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2026 ABC Maine Student of the Year Award

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Associated Builders and Contractors of Maine is happy to announce the establishment of the ABC Maine Student of the Year Award. Through the award, ABC Maine intends to recognize the most outstanding students graduating from Construction or Construction-related programs at each of Maine's high school Career and Technical Education (CTE) schools.

About the Award

Each Student nominated for the ABC Maine Student of the Year Award will be recognized with a certificate and recognized in ABC Maine press releases. All nominees will be entered into a random drawing for one of **two, \$1000 scholarships**. ABC Maine encourages schools to recognize students at school assemblies and share the information with sending high schools.

Scholarship recipients will be notified through their CTE school office by email and a letter will be mailed to the home and school address. Notifications will be made after the May 1st deadline. Scholarship money will be applied to college tuition and fees. The award recipient must send a copy of their first semester transcript showing passing grades and a copy of their second semester registration to Shari Johnston at shari@abcmaine.org. At that time ABC Maine will remit payment to the college in the recipient's name.

Students eligible for the ABC Student of the Year Award will have:

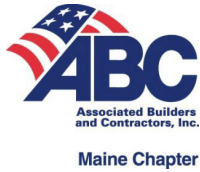
- Completed 1 year in a Construction or Construction related program.
- Been accepted to a 2 or 4-year college program of study for Construction or a Construction-related field.

Nomination Process

Each CTE school may nominate one student for the ABC Maine Student of the Year Award according to the eligibility requirements listed above. While each school may develop their own selection process, it is expected that nominated students will have demonstrated outstanding skills, professionalism, and dedication to the construction industry. Schools should submit the ABC Student of the Year Award Nomination Form to the ABC Office no later than **May 1st, 2026**. Nominations may be submitted to Shari Johnston, with the subject line: ABC Maine Student of the Year Award, at: shari@abcmaine.org.

Associated Builders and Contractors of Maine Education and Workforce Development Committee

Mission: The *Education and Workforce Development Committee* will use dedicated funds to award scholarships to students that meet established criteria; partner with educational institutions to deliver effective programming that aligns with the needs of the Maine construction industry and the development of its workforce; sponsor and support NCCER based programs offered in the CTE and Post-secondary schools in Maine and support the annual ABC Craft Championships.



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Nomination Form due: May 1st, 2026

CTE School:	
Student Name:	
Home Address:	
Parent/Guardian Name:	
CTE Director and Email:	
CTE Instructor and Email:	
CTE Program:	
CTE Address:	
CTE Phone Number:	

In the space provided below or on an attached document, please provide information regarding the nominated student that highlights his/her qualifications, accomplishments, certifications earned, college credits earned, future plans including construction related program they will attend after high school and any other factors considered in their nomination.

Directors Signature

Date