



Prince George's County Scholarship Fund, Inc. 2020

The Prince George's County Scholarship Fund provides a scholarship opportunity as described below. In general, applications will be accepted from Prince George's County high school seniors with an overall 2.5 GPA or better.

Applicants are selected on the basis of scholarship, character, goals and financial need. Applicants are considered for scholarships for which they qualify and the selection committee will interview all finalists. United States citizenship is required.

Request sealed transcript to be submitted with application from school registrar and allow sufficient time for your records to be processed and sent to the Scholarship Board by **February 21, 2020**. Please include a **large envelope with \$1.50 worth of stamps, addressed to you** with your application.

Mail all application materials to:

Prince George's County Scholarship Fund, Inc.
c/o Mrs. Rejeana Tinsley
P. O. Box 358
Riverdale, MD 20737

Completed applications (three pages), together with the requested transcript of school records (including mid-year grades) and two letters of recommendation must be received at the above address by Friday, February 21, 2020 ~ No Exceptions! **NOTE: Open transcripts will disqualify your application.**

Applications are pre-processed to check for contents. If all items on the checklist are not included, your application is marked incomplete, i.e., must contain a self-addressed stamped envelope. If applicants have taken the Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT) or the American College Testing Program (ACT), scores on those tests must be submitted with the transcript. **REMEMBER: INCOMPLETE AND/OR LATE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.**

CHECKLIST (IMPORTANT)

- _____ **Application form (three pages) including transcripts and mid-year grades**
- _____ **SAT/ACT/Assessment Test scores**
- _____ **Minimum two letters of recommendation**
- _____ **\$1.50 worth of stamps on large envelope, self-addressed (APPLICANT MUST PROVIDE THIS)**

Available scholarships:

I. Fraternal Order of Police Lodge 89 Scholarship (Active or Retired Members)

The Fraternal Order of Police Scholarships in the amount of \$500 will be awarded to a student who is the child of an active or retired Prince George's County police officer. Applications must include officer's name and badge number.

II. Other available scholarships for students meeting the following criteria:

- A. Ten Kay Apartment Communities Scholarships in the amount of \$1,000 each. Preference will be awarded to students graduating from high schools in Prince George's County in the Iverson Mall's trading area. Scholarships are based on academic proficiency and good citizenship.
- B. Two (2) Memorial Scholarships of the Prince George's Public School Retirees Association in the amount of \$1,000 will be awarded to students entering the teaching profession. All applicants must be (a) a high school senior or graduate from a Prince George's County public high school; (b) a higher education student majoring in education; (c) have at least a 3.0 GPA; (d) submit two letters of recommendation, one from a faculty member; and (e) submit a **one-page essay** explaining your intended contribution to the teaching profession.
- C. Four (4) Fraternal Order of Police Scholarships in the amount of \$500 will be awarded to a student who is the child of an active or retired Prince George's County police officer. Applications must include officer's name and badge number.
- D. The Annabelle E. Ferguson Scholarship in the amount of \$500 will be awarded to a student who has resided in the County for at least two years and shows evidence of leadership and involvement in school programs, activities and organizations. Applicants must have a 3.0 GPA and two letters of recommendation. Preference will be given to students from Bowie, Duval, Fairmont Heights, Forestville, Largo and Suitland High Schools.

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The Scholarship Fund Board will consider all information on this application confidential. Please answer all questions.

Name _____
(Last) (First) (M.I.)

Address _____
(Street)

(City) (Zip Code)

Male _____ Female _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

Email address (**legible**) _____

Date of Birth _____ School Now Attending _____

College you plan to attend _____

Address of College _____

Anticipated Major _____ Have you been accepted _____

In order to allow your school to make available a transcript of your school record and SAT, ACT scores or assessment tests results, please sign your name in the space provided. If you are under 18, please have a parent sign the authorizing release of your transcript.

(Student's signature) (Date)

(Parent's signature) (Parent Contact Number)

Officer's Police Identification Number: _____

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List your extracurricular activities in school, church, or synagogue, and community; hobbies; part-time work during the past three years. Include clubs and offices held. (use additional sheet.)

List special honors or achievements in school or outside activities during the past three years. (use additional sheet.)

This space is for comments or additional information from your parents, which might help the Scholarship Board in making its selection. (use additional sheet).

What are your future goals and how have you prepared yourself to fulfill these goals? (at least 100 words; use additional sheet).

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Statement of Financial Need

Total estimated annual cost of tuition, books, room and board \$ _____

Estimate the money/monies you expect from:

Family	\$ _____
Your own savings	\$ _____
Summer work	\$ _____
Part-time work while in college	\$ _____
Government Funds: (VA, Pell Grant, etc.)	\$ _____
Aid from college	\$ _____
Other scholarships	\$ _____

Total resources available \$ _____

Estimated need (total costs minus total resources) \$ _____

Present employment _____ Wages \$ _____

Father's occupation _____ Annual Salary \$ _____

Firm _____

Position, Military Rank, or Civil Service Grade _____

Mother's occupation _____ Annual Salary \$ _____

Firm _____

Position, Military Rank, or Civil Service Grade _____

Other family income (Retirement, dividends, trust, etc.) \$ _____

Total family income \$ _____

Ages of other dependent children in family _____

Number of brothers/sisters in college or technical school _____