

## STEM EDUCATION AWARDS

**Application Opening Date:** March 1

**Application Closing Date:** April 30

STEM Education Awards range in value between \$2,500 and \$20,000 and are awarded to qualified Bermudian candidates studying for a first degree in Science, Technology, Engineering or Mathematics at accredited schools for one academic year. Applicants are not required to have completed prior university education.

The Award recipient is expected to maintain a minimum grade point average of 2.5.

Recipients of BELCO STEM Awards have the opportunity to apply for summer employment with the Liberty Group. This opportunity is based on job availability at the time and is evaluated on a case-by-case basis.

**All applications must be submitted via [bermudascholarships.com](http://bermudascholarships.com) or via email to [hr@belco.bm](mailto:hr@belco.bm).**

### SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA

1. Candidates must have received notification of acceptance or provisional acceptance at an approved university to pursue a degree in a STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering & Math) related discipline.
2. Award candidates must have an up-to-date, sealed official university or secondary school transcript (whichever applies) sent to the Scholarship Administrator via the BELCO Human Resources Department at 27 Serpentine Road, Pembroke HM07, Bermuda.
3. The scholarship will be awarded based on academic merit, good character and general, all-round social, community and academic excellence.
4. Consideration will also be given to future employment needs at BELCO and within Bermuda.

### GENERAL CONDITIONS FOR ALL CANDIDATES

1. Offers of scholarship are subject to the timely completion of all application steps outlined.
2. Candidates must be Bermudian, aged 17 years or over, and have attended school in Bermuda for at least five years.
3. All candidates must provide the following:
  - a. Proof of Bermudian status
  - b. Details of academic achievements to date
  - c. Letter from the local educational institution verifying five years of schooling in Bermuda
  - d. Statement of financial costs from university attending
  - e. Typed, one page essay on your course of study, academic success & career objectives
  - f. Two written character references (from non-relatives)
  - g. A minimum of one academic reference
  - h. Acceptance letter from the educational institution (if not available at time of application, the applicant must attach a document indicating when the letter will be available)
  - i. Official transcript from educational institution currently attending

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Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Application: \_\_\_\_\_

Place of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Nationality: \_\_\_\_\_ Do you possess Bermudian status? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Primary Contact Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Secondary Contact Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
House Name, House Number, Street, Parish, Postal Code

Years Educated in Bermuda: ☐ Less than 5 years ☐ 5 years or more (provide supporting documents)

Current Educational Institution: \_\_\_\_\_

Intended Educational Institution: \_\_\_\_\_

Programme of Study: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a transfer student? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Year Entering: \_\_\_\_\_ Intended Year of Graduation: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you currently holding a major scholarship/bursary/grant or award? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If "Yes", please state the organisation, amount and period of scholarship, bursary, grant or award.

### Attachment Checklist:

- ☐ Proof of Bermudian status
- ☐ Details of academic achievements to date
- ☐ Letter from a local educational institution verifying five years of schooling in Bermuda
- ☐ Statement of financial costs from the intended university
- ☐ Typed, one page essay on your course of study, academic success and career objectives
- ☐ Two written character references (from non-relatives) and a minimum of one academic reference
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