

# Perkins Local Schools



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## PTO SERVICE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Due: March 13, 2020

Award amounts vary, minimum \$500, paid directly to school of choice

Application criteria:

- 2.0 GPA or better
- Post-secondary bound (college/career/trade education beyond high-school)
- Community service (preferably for PTO events but does not have to be)
- 2 letters of recommendation
  - At least 1 from a teacher. Both should be non-relatives
- Completion of application and essay by the due date

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

Intended College/Post-Secondary School \_\_\_\_\_

Intended Field of Study: \_\_\_\_\_

1. Have you ever volunteered your time to any PTO events? For example: Book Fair, Holiday Shoppe, Someone Special Day, Tree Lighting Ceremony, fundraiser pickup, or babysitting during meetings. You may circle above or list any others here:

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2. Please write and attach an essay of around 300-500 words answering the following questions. ***Describe your PTO involvement and what community service means to you. How important is it to you to give back to your community? Identify your plan for lifelong service.***

3. Parent Involvement in PTO:

- Yes
- No

(All applications are considered, regardless of parent involvement in PTO. Applications are scored using a grading rubric that emphasizes student involvement and service.)

\*This rubric serves as a tool of consistency to find the most well rounded applicant. The elected officers or scholarship committee reserves the right to award or disqualify any application based on any reason it deems appropriate, regardless of rubric score.

0-1.9 points	2.0-3.4 points	3.5-5 points	Score
Application Completeness	Missing 2 or more parts	Complete and well organized	
Community service	1-3 events	PTO and 3+ events	
Letters of recommendation	0 letters	1 letter	2 letters
Essay	Single paragraph 300 words Content Writing mechanics	Multi-paragraph 400 words Content Writing mechanics	Multi-paragraph 500 words Content Writing mechanics
Total points			

Application Rubric Guidelines

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