

Schaumburg Township Council of PTAs
Bonnie Greenberg Memorial Scholarship Application¹
2016-2017

Available Scholarship

As part of its commitment to life-long learning and community involvement, the Schaumburg Township Council of PTAs offers scholarships to graduating seniors who wish to further their education. The following scholarship will be awarded:

Bonnie Greenberg Memorial Scholarship

- Available to a Graduating Senior with Special Education needs.
- A **current** IEP is a requirement for this scholarship.
- One Scholarship in the amount of \$1,500 will be awarded.

Criteria

The Scholarship applicants will be evaluated on the following criteria:

- Academics
- Answers to essay questions
- Extracurricular activities, community involvement & leadership
- Letter of Support
- *If you have extenuating circumstances that would affect these criteria, please explain.*

Directions

- The student statements and application questions must be **typed, neatly completed in black pen or recorded on a flash drive or CD.**
- Please limit your answers to 250 words or less per response.
- Your complete high school transcript must be submitted with the application. *An unofficial transcript will be accepted this year.*
- **Non-conforming applications will be disqualified.**
- Students may apply for scholarships in as many categories as they choose, but no student will be awarded more than one.

Submit Applications

- Completed applications must be returned to the High School College and Career Center or District #54 Administration Building no later than 3:00PM on **Friday, February 3 2017.**
- All candidates will be notified by April 15, 2017.
- Awards will be presented at the Schaumburg Township Council of PTAs Scholarship Recognition Dinner on May 10, 2017, and **all recipients' attendance will be requested.**

¹ If you are not a special needs student, there are nine other Schaumburg Township Council of PTAs scholarships available. These scholarships are also in the amount of \$1,500 and have a separate application and criteria.

Date/time Office Received _____
(office use only)

STUDENT STATEMENT

I certify that if I am awarded a Schaumburg Township Council of PTAs Scholarship, I will attend a career development program, accredited college, university, junior college or trade school.

I certify that I attended a District 54 elementary school or junior high school for two (2) years.

Student's Name: _____

Home Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Date of Birth: _____

District 54 Elementary School attended: _____
Dates attended (at least 2 years at a District 54 school): _____

District 54 Junior High School attended: _____
Dates attended (at least 2 years at a District 54 school): _____

Graduating High School: _____

College or University Attending: _____

Major (field of study): _____

Student Signature: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Today's Date: _____

I have a current IEP on file at my High School: Yes No

The IEP will not be reviewed by the selection committee; it remains on file at your school

List by grade level your participation in:

- School and extracurricular activities (athletics, clubs, fine arts, etc.);
- Leadership roles, honors, awards;
- Community involvement; and
- Employment.

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If you have extenuating circumstances that would affect these criteria, please explain below:

**BONNIE GREENBERG MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
LETTER OF SUPPORT**

This Letter of Support is part of the application process and should be written by someone who knows the applicant well (someone other than a family member). This letter should include:

- **How long and in what capacity the person writing the letter has known the applicant**
- **Information regarding contributions that the applicant has made**
- **Obstacles that have been overcome**
- **Reasons the person writing the letter feels that the applicant should be selected to receive the scholarship**

(Please continue on a separate piece of paper if necessary)

Name of Applicant: [Select text to respond]

[Select text to respond]

Name of Person writing Letter of Support: [Select text to respond]

Relationship to Applicant: [Select text to respond]

Signature: _____

Date: [Select text to respond]