



Middleburgh High School

Scholarship, College, and Career Readiness Resources

Search Engines

<https://www.niche.com/colleges/scholarships/>

<http://www.schoolsoup.com/>

<https://www.unigo.com/scholarships/by-state/florida-scholarships>

<https://ucf.academicworks.com/>

<http://www.collegescholarships.com/local/florida-scholarships>

http://www.collegexpress.com/alloy_scholarship/ NEW resource for scholarships

<http://www.collegexpress.com/>

<https://www.reaganfoundation.org/education/scholarship-programs/ge-reagan-foundation-scholarship-program/>

<https://www.nacelopendoor.org/exchange-programs/americans-abroad.html>

<http://www.scholarshiphelp.org/>

<http://www.nelnet.com/> student loan information

<http://www.studentscholarshipsearch.com/ebook/> Useful website for finding Scholarships,

<https://www.salliemae.com/college-planning/> Student Loan and Scholarship resource

<http://collegeoutlook.net/>

<https://www.440scholarship.org/portal/>

<http://www.cappex.com/>

www.collegedata.com

(https://www.collegedata.com/cs/search/scholar/scholar_search_tmpl.jhtml)

www.collegeview.com

<http://www.multiculturaladvantage.com>

<http://www.multiculturaladvantage.com/scholarship.asp>

<http://www.comparetopschoools.com>

<https://www.discovernursing.com/scholarships#no-filters> Nursing Scholarships

<http://www.fasfepa.org/>

<http://www1.schoolconnection.com/> Grant Information

<http://www.aie.org/scholarships/>

<https://www.careeronestop.org/Toolkit/Training/find-scholarships.aspx> US Department of Labor.

<https://cms.educationdynamics.com/sites/default/files/pdfs/successKit.pdf>

<http://www.ecampustours.com/scholarship-search>

<https://www.collegeweeklive.com/scholarships>

<https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/get-started>

<https://www.knowzo.com/education/college-grants/how-to-find-and-apply-for-college-grants/>

<http://www.collegesolved.com/>

<http://madeinflorida.org/students/>

Name	Application and On-Line Application	Criteria	Deadline
Voice of Democracy Program	<p>http://www.vfw.org/Community/Voice-of-Democracy/ Up to \$30,000</p> <p>Applications available in the Guidance Office</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High school students 9-12 • Writing and recording an audio essay on an annual patriotic theme. 	<p>Nov. 1, 2016</p> <p>Must Mail</p>
Ron Brown Scholar Program	<p>http://www.ronbrown.org/</p> <p>\$10,000 a year for 4 years (\$40,000) award</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • U.S. citizen • African American • Academic achievement • Leadership • Financial need 	<p>Nov. 1, 2016</p> <p>Must Mail</p>
Prudential Spirit of Community Award	<p>https://spirit.prudential.com/awards/how-to-apply%20 \$1000</p> <p>An engraved silver medallion and all-expense-paid trip with a parent to Washington, D.C</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Complete application • High school student • Community service 	<p>Nov 8, 2016</p> <p>Apply Online</p>
Spirit Innovation Challenge	<p>http://www.conradchallenge.org/overview-of-program/ \$10000 Award</p> <p>Four categories: Aerospace & Aviation, Energy and Environment, Cyber Technology & Security and Health and Nutrition</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High school students • Develop Solution in one of four categories • Short video/Portfolio 	<p>Nov. 9, 2016</p> <p>Apply Online</p>
James Alan Cox Scholarship	<p>http://www.jamesalancoxfoundation.org/application.php</p> <p>Up to \$2500</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High school (10-12) students • Transcripts • Essay • Portfolio • Recommendation letters 	<p>Nov. 15, 2016</p> <p>Apply Online</p>
Great Value Colleges	<p>http://www.greatvaluecolleges.net/</p> <p>"I'm First"</p> <p>Applications available in the Guidance Office</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • U.S. citizen • Be a Florida Resident • First Generation Student • Have a Cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher • Submit a 1000-1500 word essay 	<p>Nov. 15, 2016</p> <p>Apply Online</p>
Great Value Colleges	<p>http://www.greatvaluecolleges.net/</p> <p>"Community Service Scholarship"</p> <p>Applications available in the Guidance Office</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • U.S. citizen • Have a Cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher • Submit a 1000-1500 word Essay • Community service 	<p>Nov. 15, 2016</p> <p>Apply Online</p>
Jax Sports Charities	<p>www.Jaxsports.com</p> <p>\$2,500 Award</p> <p>Applications available in the Guidance Office</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High school senior • Have a Cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher • Junior or varsity sport • Extra-curricular activities • Recommendation letter 	<p>Nov. 15, 2016</p> <p>Must Mail</p>
The Elks National Foundation	<p>http://www.elks.org/enf/scholars/mvs.cfm</p> <p>Up to \$50,000</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High school senior • U.S. citizen • Leadership • Demonstrate financial need 	<p>Nov. 30, 2016</p> <p>Apply Online</p>
The Sixt Rent a car Scholarship	<p>https://www.sixt.com/sixt-scholars/</p> <p>\$5,000 Award</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum GPA of 3.7 • High school senior • Plan to enroll full time in a 2 or 4 yr. university 	<p>Nov 30, 2016</p> <p>Apply Online</p>
"Education Matters"	<p>https://www.unigo.com/scholarships/our-</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • U.S. legal resident • Be 13 years old or older 	<p>Nov. 30, 2016</p>

Scholarship	scholarships/education-matters-scholarship \$5,000 Award	• Essay	Apply Online
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Burger King Scholars	www.scholarsapply.org/burgerkingscholars/information.php Up to \$50,000 Apply Online	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Senior in high school who will be attending a two-year community college, vocational/technical training program, or a specialized program Minimum 2.5 GPA 	Dec 15, 2016
Varsity Tutors Essay Contest Scholarship	http://www.varsitytutors.com/college-scholarship \$1,000 Award Monthly Essay Contest Apply Online	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must be 16 years old or older Submit essay 	Dec 15, 2016
AXA Achievement Scholarship	https://us.axa.com/axa-foundation/AXA-achievement-scholarship.html Up to \$25,000 Apply Online	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> High school senior Academic achievement Community service Attend a two-year or a four year college or university 	Dec 15, 2016
Seton Hall University	http://www.shu.edu/go/ptr Save up to \$22,000 Apply Online	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> High school senior Minimum of 28 ACT and 1250 SAT Top 10% of graduating class 	Dec 15, 2016
Foot Locker Scholar Athletes	https://footlockerscholarathletes.com/ Up to \$25,000 Award Apply Online	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> U.S. citizen High school senior Must be an athlete Minimum 3.0 GPA Attend a four-year college or university in 2017 	Dec. 16, 2016
Young Entrepreneur Awards	www.NFIB.com/YEA Up to \$25,000 Apply Online	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> High school senior who owns and operates his/her own small business 	Dec. 18, 2016
Odenza Marketing Group Volunteer Award	http://www.studentscholarships.org/college.php \$500 Award Apply Online	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must be 16 years old or older U.S. citizen/legal resident Community service hours Minimum 2.5 GPA 	Dec. 30, 2016
Top Ten List Scholarship	https://www.unigo.com/scholarships/our-scholarships Up to \$1,500 Apply Online	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Legal U.S. resident 13 years old or older Short written response 	Dec 31, 2016
Unigo Scholarship	https://www.unigo.com/scholarships/our-scholarships \$10,000 Award Apply Online	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Legal U.S. resident 13 years old or older Short written response 	Dec. 31, 2016

National Future Farmers of America (FFA)	www.ffa.org Award Amount Varies Apply Online	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> High school senior Seniors must be FFA Members
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<p>Arts for Life!</p>	<p>http://artsforlifeaward.org/apply/ (25) \$2,000 Apply Online</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High school seniors • Essay/portfolio-writing, dance, drama, music, or visual art
<p>National Society Daughters of the American Revolution</p>	<p>http://www.dar.org/natsociety/edout_scholar.cfm#general Multiple Scholarships Award Amount Varies Must download application and financial need form Must Mail</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Male/female H.S. seniors • US citizen • GPA 3.25 • Majoring History, Law, Nursing, and Education
<p>Florida Engineering Society</p>	<p>http://www.fleng.org/scholarships.cfm (6) \$2500 Must Mail</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High school seniors • Engineering major • Minimum 3.5 GPA • ACT/SAT
<p>Church's Scholars Program</p>	<p>https://www.scholarsapply.org/churchsscholars/ \$1000 Award Amount Apply Online</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High school seniors • Minimum GPA 2.75 • Demonstrate leadership • College or University bound
<p>Jackie Robinson Foundation</p>	<p>http://www.jackierobinson.org/apply/applicants/ Up to \$7000 per year Apply Online</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High school seniors • Four-Year Institution • Financial need • ACT/SAT
<p>National Co-op Scholarship Program</p>	<p>http://www.waceinc.org/scholarship/index.html Award Amount Varies Must Mail/Online</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High school seniors • ACT/SAT • Minimum 3.5 GPA • Must attend one of the WACE Partner Institutions
<p>Scholarships for Military Children Program</p>	<p>http://www.militaryscholar.org/index.html \$2,000 non-renewable scholarship Apply Online</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High school seniors • Minimum 3.0 GPA • Dependent children of military members
<p>Military Commanders' Scholarship Fund</p>	<p>http://sms.scholarsapply.org/militarycommanders/index.html \$5,000 non-renewable scholarships Apply Online</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High school seniors • Minimum 3.5 GPA • Dependent children of military members
<p>Gordan A. Rich Memorial Foundation Scholarship</p>	<p>http://www.gordonrich.org/html/req.html \$12,500 Renewable Award Students must be dependent children of full-time employees in the financial service industries. Must Mail</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High school seniors • High school seniors must attend college/university • Minimum 3.5 GPA • ACT/SAT • Demonstrate financial need
<p>Sweet and Simple Scholarship</p>	<p>https://www.unigo.com/scholarships/our-scholarships \$1,500 Award Apply Online</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High school students Essay

<p>Clay County Fair Association Scholarship</p>	<p>http://claycountyfair.org/application/ \$1000 Award Applications available in the guidance office Apply Online</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High school seniors • Must be associated with the following groups: 4-H, FFA, FCCLA or Police Explorers • Attendance • Minimum 2.5 GPA
<p>Sophia Fleming Scholarship</p>	<p>http://www.sophiaflemingchapter.org/scholarship \$1000 award scholarship. Applications available in the guidance office Must Mail</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High school seniors • Must Submit Essay • Letter of Recommendation • No GPA Requirement

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<p>John F. Kennedy Profile in Courage Essay Contest</p>	<p>http://www.jfklibrary.org Winner receives \$10,000 2nd Place Winner Awarded \$1,000 5 Finalists Awarded \$500 Must Mail</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High school student • Essay "Political Courage" • Teacher nomination 	<p>Jan 4, 2017</p>
<p>GE-Reagan Foundation Scholarship Program</p>	<p>http://www.reaganfoundation.org/ge-rfscholarships.aspx \$10,000 renewable scholarship up to \$40,000 per recipient. Apply Online</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum 3.0 GPA • US citizen or Permanent Resident • Demonstrate financial need 	<p>Jan 5, 2017</p>
<p>Washington Crossing Foundation Scholarship</p>	<p>http://www.gwcf.org \$500 to \$5,000 Awards Must Mail</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • US citizen • High school senior • Plan a career in local, state or federal government 	<p>Jan. 15, 2017</p>
<p>Mensa Education and Research Foundation Scholarship</p>	<p>http://www.mensafoundation.org/scholarships Up to \$2,500 Awards Apply Online</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must attend a college or university for the 2017-2018 academic year • Submit an original essay 	<p>Jan 15, 2017</p>
<p>Ronald McDonald House Charities Scholarship</p>	<p>http://www.rmhc.org/rmhc-us-scholarships \$1,000 Award Apply Online</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High school senior • Minimum 2.7 GPA • Plan to attend college, university or vocational/technical school 	<p>Jan 18, 2017</p>
<p>Florida State University Service Scholar Program</p>	<p>http://thecenter.fsu.edu/service-scholars \$2,400 Renewable Apply Online</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High school senior • Community involvement • Recommendation letters 	<p>Jan 21, 2017</p>
<p>National Beta Scholarship</p>	<p>http://www.betaclub.org/scholarship/scholarship-info Up to \$15,000 Awards Apply Online</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High school senior • National Beta member • Demonstrate leadership • Community service hours • Essay • Recommendation letters 	<p>Jan 26, 2017</p>
<p>C. Richard Harrow Memorial Scholarship Program</p>	<p>http://www.fljicfoundation.org/fla-jci-senators-scholarship.html \$1,000 Award Must Mail Must complete and include the FAFSA application</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High school senior • Plan to attend college, university or vocational school • Reference letters 	<p>Jan 27, 2017</p>
<p>I Have a Dream Scholarship</p>	<p>http://www.scholarshipexperts.com \$1,500 Award Apply Online</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High school student • US citizen or permanent resident 	<p>Jan 31, 2017</p>

Association for Women in Mathematics	<p>https://sites.google.com/site/awmmath/programs/essay-contest</p> <p>Monetary Award Apply Online</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High school student • Interview a woman working in a math field • Submit essay 	Jan 31, 2017
NROTC Scholarship	<p>http://www.nrotc.navy.mil</p> <p>Full Tuition and Fees Paid Stipend for Books Subsistence Allowance Apply Online</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • U.S. Citizen • High school senior • ACT/SAT • Medically Qualified 	Jan 31, 2017

SENIOR REMINDERS:

APPLY FOR BRIGHT FUTURES (OSFA) AND FAFSA (FEDERAL FINANCIAL AID) AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

IF YOU HAVE BEEN AWARDED ANY TYPE OF SCHOLARSHIP AND ADMISSION TO A COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY, BRING A COPY OF YOUR ADMISSIONS ACCEPTANCE LETTER TO THE GUIDANCE OFFICE (MRS. JORDAN).

STOP INTO GUIDANCE AND CHECK OUT OUR SCHOLARSHIP DRAWER

ADMISSION DEADLINES: Be sure to visit the Financial Aid page of your school of choice. Each college or university has additional list of scholarships and application deadlines.

Florida Scholarship Programs

Southern Scholarships

This scholarship offers rent-free housing to students attending UF, FSU, FAMU, TCC, SFC and FGCU. Eligibility: High school graduating senior must have a 3.0 GPA and demonstrate financial need.

<http://www.southern scholarship.org>

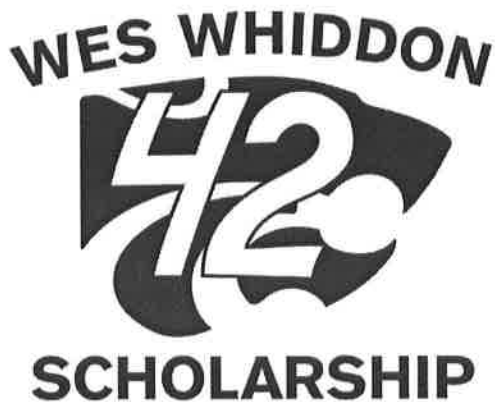
Deadline: March 1st for Fall Priority Deadline

Florida Bright Futures Scholarship

Students may begin applying now for the Florida Bright futures Scholarship. Remember, you must have the required ACT/SAT score to qualify. If you have not taken one of these tests, be sure to register as soon as possible.

<http://www.floridastudentfinancialaid.org/ssfad/bf/bfmain.htm>

Deadline: All eligibility requirements **MUST** be met my High School graduation date.



**Your life is your message
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Make it Count!**

www.weswhiddonscholarship.com

HELPING CLAY COUNTY STUDENT-ATHLETES GO TO COLLEGE

The Wes Whiddon Athletic Scholarship was established by the OPJH Athletic Department in order to help local kids go to college. The scholarship is available to any graduating Clay County student-athlete that played sports at the junior high or high school level while attending a Clay County public school.

Largely due to community support, we have been fortunate enough to award 60 scholarships to Clay County graduates in honor of Wesley Whiddon, totaling \$62,520! Playing college football and receiving a college education was Wesley's dream. Our goal is to help make Wesley's dream of a college education a reality for as many Clay County student-athletes as possible.

Potential recipients should submit a Wes Whiddon Scholarship Application accompanied with an essay entitled "How I Make a Difference".

The most important factor our scholarship's committee will consider when selecting recipients is the difference that applicants have and will make in the world. Wesley Whiddon's life was cut far too short... however, he made a positive impact on the world in his limited time.

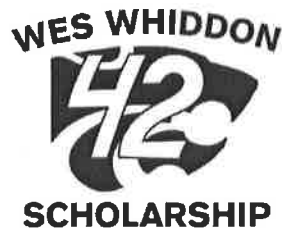
If an applicant has already been accepted to the college they plan to attend, the applicant should also submit a copy of their acceptance letter. Applicants are also welcome to include any additional information they would like our selection committee to consider. There are no minimum or maximum length requirements for the essay. We simply want to know how you make a difference in the world.

Applications and Essays are due no later than Friday – April 13, 2018.

Previous WES WHIDDON SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS:

- 2009 Recipient: Matt Garcia, OPHS
- 2010 Recipients: Lorenzo Lerguson OPHS, Demario Kohn RHS, Tyler Dressel CHS
- 2011 Recipients: Storm Hamilton KHHS, Rasheed Oliver MHS, Bailey Henderson OPHS, Christopher Antonucci FIHS
- 2012 Recipients: Lexi Taylor OPHS, Andrew Van Dorn OPHS, Hannah Bunn OPHS, Matt Dickinson KHHS, Marissa Stone Higgs MHS, Katherine Renfro RHS, Ashton Fritz FIHS
- 2013 Recipients: Kelsey Waters KHHS, Katelyn Felegy RHS, Michaela Kotziers FIHS, Christian Riley OLHS, Rebekah Rodgers OLHS, Rebecca Taylor OPHS, Austin Chipoletti OLHS, Kortnee Chismark CHS
- 2014 Recipients: Devon Brooks OPHS, Alexandria Forsling OPHS, Aaron Miranda RHS, Megan Pfuntner FIHS, Daniel Tarkington FIHS, Corey Van Dorn OPHS, Emily Wood OPHS
- 2015 Recipients: Joseph Cummings FIHS, Megan Hanlin OPHS, Monica Kendall OPHS, Neal Mars FIHS, Bria Paul CHS, Zachary Smith OLHS, Bryson Tuttle FIHS, LaSalle Williams CHS, Madison Nykamp FIHS
- 2016 Recipients: Ka'lissya Garner CHS, Austin Cummins FIHS, Daniel Justino MHS, Chris Villalva RHS, Madison Brady OLHS, Wyatt Harvin KHHS, Jazmin Houston FIHS
- 2017 Recipients: Emma Weiskopf MHS, Kennedy Comes FIH, Corey Solomon FIHS, John Walsh FIHS, Ethan Fields OHS, Michael Dickinson KHHS, Liz Fogerty CHS, Charlotte Cox OPHS, Brandon Leporati OPHS, Bridgett Flanagan OPHS, Maegan Burns RHS

Each Wes Whiddon Scholarship recipient listed above was awarded \$1042.



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“On behalf of the Whiddon Family and Orange Park Junior High School, I would like to wish you and every future applicant Good Luck with your application and in life as you transition beyond high school. I’d also like to Thank anyone reading this... in doing so, you are helping keep Wesley’s memory alive and ensuring that Wesley continues to make a positive impact on the world that we live in.

A little over 20 years ago, I received a similar scholarship and I hope Coach Fulcher is proud of me for trying to make a difference. Simply being a part of this foundation has been one of the most rewarding endeavors of my life. As you move forward in life, please understand that no one gets anywhere alone.”

- Robert Worley
Founder, Wes Whiddon Scholarship



CONSTRUCTION CAREER DAYS

NORTHEAST FLORIDA

Build your Career in Construction

Transportation, lunch, and a t-shirt included!

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Jacksonville Equestrian Center

13611 Normandy Blvd.

Jacksonville, FL

Junior and Senior students interested in engineering, environmental sciences, construction, or not sure what you want to do with your future,

Come check us out!

Learn about career opportunities in the transportation construction industry in Northeast Florida.

Our Goal

Our goal is to educate students on career opportunities in Northeast Florida. The student activities will include career center displays, equipment operations, and learning labs.

Career Center

The Career Center is a trade show set-up where students can learn about construction career opportunities from vocational schools, colleges, contractors, consultants, and trades.

Learning Labs/ Equipment

A learning lab is where students can try their hands at various practices in the construction industry. One of the learning labs is the equipment area, where students are given the opportunity to operate equipment.

***Lunch will be provided:** If you have special dietary needs please bring your own lunch.

***Dress Code:** Closed toe shoes are required. Tennis shoes and jeans are recommended.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6GsiJHijXzk>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CeDbB58QE04>

e-mail: d2nflccd@dot.state.fl.us

www.nflccd.com



CCD Scholarships

Attendees can apply for an educational or vocational scholarship.

Details available at Construction Career Days.



2017 WORK ETHIC SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM



ELIGIBLE SKILLED TRADE PROGRAMS

- Applied Industrial Technology
- Architectural Sheet Metal Fabrication
- Arc Welding
- Automotive Technology
- Boiler Construction & Repair
- Building Envelope Technician
- Carpentry
- Cement Masonry
- Circular Saw Filing
- Commercial Transport Technology
- Construction
- Construction Formwork Technology
- Construction Management
- Diesel Technology
- Drywall Finishing
- Electric Motor Technology
- Electrical Technology
- Electroplating
- Elevator Technology
- Equipment Repair Technology
- Fabrication/Welding Technology
- Gasfitting
- Hardwood Flooring
- Heat and Frost Insulation
- Heavy Equipment Operation
- HVAC Technology
- Hydraulic Crane Operation
- Hydraulic Technology
- Industrial Technology
- Industrial Maintenance Technology
- Industrial Warehousing
- Instrumentation Technology
- Iron Construction
- Joinery/Cabinet Making
- Locksmithery
- Lumber Manufacturing
- Machinery
- Maintenance Management
- Manufacturing
- Marine Technology
- Masonry
- Mobile Crane Operation
- Motorcycle Technology
- Moulding & Coremaking
- Pipefitting
- Plastering
- Plumbing
- Process Technology
- Residential Construction
- Rig Technology
- Roofing
- Rough Construction
- Semi-Tractor Trucking
- Sheet Metal Fabrication
- Water Well Drilling
- Welding

Question about an eligible program?
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