



2019
RICH SOUTH HIGH SCHOOL
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Please complete the application in its entirety. Incomplete applications will not be considered for scholarship awards. The deadline for this application to be received is **Friday, April 12, 2019; 3:30 p.m. No exceptions**

Purpose: To provide scholarships to deserving student(s) that have need of financial assistance, are active in supporting the community in which they live and show an eagerness to achieve through knowledge by intending to pursue post-high school courses of study at either college/university or other post-secondary educational institution.

1. DEADLINE for scholarship application is Friday, April 12, 2019; 3:30 p.m. (**no exception**)
2. Refer to criteria below for eligibility requirements.
3. Refer to application process below for a list of supporting documents needed (i.e., reference forms, evidence of GPA, etc.) Incomplete applications will not be considered.
4. If any questions do not apply to you in this application please put N/A in the space(s). (**Do not leave blank(s)**)
5. Please type a 300-word essay for the area you are applying for.
6. You will be notified by the first week of May regarding the status of your application.
7. If you have any questions about the application please contact a member of the PTSO Scholarship Committee at RSHS.PTSO16@yahoo.com.
8. Scholarship funds will only be awarded to the student's college or university account upon evidence of registration or an accredited post-secondary institution.

Criteria:

1. Applicant must be a student of Rich South High School, one award per student.
2. Applicant must be a graduating high school senior and current member of the PTSO and enrolled in an accredited post-secondary institution in the year of the scholarship award.
3. Cumulative Grade Point Average of 2.0 or better. Copy of an official high school transcript.
4. Letter of acceptance or proof of enrollment at an accredited college, university or vocational trade school. "This is a must"
5. Submit a completed Scholarship Application by **Friday, April 12, 2019**.



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Scholarship Descriptions

Academics

1. Student exhibits academic excellence in course work, maintaining a GPA of 2.0 or better.
2. Student is involved in at least two extracurricular school activities.
3. Student should provide three written references (please include contact information) to attest to the above (participation and quality of contribution).

Civic

1. Student has community involvement in three projects over high school life for which no pay was received (which may or may not involve Rich South – i.e. hospital/nursing home volunteer, tutor, volunteer at area shelter, church ministry, village peer mediator, big brother/big sister, assisting elderly/disabled, etc.).
2. Student should provide three community or Rich South High School written reference (please include contact information) to attest to the above.

Innovation

1. Student has proven record of creativity within Rich South High School promoting the school and its reputation, its continued viability and student/staff morale. Examples to include but not limited to creating banners/posters for special event, creating newsletter, initiating fundraising efforts for special school cause, or etc.
2. Student should provide three letters of references (please include contact information) of validation from teacher, counselor, church or social group.

Citizenship

1. Student is a positive role model to others concerning good conduct.
2. Student exhibits leadership qualities.
3. Student has maintained a high standard of good behavior, excellent and noteworthy character and morale values.
4. Student has an excellent attendance record. Less than three tardies and three unexcused absences per academic year. Attach attendance record (required)
5. Student should provide three written references (please include contact information) from the community or Rich South High School references to attest to the above.

Chance

1. Student is a current student at Rich South High School with a 2.0 GPA.



2018/2019 APPLICATION

Rich South PTSO Scholarship is awarded to graduating high school seniors who are members of the PTSO. Listed are the categories the committee will consider: academic performance, civic performance, innovation performance and citizenship performance. Students can apply for all categories but only one scholarship will be awarded. To receive a scholarship, students must obtain an acceptance letter from the Offices of the Registrar from an accredited college, university or vocational trade school during the 2018/2019 school year stating that you are enrolled full-time for the 2018/2019 school year. The verification letter must have the raised school stamp from the Offices of the Registrar.

Application Deadline

1. Applications must be turned in no later than Friday, April 12, 2019.
2. Late and incomplete applications will not be considered.
3. Please read and follow all instructions. Please put your complete name on all paperwork.

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RICH SOUTH SCHOLARSHIPS TOPIC

Citizenship Award

After college what are your plans for the community?
After college how do you plan to contribute to your community?

Academic Awards

What motivates you to strive for academic excellence?
Who or what has contributed to your academic excellence?

Innovation Award

In light of the recent school shootings, what security measures or procedures would you introduce to improve safety?

Social Award

How can social media contribute to social media in your community?

How important is voting to you in today's society?

MLA Style Format

Double Spaced

Times New Roman 12pt Font

1" Margins

Minimum 300 Word Essay



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STUDENT ID # _____

Name: _____ Male _____ Female _____

First Middle Last

Birth Date: _____ Birthplace: _____

Month Day Year City, State, Country

Address: _____

Street Apt. City State Zip code

Home Phone #: _____ e-mail address: _____

II. ACADEMIC RECORD AWARD(S) SPECIAL RECONGNITIONS

High School GPA _____

College/University you have applied for admission

First Choice _____ Second Choice _____

Educational Objection (intended college Major) _____ Minor: _____

Vocational Trade institutions you have applied for admission:

First Choice _____ Second Choice _____

Area(s) of Interest _____

Name of Parent/Guardian: _____

Student Signature

Parent/Guardian Signature

Administrative Use Only

Date Received _____ Signature _____

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Comments _____
