



Northwest Private Industry Council (NWPIC)

Classroom Training Scholarship
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WHAT IS A CLASSROOM TRAINING SCHOLARSHIP?

A Classroom Training Scholarship is classroom training funding for academic or occupational skills training leading to permanent full-time employment.

HOW MUCH IS A CLASSROOM TRAINING SCHOLARSHIP?

The funding amounts for Classroom Training Scholarships vary, according to budget amounts and the number of participants. We require that each individual also apply for a Free Application for Student Aid (FAFSA). The NWPIC Classroom Training Scholarship is in **ADDITION** to any funding offered through FAFSA. This applies to grants and loans.

HOW LONG WILL THE CLASSROOM TRAINING SCHOLARSHIP LAST?

The NWPIC may be able to assist with funding for up to a two-year degree. For instance, if the individual is enrolled for a four year program, the NWPIC may be able to fund the later of the two years. If the individual is enrolled in a two year program, the NWPIC may be able to assist with funding for the duration of training.

HOW DO I APPLY FOR A CLASSROOM TRAINING SCHOLARSHIP?

Classroom Training is not an entitlement, so applicants should complete a program application and submit the application according to the directions on the program application.

ARE THERE ANY PRIORITIES FOR TRAINING?

Priority for a Classroom Training Scholarship is given to Veterans first, then individuals who are being trained for occupations that are in demand within the Northwest Workforce Service Area. The Northwest Workforce Service Area consists of Kittson, Marshall, Norman, Pennington, Polk, Red Lake and Roseau Counties.

WHAT ARE OCCUPATIONS IN DEMAND?

Occupations in Demand are listed on the MNCareers Supplement. These Supplements are available, at no charge, by contacting the NWPIC and on our website: www.nwpic.net

IS THERE MORE PAPERWORK AFTER MY APPLICATION?

All individuals interested in receiving a Classroom Training Scholarship will be required to complete an Occupational Research Packet that will guide them in researching labor market information, comparing training programs and identifying barriers that may affect the applicant's ability to successfully complete their training program.

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