

**Baltimore County Council**



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## **2022-23 PTA COUNCIL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

The PTA Council of Baltimore County offers scholarships to Baltimore County Public Schools (BCPS) high school seniors with no restrictions on the selection of the college, university, or technical school. The **following factors** will be considered:

Student's membership in a Baltimore County PT(S)A in good standing  
Academic Record ~ Student Resume ~ Essay

**In addition to general scholarships, PTA Council grants two special scholarships:**

- **The Georgie Clevenger Memorial Scholarship** for a graduating BCPS senior planning on a career in nursing
- **The Marilyn Ryan Memorial Scholarship** for a graduating BCPS senior with exceptional volunteering or public service

Please fill out the application in its entirety and submit all required information, including required signatures, by the **postmarked deadline of April 27, 2023.**

The Scholarship Committee will select recipients in May 2023 and notify the recipient, school principal, and sponsoring PTA. Checks (made payable to the academic institution) will be presented at Senior Awards Nights where applicable.

**Eligible applicants must:**

- be a senior in a BCPS high school
- be a member of a local PTA unit in good standing
- obtain sponsorship of a local PTA unit in good standing
- **complete application with all required signatures**
- ***forward completed application packet (via U.S. mail or BCPS interoffice mail, or scanned and emailed) by April 27, 2023 to:***

**PTA Council President Leslie Weber  
c/o Seneca Elementary, 545 Carrollwood Rd., 21220  
OR [awards@bcptacouncil.org](mailto:awards@bcptacouncil.org)**

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I hereby apply for a PTA Council of Baltimore County Scholarship for August/September 2023.

(PLEASE PRINT IN INK OR TYPE)

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
(Last) (First) (Middle Initial)

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_  
(Number) (Street) (Apt #)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(City) (Zipcode) (Phone Number)

High School Presently Attending \_\_\_\_\_

Anticipated Date of Graduation \_\_\_\_\_

Names of Parents/Guardians \_\_\_\_\_

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Name(s) of College or Technical School to which you have applied. Accepted? Yes or No

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*My application for this scholarship assures PTA Council of Baltimore County that I am a member of*

Name of Local PTA \_\_\_\_\_  
(a unit in good standing)

➤ \_\_\_\_\_  
*Signature of Applicant*

APPLICANT'S NAME \_\_\_\_\_

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***I verify that our PTA sponsors this scholarship applicant and that our PTA has met the Standards of Affiliation (SoA) as defined in the bylaws of Free State PTA.***

***Additionally, the unit has to have paid 2022-23 PTA Council Dues.***

A local PTA meeting the SoCA is one that (note that due to the transition to Free State PTA, SoCA requirements have been temporarily reduced):

- a) Adheres to the purposes and basic policies of National and Free State PTA;
- b) Remits national and state dues to Free State PTA by dates designated;
- c) Submits the name and contact information including phone number, address and e-mail address of all elected officers to Free State PTA;
- d) Remits bonding, liability and directors' and officers' insurance premiums by the date designated;
- e) Has an Employer Identification Number (EIN) from the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) on file with Free State PTA;
- f) Maintains its status as a corporation, has, as required by Maryland non-profit law, at a minimum a president, secretary and treasurer;
- g) Files the appropriate tax forms, by the required dates, with the IRS and submits a copy to Free State PTA office within thirty (30) days of filing;
- h) Submits a copy of its annual financial review to Free State PTA within one hundred-twenty (120) days following the end of the local's fiscal year;
- i) Files all appropriate state forms with the appropriate state authorities by the required date and submits a copy to Free State PTA office within 30 (thirty) days of filing.



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***Name of PTA Meeting the Standards of Continuing Affiliation***



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***Signature of Sponsoring PTA Officer***

***Position***



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***Printed Name***

**APPLICANT'S NAME** \_\_\_\_\_

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- 1. STUDENT ESSAY** - In a minimum of 500, but not more than 750 words (typed 12-point font, double-spaced), please answer the following question: ***How will this scholarship help you meet your education and career goals? What are those goals?***
- 2. ACADEMIC REPORT** - Please include transcript of high school grades as well as two (2) letters of recommendation. One letter must be from a teacher and the other letter from a community member.
- 3. STUDENT RESUME** - Must include: Awards, School Activities, and Community Involvement.

### **Disclosure Information**

**PTA Council of Baltimore County will keep all applicants' information confidential and will destroy all information once winners are announced.**

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