NORTH PENN AREA SCHOLARSHIP FUND ASSOCIATION, INC. PO BOX 842, LANSDALE, PA 19446

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SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION AND PROCEDURES

High School seniors who reside within the boundaries of the North Penn School District and rank in the top half of their class are invited to apply for a North Penn Area Scholarship Fund Association (NPASFA) scholarship. Applicants must plan to attend a recognized institution approved by state (PHEAA) and for federal (PELL) grant programs. NPASFA scholarships may be used at two-year and four-year colleges and at nursing, business, and vocational schools.

Scholarships Available

Awards vary in amount depending upon the results of annual fund-raising activities. Awards are one-time (freshman year only).

Among its scholarships, the Association will be selecting recipients this year for the following perpetual awards with values of \$1,000 or more each:

Hanson Textile Company Scholarship Estate of George S. Snyder Award (Business Major Preferred) Kiwanis Club of Lansdale Memorial Scholarship North Penn Hospital Auxiliary Awards Friends of the North Penn Community Health Foundation Awards (Multiple awards for individuals majoring in a Health Care field) North Penn Rotary Club - Sidney A Neiburg Award Clyde S. & Mary E. Walton Memorial Award JDB Fund Award Thomas J Hall Awards (Multiple Awards – Environmental Field Preferred) Donald & Karel Wilkins Memorial Award

Last year named awards of \$1,000 or more were sponsored by: St. Luke's United Church of Christ Award, Upper Gwynedd Fire Company Award, Diane Walton Memorial Award and the NPASFA James Smith Honorary Award. The North Penn Area Scholarship Fund Association also sponsors several awards from the funding they solicit each year.

Selection Criteria

Scholarship winners are selected on the basis of financial need, school and community service, and academic achievement. Potential for success in post high school education is considered. Finalists may be interviewed by the awards committee in an effort to assess personal qualities such as motivation, sincerity and a sense of direction and planning.

Eligibility

To be eligible for consideration for a NPASFA scholarship, applicants must be a graduating high school senior and meet the following criteria:

• Be a graduating high school senior attending either a public or private school and reside within the North Penn School District boundaries.

And submit the following on or before March 1, 2025:

- the North Penn Area Scholarship Fund Application Part 1 (online form) and Part 2 (download form and email to stated address)
- mail the following to NPASFA Awards Chairman, PO Box 842, Lansdale, PA 19446
 - o an official transcript issued by your school's transcript or guidance office,
 - a copy (unofficial copies accepted) of your SAT or ACT score report (if tests were taken and SAT/ACT scores are not included on your transcript).
 - copy of the page which shows your Student Aid Index (SAI) from the returned <u>FAFSA</u> <u>Submission Summary</u>.
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• Application **MUST** be completed and submitted by midnight, March 1, 2025, so plan accordingly.

Additional Information

Students and parents who have questions or concerns can email us at *info@npasfa.org*.

Application Submission Process

- 1. Fill out **Part 1 of the NPASFA Online Application.** Once submitted you will receive your assigned **STUDENT NUMBER** by email within 48 hours.
- 2. Download and fill out **Part 2** of the application. Complete Part 2 of the application form electronically, including the essay section. Keep answers within the boxes. Text outside the box will not be visible to us.
- 3. IMPORTANT: Once Part 2 of the application is COMPLETE, SAVE the .docx FILE as a PDF TO CREATE A PDF: Select FILE in MS Word's menu bar > Select SAVE AS > In File Format, Select PDF
- 4. **RENAME** the saved **PART 2** file from **NPASFA_ScholarshipPart2_2024.pdf** to: *YOUR STUDENT NUMBER_***NPASFA_ScholarshipPart2_2025.pdf** For Example: 25SA0010_NPASFA_ScholarshipPart2_2025.pdf
- 5. Send completed PDF file as an attachment to an email to NPASFA at: npasfa.org@gmail.com SUBJECT LINE: NPASFA Scholarship Application from YOUR NAME
- 6. To complete your NPASFA Scholarship Application **MAIL** the following documents to the address below:
 - A copy of your current OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPT
 - A copy of your SAT and/or ACT scores (if tests were taken). Please only send Page 1 of the score report, or 1 and 2 if reporting more than one score.
 - A copy of only page 1 of the <u>returned</u> Submission Summary from FAFSA showing your SAI (Student Aid Index).

Please mail to: North Penn Area Scholarship Fund Association, Inc. Awards Chairman P O Box 842 Lansdale, PA 19446

7. Files and forms to be submitted for a complete application:

NPASFA Scholarship Part 1 (online form) NPASFA Scholarship Part 2 (PDF file emailed to npasfa.org@gmail.com) Following sent by US Mail:

> Transcript SAT/ACT Scores FAFSA Submission Summary (FSS) from FAFSA (PAGE 1)

8. You will receive an **Acknowledgement of Receipt** email when all required Forms and ancillary documents have been received.