

Deadline nears for ARCO scholarship applications

Application deadline is Feb. 15 for Atlantic Richfield Company's 1982 scholarship program.

ARCO will award 10 \$1,500

scholarships to Alaska high school seniors who will graduate this academic year. The amount of the scholarships has been increased \$500 since

last year, in recognition of the rising cost of higher education.

In addition, three honorable mention award winners each will receive \$250 cash awards.

Every high school in the state has received application blanks to be filled out by the applicants and mailed to the ARCO Public Relations Department in Anchorage, along with letters of recommendation and a high school transcript.

The scholarship program is designed to encourage young Alaskans who show promise of making a future contribution to the state of Alaska, according to C.H. Rosenthal, ARCO's public relations manager in

Alaska.

A panel of judges from outside the company will select the winners, taking into consid-

eration scholastic achievement, leadership ability, financial need, character and educational goals.