

Pennsylvania Postal Workers Union

APPLICATION FOR JOHN T. BOXLER SCHOLARSHIP

(print or type)

Your Name _____

Home Address _____

(Street No. / PO Box / Apartment)

City / State / Zip Code

I will / have graduated from (High School) _____

(City) _____ (State) _____ in (Month) _____ (Year) _____

I am planning on attending (College / University) _____

(City) _____ (State) _____ in (Month) _____ (Year) _____

I understand that I must have taken the Scholastic Aptitude Test or the American College Test, in order to be eligible to apply, and that I am personally responsible for having my S.A.T. or A.C.T scores sent to the PPWU Scholarship Committee.

Name of family member in good standing in the PPWU: _____

Relationship: _____ Local Name / MAL: _____

Signature of applicant: _____

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(Local Union Fill Out This Section)

Name of Local President: _____

Address of Local Union: _____

Phone Number of Local Union: _____

Signature of Local President / Secretary: _____

Return Application to: **Director of Human Relations, Scholarship Program**
PO Box 4051
Lancaster, PA 17604

Deadline for Application: Applications must be postmarked by **May 1st**.

Note: All applicants must read and adhere to the rules and guidelines established for the scholarships

RULES AND GUIDELINES

The Pennsylvania Postal Workers Union Scholarship Program

(Affiliated with the American Postal Workers Union, AFL-CIO)

1. Applicant must be the son or daughter of an active member of the PPWU through local affiliation or a Member at Large (M.A.L.)
2. The applicant's parent must be a member in good standing of the PPWU for at least one year immediately preceding the closing date of the application. The applicant's parent must be a member in good standing for the duration of the scholarship.
3. Applicant must be a senior attending high school or other corresponding secondary school.
4. Scholarship recipient must attend an accredited college of his/her choice. The scholarship must be used towards pursuing an undergraduate degree.
5. Application must be made on an official application form or photocopy duplicate.
6. Applicants must take the Scholastic Aptitude test or the American College Test. The S.A.T. or A.C.T. scores must be submitted along with the secondary school records and personal qualifications when application is made.
7. Applicants must write an essay of no more than **300** words on a "labor union related subject". The essay must accompany the application.
8. Each PPWU Scholarship will be \$1,000.00 for each of four consecutive years of college providing a satisfactory academic record is maintained.
9. The amount of the scholarship will be deposited with the college or university attended by the recipient, **or may be sent to the winner upon his/her request**. When the recipient notifies the PPWU that he/she has registered with the school, the award will be sent to the business office to be applied to the cost of tuition, room and board, school supplies or school related costs.
10. Scholarship winners must contact the PPWU Director of Human Relations each year to advise on his/her status in school.
11. The scholarship committee will provide one (1) winner each year. Two (2) alternates will be selected in the event of disqualification or rejection of the award by the winner.
12. If the winner fails to attend college in the award year, the award will go to the alternate.
13. The Scholarship Selection Committee will consist of qualified persons in the education field. No one connected with the PPWU will be on the committee. The decision of the committee will be final. The committee will be selected by the Director of Human Relations and approved by the President. **The committee should have experience and appreciation for the labor movement.**
14. The PPWU may discontinue awarding new scholarships if funds are not available.
15. The winner of the scholarship will be judged on the basis of scholastic records, personal qualifications, S.A.T. or A.C.T. scores **and will be balanced with the essay**.
16. Applications must be sent to: Director of Human Relations, Scholarship Program, PO Box 4051, Lancaster Pa 17604
17. All applications, essays and other materials received will become property of the PPWU and shall not be returned.
18. The applicant's parents must maintain their good standing in the PPWU for each year the scholarship winner receives the award. Failure to do so will result in forfeiture of the award.
19. All disputes or inquiries regarding the Scholarship Award will be resolved by the Director of Human Relations PPWU. All decisions are final.