



2025 18th ANNUAL
IUPAT DISTRICT COUNCIL 7
SCHOLARSHIP ESSAY CONTEST

District Council 7 is proud to announce the availability of six (6) college scholarships ranging from \$500 to \$2,000 for dependents of members in good standing. Applications will be accepted from May 1, 2025, through June 30, 2025. Details are listed below:

1. This scholarship contest is open to all children, including stepchildren and grandchildren, of District Council 7 members in good standing.
2. Applicants will submit a typewritten, double-spaced essay of between 750 and 1,000 words on a topic chosen by the District Council 7 Scholarship Committee.

The 2025 essay topic is:

*What does 'One Union, One Family, One Fight' mean to you and how has growing up in a union family shaped your understanding of solidarity and community?
(Sharing personal stories is encouraged)*

3. Completed applications must be received by the DC 7 Scholarship Committee at P. O. Box 189, Big Bend, WI 53103 no later than June 30, 2025.
4. All applicants must show proof of acceptance at a certified college, university, vocational, trade school, or other accredited institute of higher learning.
5. There will be one award for \$2,000, one award for \$1,000 and four awards at \$500.
6. A decision on the winning essays will be made in July 2025. Winning participants will be notified by phone and by mail requesting their attendance at the District Council 7 Delegate Meeting on August 6, 2025, where they will receive their awards.
7. The decisions of the Scholarship Committee are final. Any disputes over the interpretation of these rules will be decided by the DC 7 Scholarship Committee.
8. Applicants must be no older than 23 years of age when applying for the scholarships.
9. Previous winners are not eligible.
10. Winners will be published on the Council's website.

Fliers will be available at monthly union meetings, but you must contact the Council Office to obtain an application form at 262-910-9036. You can be supplied with a digital or paper flier and application form.