



PASCO EDUCATION FOUNDATION

Scholarship Opportunities for Graduating Seniors

A. Faye Goodwin Scholarship

- Graduating Senior from Zephyrhills High School

Aaron William Gwynn Memorial Scholarship

- Pasco County Public Schools Graduating Senior
- Must be a student who has been determined eligible with a Specific Learning Disability (SLD)
- Minimum 2.5 Unweighted GPA
- **Separate Essay:** Why I feel I am a stronger person because of my learning disability?

Adam Kennedy Memorial Scholarship

- Pasco County Public Schools Graduating Senior
- Minimum 3.2 unweighted GPA
- JROTC Cadet
- Must have been a student at Crews Lake Middle School for at least one full year
- **Separate Essay:** How has your life been impacted by an educator?

AdventHealth Wesley Chapel Scholarship

- Applicant must be a graduating senior from Cypress Creek, Land O' Lakes, Wesley Chapel or Wiregrass Ranch High School
- Pursuing studies in a healthcare-related field
- Must attend a post-secondary education institution
- Minimum 3.0 weighted GPA
- **Separate Essay:** Please explain what health care career you plan to pursue. Also, why do you plan to study medicine or a health care related field in college?

Alan Beer Memorial Fund Scholarship

- Graduating Senior From Wiregrass Ranch High School
- Participated in High School Sports

Alpha Delta Kappa (Delta Xi Chapter) Future Teacher Scholarship

- Pasco County Public Schools Graduating Senior
- Demonstrate School and community service through volunteerism, committee or club involvement.
- Major in the Education field
- Show evidence of financial need
- **Separate Essay:** Why do you want to teach?

Anne Karpay, Ph.D. Memorial Scholarship of Excellence

- Pasco County Public Schools Graduating Senior
- Demonstrate School and community service through volunteerism, committee or club involvement.
- Must have earned at least one Varsity Athletic Letter
- Applicants must pursue a career in science
- **Separate Essay:** What activities have you participated in that demonstrate your love/commitment to science?

Ashley Morrison Heart Scholarship

- Pasco County Public Schools Graduating Senior
- Minimum 3.0 unweighted GPA
- Participate in FHSAA recognized Sport
- Teacher and Coach Reference
- **Separate Essays:**
 - How do you feel sports has prepared you for the future?
 - Give an example of a time you have shown leadership in your life and whom did it impact?
 - How would receiving this scholarship help you and/or your family?

Behavioral Sciences Scholarship

- Pasco County Public Schools Graduating Senior
- Pursuing a Career in Behavioral Science (including Psychology, Psychiatry, etc.)

Benedetto Family Scholarship

- Graduating Senior from Land O' Lakes High School
- Participated in the Football Program all four years of high school
- **Separate Essay:** Write a descriptive narrative detailing your involvement in the football program. Essay should be a descriptive essay of each year, not your statistics. Please conclude with a description of the impact the football program has had on your life.

Bill Kraus Skilled Trades Scholarship

- Pasco County Public Schools Graduating Senior
- Must be attending Trade School or pursuing an education in a Trade

Citizens Association of Port Richey, Inc. (CAPRI) Scholarship

- Pasco County Public Schools Graduating Senior
- Must reside within the city limits of Port Richey

CLASS Adam Kennedy Future Educator Scholarship

- Pasco County Public Schools Graduating Senior
- Pursue a degree in Education

Concourse Council – Jim Wilcox Memorial Scholarship Criteria

- Pasco County Public School High School Senior
- Post-secondary education majoring in environmental sciences (ecology, agriculture, archaeology, biology, forestry)
- Minimum 2.75 - 3.50 Weighted Grade Point Average
- Community Involvement (Minimum 50 community service hours)
- **Special Essay:** Why are you passionate about the environment and how can science improve our world?

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. Clearwater Alumnae Chapter Scholarship

- Graduating Senior from Anclote, Fivay, Gulf, Hudson, J.W. Mitchell, Land O' Lakes, River Ridge, Sunlake, or Wendell Krinn Technical High School
- Must be African America Heritage
- Cumulative unweighted GPA of 2.75
- Must have 50 or more Community Service Hours
- Must Submit Two letters of Recommendation

Douglas Jimolka Banking and Finance Scholarship

- Pasco County Public Schools Graduating Senior
- Pursuing a career in Banking or Finance

Ed Braddy Young Scientist Award

- Pasco County Schools Graduating Senior
- Participated in the Pasco Regional Science Fair

Fine Arts of the Suncoast Scholarship

- Pasco County Public Schools Graduating Senior
- Show interest in pursuing the Visual Fine Arts field, including but not limited to: painting, weaving, 2 or 3 Dimensional Art, Fine Art Photography, Fiber Art, Fashion Design, Sculpture or Art Education.

Flo Massaro Future Educator Scholarship

- Must graduate from Fivay High, Hudson High, Mitchell High, or River Ridge High
- Major in the Education Field
- Separate Essay: Why do you want to pursue a career in the field of education?

Florida Sports Coast Student Athlete Scholarship

- Pasco County Schools Graduating Senior
- Must have a minimum of a 3.2 GPA
- Must have participated in sport(s) all four years of high school
- Minimum of 100 community service hours
- Recommendation letter from Athletic Director or Principal
- **Special Essay:** What are the benefits and challenges of balancing your academics with your sport participation? What is it about your sport that makes you passionate? Offer up examples that help to illustrate your point.

Forrest Schafer Memorial Scholarship

- Must be an Anclote High School Graduating Senior
- Must be enrolled in the Credit Recovery Program
- **Special Essay:** What challenges have you overcome to graduate on time and what have you learned from those experiences?

G. Frank Parker Jr. Endowment Scholarship

- Graduating Senior from Gulf High School
- Unweighted GPA range from 2.5 – 3.25

Gabriella Banks Memorial Scholarship

- Pasco County Public Schools Graduating Senior
- Must have a minimum of a 3.0 unweighted GPA
- Pursuing a career in Culinary or Music Education
- Recommendation letter from teacher or employer
- **Special Essay:** Why are you pursuing higher education and how will this scholarship help you attain your goals?

Greater Dade City Chamber of Commerce Community Involvement and Service Scholarship

- Graduating Senior from Pasco High School
- Must attend accredited community college, university or accredited vocational school in Florida
- Show evidence of community service (Minimum 100 hours)
- **Separate Essay:** How has community involvement and service enriched your experience as a resident of the Dade City area? (Minimum 500 words)

Greta Adams Future Teacher Scholarship

- Pasco County Public Schools Graduating Senior
- Major in Education Field
- Minimum of a 3.5 Unweighted GPA

Hamilton-Sears Endowment for Trade School Scholarship

- Pasco County Public Schools Graduating Senior
- Must be attending Trade School or pursuing an education in a Trade

Hoeting Scholarship

- Graduating Senior from Hudson High School
- GPA between 2.75 and 3.5 unweighted
- Community Involvement

Hudson High School Alumni Scholarship

- Hudson High School Graduating Senior

I Run for Coach Keppel Scholarship

- Graduate from Land O' Lakes High School
- Minimum 3.0 unweighted GPA
- Minimum 50 Hours of community service
- Participated in Cross Country or Track Team
- **Separate Essays:** What does it mean to you to "Live" the Keppel Way?

James Edward Priest III Memorial Scholarship

- Graduating Senior from Gulf High School
- Minimum of a 2.5 Unweighted GPA
- Played 2 years in a FHSAA recognized Varsity Sport
- Minimum of 50 Community Service Hours
- **Separate Essay:** Outline your leadership qualities.

James M. Marlowe Allied Health scholarship

- Pasco County Public Schools Graduating Senior
- Show interest in pursuing a career in a health-related field
- Demonstrate School, Community and Health care field service with a minimum of 100 community service hours
- Unweighted GPA must be between a 3.0 and 3.5

Joe McClain Memorial Scholarship

- Pasco High School all 4 years
- Free and Reduced Lunch
- Minimum 3.0 Grade Point Average
- Community and school Involvement

Johnnie Clower Memorial Scholarship

- Pasco High School Graduating Senior
- Minimum 3.5 unweighted GPA
- Show Evidence of financial need
- Play at least one FHSAA recognized Varsity Sport

Kathy Locraft Scholarship for Graphic Arts

- Pasco County Public Schools Graduating Senior
- Pursuing a career in Graphic Arts

Kim Van Schenck Memorial Scholarship

- Pasco County Public Schools Graduating Senior
- Major in the field of Education
- Minimum 3.0 unweighted GPA
- Experienced the loss of someone who has had an impact on your life
- **Separate Essay:** How someone's death has impacted my life and future goals?

Krista Marie Sellars Memorial Scholarship

- Must graduate from Land O' Lakes, Sunlake, River Ridge or Wiregrass Ranch High School
- Show evidence of financial need
- Minimum of 2.5 unweighted GPA
- Demonstrate a positive contribution to their school and/or community with a minimum of 50 community service hours
- **Separate Essay:** Who is the hero in your life and why or life and why or how have they impacted your life?

LCAN/SPARK Scholarship

- Graduating Senior from Anclote, Fivay, Gulf, Hudson, Pasco or Zephyrhills High School
- Must have completed the FAFSA

Martha Mason Vocational/Trade Scholarship

- Graduating Senior from Zephyrhills High School
- Must be attending Trade School or pursuing an education in a Trade

Martha's Family in Education Scholarship

- Pasco County Public Schools Graduating Senior
- Must be a child of a Pasco County Schools Teacher or Instructional Assistant

Mary and Bob Sierra Family Foundation Scholarship

- Graduating Senior from any Pasco County public high school
- Student must show evidence of financial need
- No specific education/career path is specified
- Minimum 3.2 GPA un-weighted (provide weighted and un-weighted GPA's)
- Minimum ACT score – 27 or SAT score – 1170 (or 1170 without writing)
- Maintain a minimum 3.2 GPA in college/university to receive scholarship funds
- **Separate Essay:** Write a personal statement about the most character-building experience in your life And explain the influence that this experience has had on you.

Meghan E. Grey Scholarship for the Arts

- Pasco County Schools Graduating Senior
- Must pursue a degree in the Arts, Dance or Theater

Mrs. Ray L. Brickman Memorial Scholarship for Future Educators

- Must graduate from Hudson, River Ridge, Gulf, Mitchell or Land O' Lakes High School
- Demonstrate School and Community Service through volunteerism , committee or club involvement
- Minimum of 3.5 unweighted GPA
- Major in the field of Education

Nancy C. Browning Social Studies Scholarship

- Graduate from Land O' Lakes High School
- Majoring in Social Studies

Nancy C. Browning AP Psychology Scholarship

- Graduate from Land O' Lakes High School
- Majoring in Psychology

Owen E. Gall Scholarship

- Graduate from Zephyrhills High School
- Must pursue a degree in agriculture, education, journalism or Pre-Med
- Must attend the University of Florida

Pasco County Farm Bureau Scholarship

- Pasco County Public Schools Graduating Senior
- Must have a family member that is a Farm Bureau Member
- Must Show interest in pursuing a degree in agriculture or agriculture-related field

Pasco Safety Town Self Improvement Scholarship

- Pasco County Public Schools Graduating Senior
- Project Turnaround Student

Philip J. Passantino Health Education Scholarship

- Pasco County Public Schools Graduating Senior
- Student must show evidence of financial need
- Minimum of 100 Community Service Hours
- Pursuing studies in a healthcare field
- Minimum of a 3.0 unweighted GPA
- **Special Essay:** Please explain why you wish to pursue a healthcare career and why you selected this part of the healthcare field to study versus any other.

Renee Kettle-Dermott Memorial Scholarship

- Graduating Senior from Gulf High School
- Must have a 3.2 or above unweighted GPA
- Must have Community Involvement

Robert A. Crockford Memorial Scholarship

- Pasco County Public Schools Graduating Senior
- Pursue a degree in Automotive Engineering/Technology or Building Construction Management
- Minimum 2.75 Unweighted GPA
- Demonstrate school and community service through volunteerism, committee, club involvement or athletics
- **Separate Essay:** What or who has inspired you to choose a degree in either the automotive or construction industry?

Roger Kaminski Memorial Scholarship

- Must be Graduating Senior from Pasco High School
- Must have attended Lacoochee Elementary for at least three school years.
- Minimum GPA - 2.0

Rotary Club of Wesley Chapel Noon Scholarship

- Must graduate from Cypress Creek High, Wesley Chapel High School or Wiregrass Ranch High School
- Minimum of 2.5 unweighted GPA
- Must be attending post-secondary education in Florida
- Demonstrate a positive contribution to their school and/or community with a minimum of 50 community service hours
- **Separate Essay:** Why are service clubs, like Rotaries beneficial to the community?

Science Educator Scholarship

- Pasco County Public Schools Graduating Senior
- Pursuing a career in Science Education

Scotty Vanlandingham Memorial Scholarship

- Must be a Graduating Senior
- Must be going into the welding profession
- Minimum 2.5 unweighted GPA
- **Separate Essay:** Why do you feel Trade Careers are important?

Solomon Keim Musical Excellence Scholarship

- Must be a Graduating Senior
- Majoring in Music or Music Business
- Minimum 3.5 unweighted GPA
- All County and/or All-State Performers Preferred
- Must not be attending USC, Yale, Dartmouth or Vanderbilt
- **Special Essay:** Why Music?

Suncoast Credit Union Scholar Scholarship

- Must be a Graduating Senior
- Must attend Post-Secondary Education in Florida
- Minimum of a 2.5 unweighted GPA
- Must not be a family member of a Suncoast Credit Union Employee

The Athanassie Family Scholarship

- Must be a graduating senior from Gulf High School
- Minimum of a 3.5 unweighted GPA
- Experienced the loss of a parent

“The Biggest Heart” Athletic Scholarship Honoring Samantha Friese

- Graduating Senior from Wesley Chapel High School
- Participated in School Sport
- Minimum of 50 Community Service Hours
- Unweighted GPA range 2.5-3.5
- **Special Essay:** How do you incorporate everyday athletics into being a good person and good friend?

The BIR Future Educator Scholarship

- Must be a graduating senior from Gulf High School
- Show evidence of financial need
- Major in the field of education

The Pasco Council of Chambers Scholarship

- Pasco County Public Schools Graduating Senior
- Minimum of a 3.0 unweighted GPA
- Show a minimum of 75 hours of community service
- Must pursue a career in business

The Pasco High School Reunion of the Decades Scholarship

- Graduating Senior from Pasco High School

Thomas James Kranendonk Scholar/Athlete Scholarship

- Graduating Senior from Land O' Lakes High School
- Minimum 3.0 unweighted GPA
- Earned at least one Varsity Athletic Letter
- Must be planning to enroll in an accredited, four-year institution or two-year program leading to a four-year undergraduate degree
- **Separate Essay:** How have team sports influenced your life and education?

Timothy Ellrod Scholarship

- Graduate of Land O Lakes High School
- Minimum 3.0 Unweighted GPA
- Major in the Science Field

Weitzenkorn Family Scholarship

- Pasco High School Graduating Senior
- African American

Woodland Wrangler Scholarship

- Graduating Senior from Zephyrhills High School
- Must have been promoted from 5th grade at Woodland Elementary School

Youth Leadership Pasco Scholarship

- Be a graduate of Youth Leadership Pasco

Zephyrhills Chamber of Commerce Academic and Vocational / Trade School Scholarship

- Graduating Senior from Zephyrhills High School
- Pursuing a professional certification, vocational or academic degree at an institution of higher learning
- Record of Community Service - Minimum 50 hours
- Minimum GPA: 2.0 or must meet all requirements to earn a high school diploma in 2023
- Essay: Complete a short essay on how the experiences in your life have impacted your career choices and your future goals. Word count between 300 and 500 words.