

**Highline Council PTSA Senior Scholarship Fund  
Monthly Payroll Donation**

The Highline Council PTSA is a non-profit organization which directly improves and impacts the lives of Highline students. Your small, monthly, payroll deduction will help fund our Scholarships for High School Seniors. **Please complete the information below and return to us at:**

**HCPTSA, PO Box 66539, Burien, WA 98166**

Employee Name:

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Address:

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Phone Number:

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Employee ID Number:

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Social Security Number:

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Amount to be deducted from each paycheck, once a month:

\$2.00    \$5.00    \$10.00

\$20.00    Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Please deduct the above amount from my paycheck and directly disperse to the Highline Council PTSA for the specific use of the Social Service Fund. I understand that this deduction will continue indefinitely until I request, in writing, that it stop.

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*Signature*

**Your Highline Council PTSA  
for 2016-2017**

President: Mindi Welton-Mitchell

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Reflections & Scholarship Committee

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HCPTSA is the leadership council for all PTAs in the Highline School District, providing support, training, and recognition for local PTAs, as well as the Reflections Arts Program and the Senior Scholarship Fund for high school seniors.

PTA strives to help benefit the health, education, and welfare of the students in our community. HCPTSA is pleased to be able to provide scholarships to our students.

**BE SURE TO JOIN YOUR LOCAL PTA  
TODAY!**

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find your local PTA!*



**Senior Scholarship Fund**

for Highline Public Schools  
Graduating Seniors

*Sign up to contribute today for a  
brighter future tomorrow!*

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## Highline Council PTSA Senior Scholarship Fund HISTORY

In the past, Highline Council PTSA had a Social Services Fund to help students with emergency services such as hearing and vision screening and counseling, along with its scholarships for graduating high school seniors. In recent years, Highline Council PTSA had no referrals for those services as access via insurance coverage has increased along with other providers of services.

Therefore, at the June 2016 Board of Directors meeting, the Highline Council PTSA voted to use the funds solely for scholarships, to help our students who have shown dedicated service in our community a helping hand as they begin college.

## Scholarship Applicants Eligibility & Requirements

To be considered eligible for a HCPTSA scholarship, the applicant must be living within the Highline School District, currently enrolled in a Highline School District High School and graduating in June 2017. The high school does not have to have a PTA for a student to apply. Scholarships shall be available for use at any accredited college, university or vocational institute. Scholarship funds vary from \$250 up to \$1000 and are awarded at the discretion of the HCPTSA scholarship committee.

### **Eligible candidates shall be evaluated on the following criteria:**

- Volunteer work and/or public service
- Extracurricular activities
- Essay question
- One letter of recommendation
- Grade point average

Applications must be postmarked by the deadline stated on the scholarship application and posted on the Highline Council PTSA Website.

Prior to disbursement of funds, recipients will be required to submit a student enrollment certificate upon entry into their school of higher education. Scholarships must be claimed by December 22, 2017.

## THANK YOU

to all who contribute!



Thank you to all of our employees who contribute to our fund. In 2016, we awarded four scholarships, ranging from \$500 to \$1000, to our high school seniors. Our seniors, as part of their volunteer service, did everything from volunteering as interpreters, to organizing blood drives, to volunteering the emergency room at Highline Hospital. We were proud to offer scholarships to help these deserving students achieve their dreams, some of whom had a difficult journey in their life to reach graduation.