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Florida PTA Scholarship Award 2016-2017 Application Information

Eligibility

To be eligible for this scholarship, an applicant must:

- 1) be a current resident of Florida;
- 2) be a graduating senior of a Florida high school;
- 3) be a member of your school's PTA/PTSA or the Sunshine State PTSA. (A copy of the membership card **MUST** be submitted with the application.) (Note: The PTA/PTSA must be in good standing.)
- 4) have an unweighted high school grade point average of 3.0 or higher for University and Fine Arts, 2.5 or higher for Community College, and 2.0 or higher for Vo-Tech.
- 5) submit completed application(s), including reference letters, Cumulative Summary Page transcript (in a sealed envelope), SAT and/or ACT scores, essay and a copy of student's PTA/PTSA Membership card to the Florida PTA, Attention Scholarship Committee, postmarked no later than **February 1, 2017**.
- 6) enroll as a full-time undergraduate student in a postsecondary university (public or private), fine arts school, community college or Vo-tech for the 2017-2018 year.
- 7) proof of registration and Social Security Number are required upon award of this scholarship.

Value of Scholarship

This is a one year (nonrenewable) scholarship for a total of \$2,000.00, which will be sent directly to the school of your choice.

Steps in Applying

- 1) Type or print answers of the application. PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY. Be sure to answer all questions.
- 2) Enclose the following items in a large manila envelope:
 - A. Completed appropriate scholarship application;
 - B. Official high school transcript (in a separate sealed envelope) **Cumulative Summary page**;
 - C. Essay(include at the top of the page your name, discuss your goals, field of study, reasons for seeking this scholarship, along with what PTA/PTSA means to you and PTA/PTSA participation. Be sure to include any extenuating circumstances which might contribute to your consideration).
 - D. SAT and/or ACT scores;
 - E. Two (2) letters of reference (one from school and one from community);
 - F. Copy of student's PTA/PTSA Membership card.

Mail the Application packet to Florida PTA State office (address below) postmarked no later than February 1, 2017.

If applying for multiple scholarships, each application must be clearly marked and separated within the same envelope.

Date of Notification

The scholarship recipients will be notified by US mail and/or e-mail by May 1, 2017.

Mail to:
Florida PTA
Scholarship Committee
1747 Orlando Central Parkway
Orlando FL 32809

Failure to comply with above steps in applying will result in application being disqualified. Please give a copy of this page to the student along with the application. Be sure to use the correct amount of postage. Florida PTA will not pay postage