

# **Redmond High School PTSA**

# 2023 Student Scholarship: Application Instructions

## Submission deadline: Monday, April 24, 2023 by 11:59pm

Redmond High School PTSA Scholarships of \$1,000 are awarded to further the education of the chosen graduating seniors. These scholarships may only be used towards tuition at a two-year or four-year college or vocational school, required textbooks, or room and board for on-campus housing. The scholarship award must be utilized by January 1, 2024.

The PTSA Scholarship Committee will award scholarships based on the following criteria:

- 1. Extra-curricular and community service activities
- 2. Academic excellence and motivation
- 3. Short answer responses
- 4. Future goals
- 5. Demonstrated determination or turnaround in high school
- 6. Letters of recommendation (must be received by the deadline)
- 7. Correct and complete submission of the application

#### INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. Complete the application form and the short answer questions and **submit** them to <u>scholarships@redmondhsptsa.org</u>.
- 2. Include the following supplemental items:
  - a. Copy of your **high school transcript including the first semester of senior year** and any college courses you have taken. Unofficial copies are acceptable.
  - b. TWO letters of recommendation: at least one from an RHS faculty member who knows you well. The second letter may be from an employer, coach, running start instructor, family friend or other appropriate individual. *Letters from family members will not be accepted.* Recommendation letters may be emailed directly to scholarships@redmondhsptsa.org.
- 3. Please do not submit any additional materials, such as art portfolios or photos, as these will not be considered.

### ALL SCHOLARSHIP MATERIALS WILL BE KEPT CONFIDENTIAL

Applicants will be notified of their status by the end of May. Scholarships will be presented during the RHS PTSA meeting in June. If you have any questions, please contact <u>scholarships@redmondhsptsa.org</u>.



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Applicant's Full Name:	
Mailing Address:	
Phone number:	Email:
Parent/Guardian #1 name:	
Phone number:	Email:
Parent/Guardian #2 name:	
Phone number:	Email:
Name of College/School you are planning to attend:	
Please provide contact information for the two individuals who will be providing your letters of recommendation:	
Name #1:	Relationship to you:
Email address:	
Name #2:	Relationship to you:
Email address:	

AFFIDAVIT: I hereby certify that my replies to all statements are true and accurate, and to the best of my knowledge all attachments submitted with my application are true, original and accurate.

 Signature:
 Date:



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## **Short Answer Questions**

Using no more than two (2) typed pages total, please provide your answers to the following:

- 1. Describe your **most significant** activities and involvement during your high school years (such as ASB, Sports, Music, Clubs, etc.). List any awards, honors or special recognition you have received.
- 2. Describe your **most meaningful** involvement in the community, including the number of years involved and hours per week (such as volunteer work, paid employment, scouting, religious groups, etc.). What have you learned from this experience?
- 3. What are your **plans for furthering your education**? Please discuss in detail any career goals or dreams you may have for the future.
- 4. Tell us something that you have **accomplished** during your high school years that makes you proud. Let us know **what** you accomplished and **why** it was important to you?
- 5. If there is any additional information that you wish to share with the Selection Committee about what makes you an ideal scholarship candidate for the 2022-23 school year, please include a brief description.