



A Light To The Community

January 11, 2024

Dear High School Applicant:

Thank you for your interest in applying for a Robert Baxter "Trades Work" Scholarship. Please read the attached application carefully and note the qualifications on the first page. It is imperative that the application is completed in its entirety and submitted by March 8, 2024.

Monies available for the Robert Baxter "Trades Work" Scholarship are allocated by Mr. Robert Baxter, an RL Turner Alum and administered by The Civic League. The Robert Baxter "Trades Work" Scholarship can be used to support the pursuit of vocational/trade education in programs supporting the following trades:

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| Automotive Tech & Repair          | Electrician / Electric Lineman           |
| Air Traffic controller            | Police or Emergency Dispatcher           |
| Aviation Mechanic or Service Tech | Heavy Equipment Operation                |
| Boiler Maker or Steam Filter      | HVAC                                     |
| Bus Mechanic                      | Industrial Equipment Mechanic            |
| Civil Engineer Tech or Surveyor   | Locksmith or Safe Repair                 |
| Commercial Truck Driver           | Machining and Manufacturing              |
| Construction Trades               | Masonry-Brick, Stone, or Tile Millwright |
| Crane Operator                    | Plumber or Pipe Fitter                   |
| Diesel Engine Mechanic            | Water-Wastewater Plant Operator          |
| Drafting & Technical Illustration | Welding & Cutting Certification          |

Please refer any questions about the scholarship process to your school counselor or send an email to me at [scholarshipschair@thecivicleague.org](mailto:scholarshipschair@thecivicleague.org).

The Civic League would like to congratulate you on your decision to further your education!

Sincerely,

Marti Lee  
2023 - 2024 Scholarship Committee Chair  
The Civic League Foundation, Inc.



**SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION  
HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR  
Robert Baxter Trades Work Scholarship**

**SCHOOL OFFICE USE ONLY**

**School Counselors Should Complete This Page**

**Applicant must meet ALL of the following qualifications:**

- 1) Demonstrate a definite need for financial assistance.
- 2) Attend a CFB-ISD school.
- 3) Have a grade point average of 2.5 or higher.
- 4) Have applied to a technical school prior to submitting this scholarship application.
- 5) Submit two written references who can substantiate your work ethic and character.  
References from teachers, supervisors and clergy are preferred.
- 6) Submit a written essay explaining
  - a) Who you are and why you are deserving of this opportunity
  - b) What has made you interested in pursuing a technical skill
  - c) Explain what motivates you to come to work / school each day
  - d) Share a challenge you have overcome in life to be successful

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

GPA: \_\_\_\_\_ Class Rank: # \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_

SAT Score: \_\_\_\_\_ ACT Score: \_\_\_\_\_

Annual Family Income: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Annual Student Income: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Counselor's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Possible Major or Field of Study: \_\_\_\_\_

Schools Applied To: \_\_\_\_\_

Counselor's Notes: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Robert Baxter Trades Work  
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION  
HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR**

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**STUDENT INFORMATION:**

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Gender:  Male  Female

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Apt \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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

**PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORMATION:**

Father's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent(s)' Marital Status:  Married  
(check one)  Single  
 Divorced/Separated  
 Widow(er)

List other people residing in your home and their relationship to you, including siblings, grandparents, etc.:

| <u>Name</u> | <u>Relationship</u> | <u>Age</u> |
|-------------|---------------------|------------|
| _____       | _____               | _____      |
| _____       | _____               | _____      |
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Are there other children attending college or technical school in your home?  Yes  No

If yes, how many? \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, list the names of the colleges or technical schools these children attend: \_\_\_\_\_

Your college/technical school/vocational training school of choice: \_\_\_\_\_

Possible major or field of study: \_\_\_\_\_

Estimated Cost for Attending Your Technical School of Choice \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Annual Family Income:  Below \$20,000  \$40,000 - \$49,999  \$70,000 - \$79,999  
 (check one)  \$20,000 - \$29,999  \$50,000 - \$59,999  \$80,000+ \_\_\_\_\_  
 \$30,000 - \$39,999  \$60,000 - \$69,999 (list amount)

Please explain any unusual or extenuating circumstances that require financial assistance to enable you to attend college: \_\_\_\_\_



## Robert Baxter Trades Work

### HIGH SCHOOL ACCOMPLISHMENTS AND ATTENDANCE:

Please answer the following questions (use a separate sheet if necessary):

1. Is your high school transcript an accurate measure of your ability and potential?  
If not, what is the best measure of your potential in high school?

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2. What have you learned during your high school years that will help you attain your future goals?  
Please include your short-term and long-term goals.

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3. How many full school days have you missed this year?  
Explain any circumstances that may have contributed to excessive absences.

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### TEACHER REFERENCES:

List two teachers from your high school, as well as the classes they teach, who know you well enough to evaluate you thoroughly as a student. **Remember to submit their referral letters with your application.**

Teacher's Name

Class Subject

Grade Class Was Taken

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### PERSONAL REFERENCE:

Name one person outside of school (**not** related to you or connected with the school in any way) who will provide a recommendation letter on your behalf. **Remember to submit the referral letter with your application.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

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



## Robert Baxter Trades Work

### STUDENT WORK EXPERIENCE:

Employer

Employment Dates

Location

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### EDUCATIONAL/CAREER OBJECTIVE:

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### EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES:

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### AWARDS/HONORS:

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### INTERESTS AND PERSONAL ACTIVITIES:

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### COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES AND INVOLVEMENT:

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**Written Essay explaining items listed in qualifications listed on first page of this application.**