



## ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

### **CRITERIA:**

1. Applicant must be a local Orange County resident.
2. Applicant must be a graduating high school senior or a Jr. College transfer in the year of the award.
3. Applicant must be a college/university student in the upcoming academic year with an interest or intent to pursue a career in geology, or related field.

### **Personal Information:**

**Applicant Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Age:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Home Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**City:** \_\_\_\_\_ **State:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip Code:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone #** \_\_\_\_\_ **Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

### **High School or Jr. College Information:**

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

**City:** \_\_\_\_\_ **State:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip Code:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone #** \_\_\_\_\_

\*A complete high school or Jr. College transcript with cumulative grade point averages and a class standing/rank must accompany this application.

**Personal Reference Letter:** Please return this application with two letters of reference (non-family member) who can attest to your character, commitment and potential for making a contribution to the field of geology.

**Academic Reference Letter:** One letter of recommendation from the student's high school teacher, counselor or administrator,

**Activities and Honors:** List all activities you are involved in and any honors that you have received.

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**Volunteer Service:** List all activities you have participated in through volunteer work or community services.

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**Tell us about why you are pursuing a career in geology:**

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Please include an application cover letter addressed to the Searchers Scholarship Committee. The letter should include a brief explanation of your career goals and why you feel you are the best candidate for this scholarship.