



PASADENA BUSINESS ASSOCIATION
8th grade SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION PACKET
2024

Dear Student:

The Pasadena Business Association is offering scholarships to selected 8th graders who attend school in the Northeast or Chesapeake High School feeder system or live in the attendance area for these schools but attend another public, private school or Virtual Academy. The purpose of the scholarship is to teach students about the scholarship application process, the importance of having responsibilities and being an active member in the school and/or community. Applications must be completed and returned to the school Guidance Department by **April 22, 2024** or mailed to the PBA Office at P.O. Box 861, Pasadena, Maryland 21123-0861. Applications sent by mail must be postmarked no later than **April 22, 2024**. The Guidance Counselors have until the end of business on **April 23, 2024** to deliver the applications in person or at the drive through window at Arundel Federal Savings Bank, 4179 Mountain Road, Pasadena, who will deliver them to the PBA Office. Applications received after these dates will not be processed.

Scholarship recipients will be honored at a PBA general membership luncheon meeting on **June 5, 2024 at 12 o'clock** at Kurtz's Beach. We will send letters to the scholarship recipients in May if they are awarded a scholarship. Parents, grandparents, etc. will be able to attend this luncheon at a cost of \$22 each with a reservation. Please note that only scholarship recipients will be notified. We are not able to send letters to all applicants.

The **PBA Scholarship Fundraiser will be the Quarter Auction at Earleigh Heights Fire Hall on April 1st**. **Check the PBA Website for more details or contact Melissa Hosse.** All proceeds are used to fund these scholarships. The scholarship amounts are based on the profit from the fundraiser. The more we make the more we are able to give.

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“Great Businesses Making A Great Community”



**PASADENA BUSINESS ASSOCIATION
8th GRADE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
2024**

* Please type or print clearly.

PERSONAL DATA:

Date: _____

Name: _____
 LAST FIRST MIDDLE INITL.

Complete mailing address: _____

Phone: _____ Parent email: _____

SCHOOL INFORMATION

School: _____

Scholarship Application Packet Checklist:

- ___ Completed Application
- ___ Report Card exhibiting 3.75 or higher GPA
- ___ Completed Resume
- ___ Typed Essay
- ___ Required Signatures



PART I - QUALIFICATIONS FOR SCHOLARSHIP

- Be enrolled in 8th grade in a public, private school, or Virtual Academy in the Northeast or Chesapeake Cluster or live in the attendance area for these schools but attend another public, private school or Virtual Academy.
- Have a grade point average (GPA) of 3.75 or above on a 4.0 scale on the most recent report card in the combined four academic areas: English, Reading, Language Arts, Math, Science. Demonstrate positive behavior as indicated on the report card.
- Demonstrate humanitarian qualities in school and the community through responsible actions and involvement in school programs and/or community service above and beyond what is required.

PART II – RESUME

Complete the Resume by typing or printing neatly in black ink.

PART III – ESSAY

Write an essay responding to this essay question. A maximum of 500 words may be used in the essay. Italics and boldface type may be used for emphasis, but not for the entire essay.

Essay: Describe the importance of giving back to your community and provide an example of how you have been able to give back to your community, church, family or other organizations.

PART IV - CERTIFICATION & SIGNATURE

All the information provided on this form is true and correct to the best of my (our) knowledge. If asked by the Scholarship Committee, I (we) agree to an additional interview or give proof of the information that I (we) have provided on this form.

Applicant's signature _____ Date _____

Parent's signature _____ Date _____

Principal's signature _____ Date _____

DO NOT WRITE YOUR NAME ON THIS PAGE – RESUME

Use this sheet to show how you have demonstrated humanitarian qualities in school and the community through responsible actions and involvement in school programs and/or community service above and beyond what is required. You can add an additional sheet if necessary.

SCHOOL LEADERSHIP ACTIVITIES

Examples: member of Human Relations Committee, Team Captain, class president, SGA president, school safety etc.

ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS or CERTIFICATES

Examples: attendance, Honor Roll, Principal’s Honor Roll, Good Citizen, Student of the Month, etc.

EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Examples: Dance Club, Science Club, Games Club, Robotics, sports, etc.

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Examples: volunteered at church serving donuts, walked in parade with my school, made sandwiches for homeless, wrapped gifts for needy, helped elderly neighbor, Scouts, 4H, youth groups, etc.

HOME / FAMILY RESPONSIBILITIES

Examples: make bed daily, set table, walk to school with younger sibling, fold clothes etc.
