

# Scholarship Rules and Regulations for High School Applicants

## Essay Requirements

Essays will be judged on whether the student is able to argue for and justify his or her ideas on renewable energy. Judges will look for writing that is clear, articulate and logically organized. Essay must be at least 750 words in length. Spelling errors and/or written corrections found by the judges on the essay will count against the final score and should be omitted before submission.

## Applicant Eligibility

Applicants must be a U.S. Citizen or Permanent Legal Resident of the United States. Employees of Semper Solaris, its parents, affiliates and subsidiaries, participating advertising and promotion agencies, and members of said employees' immediate family and those living in the same household of employees are not eligible.

Applicants must be a current senior high school student at the time of submission. Applicants must have a cumulative high school grade point average of at least 3.0 on a 4-point scale, and be enrolled full-time as a high school senior between January 1, 2023 and December 31, 2023.

Applicants attending military academies and home school are eligible for this scholarship.

## Distribution of Payments

The two winning applicants will each receive a one-time, \$500 scholarship. The scholarship is to be applied to qualified expenses, including undergraduate tuition, fees, books, and on-campus room and board for the 2023 academic year. Funds are provided directly by Semper Solaris. Payments are issued by Semper Solaris, made payable to the student to the last address designated by the student. Payments are sent after Semper Solaris has received proof of GPA and enrollment from the student's high school.

## Winner Selection and Announcements

The winner will be announced a week after the deadline. Each entry will be judged on creativity, intricacy, and relevance to the prompt, as well as how they promoted their post. All entries must be shared with [scholarships@sempersolaris.com](mailto:scholarships@sempersolaris.com).

## Responsibilities of Recipients

The recipient must be actively enrolled at the time of submission full-time as a senior student in Spring 2023 - Fall 2023 and for the entire academic year without interruption, barring illness, or emergency. The recipient must send proof of GPA and enrollment from the student's school within 30 days of being contacted as a winner. It is the recipient's responsibility to verify receipt of funds and notify Semper Solaris should the award check not arrive on or after 30 days from the issue date.

## Permissions

Semper Solaris reserves the right to alter or discontinue this program at any time without notice.

## Contest Terms and Conditions

The rules of the competition and the prize for each winner are as follows:

1. The promoter of this competition is Semper Solaris located at 1805 John Towers Ave., El Cajon, CA 92020.
2. Employees of Semper Solaris, its parents, affiliates and subsidiaries, participating advertising and promotion agencies, and members of employees' immediate family and those living in the same household of employees are not eligible.
3. Applicants must be at least 16 years old in order to participate.
4. Only U.S. Citizens and Permanent Legal Residents of the United States are eligible to participate.
5. VOID WHERE PROHIBITED.

6. There is no entry fee and no purchase necessary to enter this competition. Any purchase or consideration otherwise given by entrants will not improve one's chances of winning.
7. Route to entry for the competition and details of how to enter are available via <https://www.sempersolaris.com/semper-solaris-scholarship/>. Individuals may enter to win by clicking on the participation link on the sempersolaris.com website. Upon clicking the participation link, applicants must provide their name, contact information, their university issued .edu email address, and provide their final chart's link so that Semper Solaris can notify the winner of the results.
8. Closing date for entry will be May 31st, 2023 at 11:59:59pm PST. After this date no further entries to the competition will be permitted.
9. Only one entry is allowed per applicant.
10. Odds of winning are based on the total number of entrants. Only one winner will be selected from the entire pool of eligible entries.
11. Winners will be chosen by an independent adjudicator or panel of judges appointed by Semper Solaris.
12. The winner will be notified by email and/or letter within 35 days of the closing date. If the winner cannot be contacted or does not claim the prize within 14 days of notification, we reserve the right to withdraw the prize from the winner and pick a replacement winner.
13. Semper Solaris will notify the winner when and where the prize can be collected.
14. The winners will receive a one-time, \$500 scholarship to be applied to qualified expenses.
15. No cash alternative to the prizes will be offered. The prizes are not transferable. Prizes are subject to availability and Semper Solaris reserves the right to substitute any prize with another of equivalent value without giving notice.
16. The winner agrees to the use of his/her name and image in any publicity material. Any personal data relating to the winner or any other entrants will be used solely in accordance with current federal and state data protection legislation and will not be disclosed to a third party without the entrant's prior consent.
17. Semper Solaris may make the winner's name available publicly.

18. Semper Solaris's decision in respect of all matters to do with the competition will be final and no correspondence will be entered into.
19. Semper Solaris accepts no responsibility for entries not received for whatever reason.
20. Semper Solaris reserves the right to cancel or amend the competition and these terms and conditions without notice in the event of a catastrophe, war, civil or military disturbance, act of God or any actual or anticipated breach of any applicable law or regulation or any other event outside of Semper Solaris's control. Any changes to the competition will be notified to entrants as soon as possible by Semper Solaris.
21. Semper Solaris is not responsible for inaccurate prize details supplied to any entrant by any third party connected with this competition.
22. The competition and these terms and conditions will be governed by California law and any disputes will be subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of California.
23. This promotion is in no way sponsored, endorsed or administered by, or associated with, Facebook, Twitter or any other social network. You are providing your information to Semper Solaris and not to any other party. The information provided will be used in conjunction with the Terms of Service and Privacy Policy found at [www.sempersolaris.com](http://www.sempersolaris.com).
24. Entry into the competition will be deemed as acceptance of these terms and conditions.

## Additional Questions

Contact us at [scholarships@sempersolaris.com](mailto:scholarships@sempersolaris.com) if you have questions about Semper Solaris Scholarship Programs.

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