

Louisiana 811 Scholarship

The mission of Louisiana One Call (LA 811) is to support the protection of facilities, the public, and the environment by providing excellent damage prevention services in a cost-effective manner. Through its “Call Before You Dig” program, this organization promotes damage prevention through innovation, education and technology while providing excellent customer service. To advance this mission, the organization is awarding four \$811 scholarships to four Louisiana high school seniors.

- Applicants must be Louisiana residents and attend an accredited public or private Louisiana high school.
- Applicants must be graduating seniors.
- Applicants must be planning to attend either a community college, an accredited trade school, or a four-year accredited college or university by the fall following graduation.

Guidelines: The student will submit their application in pdf format. The student will combine sections 1-4 in one file, with a title for each section. The student is to be the sole contributor to and creator of the submission document. Please note that all submissions will be the property of Louisiana 811 and used at their discretion.

Student Introduction: In this section the student introduces him/herself. The student should concentrate on hobbies, favorite academic subjects, and any information supporting that the student works with others as a team, demonstrates leadership skills, and/or has contributed to improving the community. Education/Extracurricular Activities/Work Experience: Students provide the following information.

- Name of school the student is currently attending
- Name of schools to which the student is applying or planning to attend
- Indication of the kind of scholarship the student is seeking--academic or technical
- List of sports, clubs, and civic organizations in which the student has participated
- Description of the volunteer work in which the student has participated during high school
- Summary of the student’s employment history

Essay: In 300 words or less, describe how you can explain to your peer group and/or family the importance of the 811 message, “Call Before You Dig.” Explain how you will deliver that information.

Transcript: In addition to the application submission, students must provide a scanned copy of their official high school transcript(s).

All applications must be submitted by 5 p.m., Friday, March 18, 2021. Please email Cole Vanderlick at cole@laonecall.com with questions about this opportunity