact me at (907) 486-7700 if you have any questions about the scholarships, application, or the selection process.

Sincerely,

KODIAK ELECTRIC ASSOCIATION, INC.



Nancy B. Sweeney
Communication/Human Resource Specialist

Attachments (3)

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**SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS
DESCRIPTIONS AND REQUIREMENTS
2010 CONTINUING EDUCATION AND
VOCATIONAL EDUCATION STUDENTS**

Application due date: February 19, 2010

Kodiak Electric Association, Inc. (KEA) is pleased to offer 13 scholarships to continuing education and vocational education students who are pursuing higher education at an accredited college, university, trade, or technical school in the fall of 2010. Awards will be presented at the KEA 68th Annual Membership Meeting on April 12, 2010. The descriptions and requirements for each scholarship are as follows:

1. **One (1) \$2,000 Full-Time Continuing Education Scholarship** – This is a one time scholarship. *Graduating high school seniors are not eligible for this scholarship.* Applicant must be enrolled full-time carrying a minimum of 12 credit hours in a college program, or be accepted as a full-time student leading toward a bachelor or master degree. Applicant must have completed 12 or more college credits with a minimum GPA of 2.5 at any accredited school. Applicant or applicant's immediate family must be receiving service from KEA.
2. **Six (6) \$500 Full-Time Continuing Education Scholarships** – These are one time scholarships. *Graduating high school seniors are not eligible for these scholarships.* Applicant must be enrolled full-time carrying a minimum of 12 credit hours in a college program, or be accepted as a full-time student leading toward a bachelor or master degree. Applicant must have completed 12 or more college credits with a minimum GPA of 2.5 at any accredited school. Applicant or applicant's immediate family must be receiving service from KEA.
3. **One (1) \$1,000 Part-Time Continuing Education Scholarship** – This is a one time scholarship. *Graduating high school seniors are not eligible for this scholarship.* Applicant must be enrolled part-time carrying at least six but less than 12 credit hours at the University of Alaska Anchorage Kodiak College, or in an accredited correspondence study or distance delivery program. Applicant must have completed 12 or more college credits with a minimum GPA of 2.5 at any accredited school. Applicant or applicant's immediate family must be receiving service from KEA.

4. **Two (2) \$500 Part–Time Continuing Education Scholarships** – These are one time scholarships. *Graduating high school seniors are not eligible for these scholarships.* Applicant must be enrolled part-time carrying at least six but less than 12 credit hours at the University of Alaska Anchorage Kodiak College, or in an accredited correspondence study or distance delivery program. Applicant must have completed 12 or more college credits with a minimum GPA of 2.5 at any accredited school. Applicant or applicant’s immediate family must be receiving service from KEA.

5. **One (1) \$2,000 Vocational Scholarship** – This is a one time scholarship. Applicant must be or have been a graduating senior in Kodiak High School, Port Lions High School, a Kodiak Island Borough School District Program, or GED certified student, or graduate from a correspondence study or distance delivery program accredited by the State of Alaska Department of Education. Applicant must be pursuing formal vocational training to prepare for a career in a trade, and/or technical or skilled service occupation, including health occupations. Applicant must be receiving service from KEA.

6. **Two (2) \$1,000 Vocational Scholarships** – These are one time scholarships. Applicant must be or have been a graduating senior in Kodiak High School, Port Lions High School, a Kodiak Island Borough School District Program, or GED certified student, or graduate from a correspondence study or distance delivery program accredited by the State of Alaska Department of Education. Applicant must be pursuing formal vocational training to prepare for a career in a trade, and/or technical or skilled service occupation, including health occupations. Applicant must be receiving service from KEA.

The scholarship funds will be disbursed to recipient’s accredited college, university, trade, or technical school through the Financial Aid Office or Admissions Office. The scholarship money may be used for registration, tuition, books, and room and board fees. Any funds not used will revert back to the KEA scholarship trust fund.

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SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION 2010 CONTINUING EDUCATION AND VOCATIONAL EDUCATION STUDENTS

CHECK LIST OF APPLICATION DOCUMENTS

All application documents are due by 5:00 p.m. on February 19, 2010. To be considered for any of the Kodiak Electric Association, Inc. scholarship awards, your application packet *must* include all of the following items:

- _____ Complete scholarship application (enclosed).
- _____ Official transcripts showing Grade Point Average.
(Official transcripts including your most recently comply completed semester grades must be submitted in an envelope provided and sealed by your school Registrar's Office. Unofficial transcripts, faxed transcripts, and internet printed grades will not be accepted.)

(Special Note to University of Alaska students: Kodiak College, UAA, UAF, and UAS students may obtain expedited transcripts from the Registrar's Office at Kodiak College.)
- _____ A short statement about receiving service from KEA.
- _____ An essay outlining your personal history. Include information about yourself, your family, and what you like to do. (Two-page maximum)
- _____ An essay on your educational goals, your field of study, the school you plan to attend, your plans beyond your formal educational years, and an outline of contributions you have made to your community. (One-page maximum)
- _____ A brief explanation on how you plan to finance your formal education.
- _____ Two current letters of recommendation, written and dated within the past year. At least one letter must be from a reference not employed by the Kodiak Island Borough School District.

Return all application and requested materials to:

Kodiak Electric Association, Inc.
ATTENTION: Scholarship Committee
515 E. Marine Way
Kodiak, AK 99615

The deadline for receiving all applications and all requested materials at the above address is 5:00 p.m., February 19, 2010. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

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Please type or print.

Please indicate which category of scholarship that you are applying for.
(check one)

- A. Full-Time Continuing Education Scholarship
 B. Part-Time Continuing Education Scholarship
 C. Vocational Education Scholarship

Full Name: Last _____ First _____ Middle _____

Grade Point Average (GPA): _____ (at) Name of School: _____

Major or Course of Study in accredited college, university, trade, or technical school:

Years resident in Kodiak, Alaska: _____ Years attended school in Alaska: _____

Permanent Mailing Address: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Home Phone Number: _____ Cell Phone Number: _____

Work Number: _____ Best Time to Call: _____

Occupation: _____

Name of Spouse (if applicable): _____

Occupation of Spouse: _____

*(You may also attach a resume and a separate sheet
to provide the information requested below.)*

Post-High School Education: List names of schools, dates attended, and level achieved since high school graduation. _____

Participation in School and Community: List activities and/or organizations (including volunteer and community service activities) in which you are or have been active after high school. Provide dates. Indicate leadership positions, special honors or outstanding achievements.

Employment: List employment you have held after high school. Provide dates. Indicate leadership positions, special honors, awards, outstanding achievements. _____

Scholarship Awards: List any scholarships/grants you have received for the 2010/2011 school year: _____

Name, address, and phone number of accredited college, university, trade, or technical school you plan to attend in the fall of 2010. Have you been accepted? *(Indicate Yes or No)* _____

Attach the following documents:

- Official transcripts showing Grade Point Average (GPA)
(Must be submitted in the envelope provided and sealed by your school Registrar's Office.)
- A short statement about receiving services from KEA
- An essay outlining your personal history
- An essay on your educational goals, your field of study, the school you plan to attend, your plans beyond your formal educational years, and an outline of contributions you have made to your community
- A brief explanation on how you plan to finance your formal education
- Two current letters of recommendation written and dated within the past year. *(At least one letter must be from a reference not employed by the Kodiak Island Borough School District.)*

Signature: _____ Date: _____