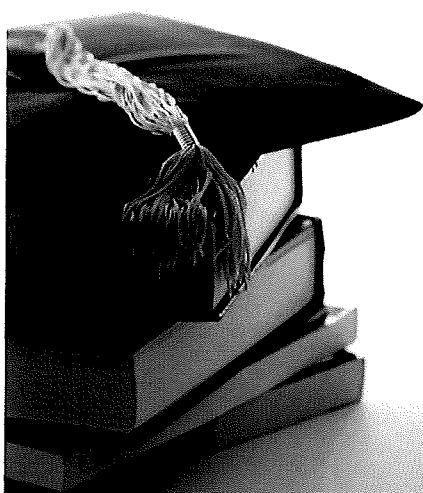




PENNSYLVANIA RESTAURANT ASSOCIATION EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION
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SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

ELIGIBILITY

- High school seniors who are graduating this year and have been accepted in a hospitality or culinary arts program at an accredited post-secondary institution.
- Any student currently enrolled in an accredited hospitality, hotel, restaurant management or culinary arts program at a post-secondary institution.
- Student must be a Pennsylvania resident.

HOW TO APPLY

Download an application form at www.prla.org/scholarship

The application packet deadline is **March 1**.

MAIL APPLICATION PACKET TO

PRAEF Scholarship Program • 100 State Street • Harrisburg, PA 17101

SCHOLARSHIP DETAILS

- Awards range in value from \$250 to \$1,500.
- Hospitality work experience preferred but not required.
- Candidates will be notified by mid-April.
- The scholarship monies will be mailed directly to the student's post-secondary institution in mid-July.

MORE INFORMATION

For more information about the scholarship program, contact the Pennsylvania Restaurant Association Educational Foundation at

phone (800) 345-5353
email scholarship@prla.org

APPLICATION PACKET

The scholarship application packet must include the following pieces:

- completed application form by **March 1**
- three* letters of recommendation
**one from an teacher/instructor;
one from an employer;
one from a personal reference*
- transcript from the school you most recently attended
- a 200 word essay that describes who you are, your work experience and why you wish to pursue a career in the restaurant, food-service or hospitality industries
- letter of acceptance* from the post-secondary institution you will be attending
**unless currently enrolled*

SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM APPLICATION

The scholarship application package must include the following materials:

- completed application form due by **MARCH 1**
- three letters of recommendation
(one from an instructor/teacher; one from an employer;
one from a personal reference)
- transcript from the school you most recently attended
- a 200 word essay describing who you are, your work experience and why you wish to pursue a career in the hospitality industry
- a letter of acceptance from the post-secondary institution you will be attending (*unless currently enrolled*)
- *hospitality work experience preferred but not required*

GENERAL INFORMATION

LAST NAME FIRST NAME MIDDLE INITIAL

DATE OF BIRTH SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER STUDENT ID#

ADDRESS

CITY STATE ZIP

HOME PHONE EMAIL

Are you affiliated with or related to any Pennsylvania Restaurant & Lodging Association board member? ☐ yes ☐ no

If yes, please explain the relationship. _____

HIGH SCHOOL EDUCATION INFORMATION

HIGH SCHOOL/VO-TECH SCHOOL NAME

DATE OF GRADUATION G.P.A.

Do you have an equivalency diploma (GED) ☐ yes ☐ no

POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION INFORMATION

COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY/SCHOOL PRESENTLY ATTENDING

EXPECTED DATE OF GRADUATION G.P.A.

DEGREE MAJOR

DEPARTMENT CHAIR

ADDRESS

CITY STATE ZIP

MORE ON REVERSE

Is this the school for which the scholarship is intended? ☐ yes ☐ no

If no, please provide the name and address of the school for which the scholarship is intended.

Have you applied for admission?

☐ yes ☐ no

Have you been accepted?

☐ yes ☐ no

CURRICULUM OUTLINE (*describe the courses you have taken/will take*).

CAREER OBJECTIVES

OTHER EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND (*list other post-secondary institutions you have attended*)

WORK EXPERIENCE

List your most recent work experience first or attach your resume.

DATE OF EMPLOYMENT

COMPANY NAME & ADDRESS

POSITION/TITLE

PHONE

Are you planning to work during school?

☐ yes ☐ no

If yes, list the number of hours per week you plan on working. _____

I hereby certify that the information in this application is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

SIGNED

DATE

SIGNED (*PARENT OR GUARDIAN IF APPLICANT IS UNDER THE AGE OF 18*)

DATE

MAIL COMPLETE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION PACKET BY MARCH 1 TO:

Pennsylvania Restaurant Association Educational Foundation

100 State Street, Harrisburg, PA 17101

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