

AKRON UNIT & COUNCIL PTAs SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Application Instructions - Deadline Monday, January 6th

Several PTA units in the Akron Public School district award scholarships each year. See the back of this sheet for a list of scholarships given. You only need to fill out the attached application and the ACPTA (Akron Council of PTAs) will distribute your application to the units of which you are eligible to receive a scholarship. In addition to the individual unit scholarships, the ACPTA awards several scholarships annually. Although you may be eligible for more than one scholarship, each applicant can only receive one scholarship award.

General Requirements:

- Applicants must be an APS student in the 12th grade.
- Applicants must have a minimum of a 2.0 GPA.
- The applicant or family member must be a PTA member.

The Scholarship Application is a **three-part application**:

- ❖ General Information and PTA membership verification
- ❖ Information about you and **three** short answer essays
- ❖ High School Transcript **and** Current Report Card

The application should be neatly written in black ink or typed. Your application will be ineligible if essays do not stay within noted word guidelines.

It is also important to note that you (the student) or your parent/guardian must be a member of a PTA unit. They must become a member **by the deadline for submission of the application**. You should attach a copy of your PTA membership card.

Your school counselor will obtain and attach your most current report card and transcript for you before submitting your application to the ACPTA.

Submitting your application:

Your application needs to be received by your school counselor by **MONDAY, JANUARY 6, 2025**. No late or incomplete applications can be accepted. The application should be emailed to your counselor or placed in his/her mailbox at school.

Failure to complete any part of the application or not following the essay word limits will result in automatic disqualification.

Please email me with any questions or concerns at **acptascholarships@gmail.com**.

Good luck,

Scholarship Chair Akron Council of PTAs

**AKRON PTA UNIT & COUNCIL SCHOLARSHIP
APPLICATION**

STUDENT NUMBER _____

Clearly **PRINT** (in black ink) or **TYPE** all information. These forms must be returned to your counselor **ON OR BEFORE the due date, January 6, 2025** by the end of the school day.

NO LATE OR INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL BE CONSIDERED.

FULL NAME _____
Last First Middle Initial

Best Contact Phone _____

ADDRESS _____

DOB _____
Month Day Year

EMAIL _____

PTA MEMBERSHIP

Member Name _____ Membership School _____

Relationship to applicant _____

SCHOOLS ATTENDED: (list all APS schools attended)

Elementary Schools attended and number of years: _____

Middle Schools attended and number of years: _____

High School attended and number of years: _____

I understand that by signing my name to this application that I can verify that my parents or I, are PTA members in good standing. I understand that to be eligible for a PTA scholarship that membership will be verified by my high school PTA or PTSA. I also understand that all the information is strictly confidential.

_____ Applicant's Signature Date

_____ Parent's Signature Date

**Parent/Guardian signature needed to release a student's transcript of grades for the scholarship committee.

NOTE: All applications of students remain anonymous during the selection process.

PLEASE TYPE THE HEADING BEFORE LISTING THE INFORMATION:

- List college, trade, or tech school you plan to attend and your major field of study.

- List any employment during the last three years.

- List any hobbies and/or interests.

- List any community service involvement and length of service.

- List any extracurricular school activities.

- List any honors you have received in school.

- Explain any excessive absence, if applicable.
