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## WITA WILL AWARD SCHOLARSHIPS FOR 2010

**January 29, 2010** ~ The Washington Independent Telecommunications Scholarship Association (WITSA) has announced it will award scholarships for the 2010 school year. The WITSA Board of Directors and Officers will decide the final number and amount of each scholarship based on the applications received.

The scholarship awards are available to dependent children of full-time employees of a Washington Independent Telecommunications Association member company or a firm holding an associate membership. Students must be graduating high school seniors in Washington state schools, or may currently be full-time students in a college or trade school program, having graduated from a Washington state high school. WITSA Scholarship awards are **one-time awards**. Students, who have received a scholarship in the past, are encouraged to reapply in subsequent years to be considered.

The WITSA Board truly appreciates the financial support received from our members, which enables the Board to distribute these awards. The scholarships are supported by the generous contributions of WITA member and associate member companies, and from the proceeds of the auction held at the WITA-OTA Joint Annual Meeting.

Once again, the scholarships will be awarded on the basis of financial need, academic achievement, as well as curricular and extracurricular activities in the community.

Applications are available from \_\_\_\_\_ and also, from the WITA website at **www.wita-tel.org**.

**Applications are due in the WITA Office by 5:00 pm on Friday, MARCH 26, 2010.**