



Frontier Natural Gas Company is proud to continue its sponsorship of the annual **Frontier Natural Gas Scholarship**. A single **\$500 scholarship** will be awarded to a 2026 graduating student who plans to pursue a degree in **Science, Business, or Engineering**. One scholarship will be awarded in each of the six counties served by Frontier Natural Gas: **Ashe, Surry, Warren, Watauga, Wilkes, and Yadkin**.

**Scholarship**

A one-time **\$500 scholarship** will be awarded to the applicant who submits the strongest written essay. The essay prompt will be provided to the students by their guidance counselor after they have submitted **proof of acceptance** and an **enrollment date** from an accredited college or university.

**Criteria**

To be considered for the Frontier Natural Gas Scholarship, applicants must meet the following requirements:

- Be a **U.S. citizen**
- **Not** have an immediate family member employed by Frontier Natural Gas Company
- Reside in one of the following counties: **Ashe, Surry, Warren, Watauga, Wilkes, and Yadkin**
- **Graduate from high school in 2026**
- Plan to major in **Science, Business, or Engineering**
- **Begin college in Fall 2026**
- Submit the completed application to their school’s guidance office by **May 15, 2026**
- Submit an original essay written entirely by the applicant. **Essays generated by artificial intelligence or containing AI-produced content will not be accepted and will result in automatic disqualification.**
- Submit essay based on the following prompt: Artificial intelligence is rapidly transforming industries, workplaces, and the skills needed for future careers. As a graduating high school senior preparing to enter college, reflect on how you believe artificial intelligence will shape the future of work. In your essay, discuss the opportunities and challenges AI may create for workers and communities, and explain how you plan to prepare yourself to succeed in a workforce increasingly influenced by this technology.

Name		Telephone	
Address	City	State	Zip code
High School		County	

College enrolled in 2026		Address	
Major			
Parents/ Guardian		Telephone	
Parents/ Guardian Signature		Date	