

# ***Terraphase Engineering and Science Scholarship Fund Application***

## ***Information for Applicant***

The Terraphase Engineering and Science Scholarship Fund was established in 2020 to provide scholarships to students who are interested in pursuing a four-year college degree in science and engineering fields related to the environment. The Terraphase Engineering and Science Scholarship Foundation is a 501c3. As a way of contributing to our communities in which we live and work, our long-term goal is to provide scholarships in multiple school districts which are located near our various Terraphase offices across the US.

### **Eligibility Criteria**

- Must be a United States citizen or permanent resident
- Must be a graduating high school senior with plans to pursue a 4-year degree related to the environment.
  - o The award is contingent on providing proof of acceptance to the school with the 4-year degree program
- Applicants must not be an immediate family member of the Terraphase Engineering and Science Scholarship Foundation Board of Directors or award selection committee

### **Award Amount**

The award amount is \$10,000 per year for up to four years and may be used for university/college billed expenses such as tuition. In order to receive the award each year for up to four years, you will be required to show proof of continued full-time enrollment in a university/college and a transcript showing: a declared major and/or course work applicable to a degree related to the environment and a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale).

### **Application Procedure**

Please complete the requested information on the application form. Fields with a \* are required. Applications with illegible or incomplete information will not be considered.

PLEASE NOTE: A completed application includes:

- The completed application form
- High School Transcript with GPA
- Completed Personal Essay
- Two Letters of Recommendation from non-family members. Letters of recommendation can be submitted separately but must be received by the indicated due date.

Completed applications and supporting information can be emailed to:

[teischolarships@terraphase.com](mailto:teischolarships@terraphase.com)

Or mailed to:

Terraphase Engineering and Science Scholarship Fund  
Attention: Jen Otto  
1300 Clay Street, Suite 1000  
Oakland, California 94612

### **Application Deadline**

Completed applications including the two letters of recommendation must be postmarked no later than April 15, 2024 or emailed no later than April 15, 2024, 4:00 pm (Pacific Standard Time). Applications received after indicated date/time will **NOT** be considered.

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**Application Form**

Student Information

First Name\* \_\_\_\_\_

Middle Name (optional) \_\_\_\_\_

Last Name\* \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth (MM/DD/YYYY)\* \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a US Citizen or permanent resident?\*  Yes  No

Student Contact information

Permanent Address\* (street or PO Box) \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

Parent/Guardian name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Student High School

Name and Address of High School\*: \_\_\_\_\_

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Intended Date of Graduation (MM/YYYY)\*: \_\_\_\_\_

Current Grade Point Average (on 4.0 scale)\*: \_\_\_\_\_

Please attach your most recent high school transcript\*

University Information

Have you accepted an admissions offer from a 4-year University/College program\*?

Yes  No

If yes, name and address of Institution and Program (please attach proof of acceptance)

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### Personal Essay (500 Words or Less)\*

*Please include below or attach separately a personal essay of 500 words or less which states why you are interested in pursuing a degree related to the environment. Please include statements about what you hope to do with a degree in environmental science or engineering. Other information you may wish to include in your essay: a description of a project or activity you have worked on which was related to the environment; a description of participation in extracurricular activities in which you've participated that may be relevant or show dedication to the environment, or any other reason(s) why you are deserving of this scholarship.*

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**Letters of Recommendation are due by April 15, 2024**

**Failure to receive this information by the scholarship deadline disqualifies the applying student.**

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**Attention: Jen Otto**

**1300 Clay Street, Suite 1000**

**Oakland, California 94612**

or [teischolarships@terrphase.com](mailto:teischolarships@terrphase.com)

### **TERRAPHASE ENGINEERING AND SCIENCE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION**

Name of Applicant

The person named above is applying for the Terraphase Engineering and Science Scholarship. A description of the characteristics and abilities of this applicant would provide supplementary information to the Scholarship Committee.

Your Name

Please briefly explain, how long and in what capacity have you known the applicant?

**PLEASE INDICATE BELOW, ON A SEPARATE SHEET OF PAPER, OR ON THE REVERSE OF THIS PAGE, WHY YOU WOULD RECOMMEND THIS PERSON TO BE A DESERVING RECIPIENT OF THE TERRAPHASE ENGINEERING AND SCIENCE SCHOLARSHIP.**

Signature:

I can be reached at: phone:

email:

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