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Applications are now available for the

Massachusetts AFL-CIO Scholarship Program

for Massachusetts high school seniors planning to attend some form of higher education in the fall of 2010.

One application and test is used to award

- Massachusetts AFL-CIO scholarships – open to all such students
- Scholarships offered by unions, usually to children of members
- Scholarships from Central Labor Councils, usually to children of members of unions that affiliate with the CLC *
- Some scholarships from other organizations

Applicants must

Visit <http://www.massafcio.org/scholarship-program> for the **application, instructions, study guide, etc.**

Contact your high school guidance counselor and let them know you wish to participate.

Fill out an application and return it to the Massachusetts AFL-CIO Scholarship Coordinator no later than **Friday, December 16, 2009**. Mail it to 389 Main Street, Suite 101, Malden MA 02148, or fax it to (781) 324-8225.

Take the Labor History Exam in the high school on **Wednesday, February 3, 2010**.

Contact Meghann Connolly, AFL-CIO Scholarship Coordinator, at 781-324-8230 x10, or mconnolly@massafcio.org, with any general questions. Contact your union and/or CLC with particular questions.

***NOTE: the Pioneer Valley Central Labor Council awards six \$500 scholarships. In 2010, they will be awarded through a separate process; applicants do not need to take the Labor History Exam in February. PVCLC will make a separate announcement of its scholarship program next year.**

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