



Duluth High School PTSA 2016-2017 Scholarship Information

Application Deadline: Thursday, March 30, 2017

The Duluth High School PTSA is proud to offer two \$1,000 scholarships for the 2016-2017 school year. One male student and one female student will be the proud recipients of these scholarships. Every candidate must have successfully met or exceeded the State of Georgia graduation requirements and plan to attend an accredited two or four-year college or university.

The objective of this scholarship is to aid students who have successfully completed high school and are looking to further their education at a college or university. These individuals will be ready to prepare themselves for their careers which they have chosen, with the goal of maintaining their support and commitment to the advancement of their education. This is a one-time, non-renewable scholarship.

Qualifications and Eligibility

A student is eligible to apply for the Duluth High School PTSA Scholarship as long as he/she:

- Is a 2017 graduating student of Duluth High School
- Is a current member of Duluth High School PTSA: if not a member, you can purchase a membership at the front office - \$10 (forms on the PTSA tab of the Duluth High School website)
- Has at least one parent who is a current Duluth High School PTSA member: if not a member, they can purchase a membership at the front office - \$10 minimum (forms on the PTSA tab of the Duluth High School website)
- Has a 3.0 GPA or higher
- Is attending a 2-year or 4-year accredited college or university
- Has a satisfactory scholastic record
- Does not have any disciplinary infractions on file this year
- Applications will be scored based upon information in the two short essays (80 points) and Grade Point Average (20 points)
- Application must be turned into the Duluth High School Main Office - PTSA Mail Box by Thursday, March 30, 2017. Please mark: Attention Cindee Peerbolte. Do not fax.

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Student Name: _____

PTSA Parent Name: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____ Phone: (____)____ - _____

Email: _____

Graduation Date: _____ Duluth High School GPA: _____

Fill in scores that apply:

Highest SAT-Critical Reading: _____ Highest SAT-Math: _____

Highest SAT Sub-Total Reading and Math: _____ Highest SAT-Writing: _____

Highest ACT: _____ Highest ACT-plus Writing: _____

Proposed field of study: _____

School you will be attending: _____

Student Signature: _____

Instructions

All questions must be completed in full for your application to be considered. Please type or print clearly. Signature is required. All applications must be turned in at the Duluth High School Main Office - PTSA Mail Box by Thursday, March 30, 2017. Please mark: Attention Cindee Peerbolte. Do not fax.

Application must include:

- This form completed and signed by the student
- A photo copy of your 2016-2017 PTSA Membership Card
- A photo copy of your parent's 2016-2017 PTSA Membership Card
- High School Transcript (copy of front and back). This needs to include all academic credit towards a high school diploma through the first semester of the 12th grade, numeric GPA, and highest SAT/ACT scores
- One letter of recommendation from a Duluth High School teacher who has taught the student during the 2016-2017 school year
- **Important:** Do not put your name anywhere on the essay answers. This contact information sheet, grades and SAT/ACT scores should be on separate sheets. Staple to the essay answers. Please follow these instructions to keep the essays anonymous.

An Essay Response to the following questions:

(Each essay response is not to exceed one page, 12 pt. Times New Roman font)

- How do you believe you personally can effect the greatest change in the world?
- What sets you apart from the other applicants? Why should the PTSA invest in your education?