

MARYLAND PTA
Scholarship Application

I hereby make application for a Maryland PTA Scholarship for August/September 2016.

(PLEASE PRINT IN INK OR TYPE)

Name _____
(Last) (First) (Middle Initial)

Home Address _____
(Street) (County)

(City & Zipcode) (Phone)

High School presently attending _____

Date of graduation (or anticipated date) _____

Names of Parents/Guardians _____

<u>Name(s) of College or Technical School to which you have applied.</u>	<u>Accepted?</u> <u>Yes or No</u>
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My application for this scholarship assures Maryland PTA of my intention to pursue a career in education in the public schools of Maryland.

My application for this scholarship assures Maryland PTA that I am a member of
(Name of Local PTA) _____,
a unit in good standing.

➤ _____
Signature of Applicant

Submit the following materials as the application packet: 1) Application signed by applicant and sponsoring PTA officer; 2) Student Essay; 3) Academic Record; 4) Student Resume.

Submit the application packet by **4:30 p.m., March 18, 2016** electronically to treasurer@mdpta.org or via postal mail to:

Alexandria Briggs-Blake, MD PTA State Treasurer
c/o Scholarship Committee
5 Central Avenue
Glen Burnie, MD 21061

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PTA Sponsorship

APPLICANT'S NAME _____

I verify that our PTA sponsors this scholarship applicant and that our PTA has met the standards of affiliation as defined in the bylaws of the Maryland PTA, Article VII, Section 1.

A local PTA meeting the standards of affiliation is one that:

- a. Adhere to the purposes and basic policies of the National and Maryland PTA;
- b. Remit the national and state dues to the Maryland PTA office by dates designated;
- c. Have bylaws approved every three (3) years according to the procedures of Maryland PTA;
- d. Have a minimum of twenty-five (25) members;
- e. Shall submit the name and contact information including phone number, address and e-mail address of all elected officers to the MDPTA office within two (2) weeks of their election.
- f. Remit bonding, liability and directors and officers insurance premiums by the date designated;
- g. Have an Employer Identification Number (EIN) from the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) on file with Maryland PTA;
- h. Maintain its status as a corporation, have as required by MD Non-Profit law, at a minimum a president, a secretary and treasurer;
- i. Files the appropriate tax forms, by the required dates, with the IRS and submits a copy to the Maryland PTA office within thirty (30) days of filing;
- j. Each local PTA shall submit a copy of its annual financial review, to Maryland PTA within one hundred (120) days following the end of the locals fiscal year;
- k. Files all appropriate state forms with the appropriate state authorities by the required date and submits a copy to the Maryland PTA office within 30 days of filing;

Name of PTA Meeting the Standards of Continuing Affiliation

County

➤ _____
Signature of Sponsoring PTA Officer

Position

Please Print Name

Date

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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 each of the following questions:
 - A. How will you utilize the skills and knowledge of volunteers in your classroom?

 - B. Why do you want to become a teacher?

2. **ACADEMIC REPORT** – Please include transcript of high school grades as well as two (2) letters of recommendation. One (1) letter must be from a teacher and the other letter from a community member. Only two letters will be accepted for scoring.

3. **STUDENT RESUME** – Resume must include: Awards, School Activities, and Community Involvement. Please include work experience/internships if applicable.

Disclosure Information

Maryland PTA will keep all applicants information confidential and will destroy all information once the winners are announced.

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