

2024 GRAND VALLEY POWER

CMU Tech Electric Lineworker Scholarship

Grand Valley Power's CMU Tech Electric Lineworker Scholarship is created to promote the educational pursuits of students in Grand Valley Power's service territory specifically for the purpose of obtaining an Electric Lineworker certificate from CMU Tech.

While this scholarship is open to any applicant who lives in Mesa County, priority will be given to applicants who reside in households served by Grand Valley Power.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants must:

- Submit all the required information on the application,
- Have a letter of acceptance from CMU Tech in the Electric Lineworker program,
- Enroll full-time (min. 12 credit hours per semester or quarter),
- Be currently residing in a home served by Grand Valley Power.

SELECTION CRITERIA

Applications must be made on forms supplied by Grand Valley Power and must include:

1. Official transcript from the last high school or college attended.
2. Two letters of recommendation from non-relatives.
3. A written essay on why the applicant should be awarded a Grand Valley Power Electric Lineworker Scholarship. The applicant should describe the chosen career path you are taking and why. The applicant should also discuss such items as school and community involvement, volunteer experience, leadership and work opportunities and financial need.
4. A photo of the applicant is to be included with the application.

Applications must be postmarked or submitted online at gvp.org by June 1, 2024. Applications being mailed should be sent to: Grand Valley Power, RE: CMU Tech Electric Lineworker Scholarship, PO Box 190, Grand Junction, Colorado 81502.

AWARDS

One (1) \$2,000 scholarship will be granted to a student in 2024.

The scholarship winner is required to attend their school's senior awards event (if applicable) and Grand Valley Power's annual membership meeting on August 8, 2024 to be recognized.

Awards may be used to cover any of the following costs at CMU Tech:

- * Tuition costs.
- * On-campus room and board expenses during the academic year only.
- * Appropriate allowances for books and fees.

The Grand Valley Power CMU Tech Electric Lineworker Scholarship may be combined with other scholarships, grants and awards.

This scholarship is not renewable. **Applicants can only receive one GVP scholarship per lifetime. Applicants are not eligible to receive multiple scholarships in a year issued by Grand Valley Power.** Priority will be given to applicants who live in a home that receives electricity from Grand Valley Power.

A committee of educators appointed by the Board of Directors of Grand Valley Power will review all applications received by the due date and select an awardee, who will be notified by mail and/or email by July 1, 2024.

All decisions by Grand Valley Power are final.

CMU TECH ELECTRIC LINEWORKER SCHOLARSHIP

PERSONAL DATA FORM

Instructions: Type or neatly print all information. Completed application with original essay, official transcripts and two letters of recommendation should be submitted online at gvp.org or by mail to: Grand Valley Power, RE: CMU TECH Electric Lineworker Scholarship, PO Box 190, Grand Junction, CO 81502, and must be submitted online or postmarked no later than May 1, 2024.

1) Name: _____
(First) (Middle) (Last)

2) Date of Birth: _____

3) Applicant's Home Address: _____
(GVP service address) (Number & Street) (City) (State) (Zip)

4) Applicant's Mailing Address: _____
(If different from above)

5) Applicant's Phone Number: _____ Home or Cell (Circle One)

6) E-mail that you check regularly: _____

7) Last School Attended: _____
(Name) (City) (Zip)

Please arrange to have an official transcript mailed to Grand Valley Power.

8) Will you be a full-time or part-time student? _____

9) Degree sought or area of study: _____

10) Estimated cost of attendance (COA) for the 2024-2025 school year:

Tuition: _____

Room and Board: _____

Fees: _____

Books: _____

Total Costs: _____

11) List all other scholarships, grants, and loans you have applied to and/or received for the 2024-2025 school year (attach additional sheets if necessary):

Name	Amount	Received? (yes/no/pending)
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

12) List your Expected Family Contribution (EFC) to your educational costs (as calculated on your FAFSA application): _____

13) List your own contribution to your educational costs: _____

14) List your Financial Need as calculated on your FAFSA application: _____

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ESSAY

A written or typed essay on why the applicant should be awarded a Grand Valley Power Electric Lineworker Scholarship. The applicant should describe the chosen career path you are taking and why. The applicant should also discuss such items as school and community involvement, volunteer experience, leadership and work opportunities and financial need. (Attach additional sheets if necessary.)

ELECTRIC LINEWORKER SCHOLARSHIP RECOMMENDATION FORM

Name of applicant: _____

To the applicant: Please check the appropriate blank, sign and date below:

I expressly waive _____, I do not waive _____, any rights I might have of access to this letter of recommendation under the Family Rights and Privacy Act of 1974.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Name of Recommender: _____

Address: _____

Relationship to applicant: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

To the Recommender: CMU Tech Electric Lineworker Scholarship was created to promote the educational pursuits of students in Grand Valley Power's territory, and expand the educational opportunities available to them in CMU Tech Electrical Lineworker program.

On your own letterhead, please describe:

- the nature and extent of your contact with the applicant; and
- your assessment of the applicant's character, commitment, and ability to earn the degree being sought.

Please staple/attach this form to your letterhead.

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ELECTRIC LINEWORKER SCHOLARSHIP

Applicant Photo & Photo Release Form

Applicant must include a recent photo of reproduction quality with this application.

Photo Release Form

I hereby consent to the photography of _____, (applicant's name) and the use of those photographs in the conjunction with other photographs for advertising, publicity, commercial or other purposes. I further consent to the reproduction and use of said photographs for use in all domestic markets.

I hereby release Grand Valley Power and any of its directors, officers and employees from all claims of any kind on account of use.

(Printed Name of Applicant)

(Signature of Applicant)

(Print Name of Parent/Guardian)
Required for minors under 18 years of age

(Signature of Parent/Guardian)