



# Mid America Regional Fund Student Scholarship

**The BLD Connection Mid America Regional Fund is offering college scholarships up to \$1,000 for the 2025-2026 school year.** These scholarships are intended to help support high-school seniors or college students seeking an education (2-year or 4-year college or other post-secondary schooling) in the construction and/or building materials industry, or a student seeking to continue their education in a business management/administration program with the intention and/or desire to return to the lumber yard or building material operation following graduation. Applicants must be a family member of an owner or employee of a BLD Connection retail lumber yard member or child of a contractor customer of a BLD Connection member in Arkansas, Kansas, or Missouri. A GPA of 3.0 or better is required.

**2025-26 Application  
Deadline:  
March 1, 2025**

**To learn more and  
download the application  
visit:**

**[www.bldconnection.org/  
professional-development/  
mla-regionalfund](http://www.bldconnection.org/professional-development/mla-regionalfund)**

BLD Connection - Mid America Regional Fund was established to support regional education and member events. BLD Connection is a trade association representing the retail lumber and building materials operations and their suppliers serving the states of Arkansas, Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Upper Michigan, and Wisconsin.