CCHS PTSA Student Scholarship

**Scholarship Information**: Cedar Creek High School PTSA offers scholarships to graduating seniors who will be enrolled full-time in an accredited college, university or technical institute in the summer or fall semester immediately following applicant’s graduation from high school. Through our scholarship program, CCHS PTSA works to support students who are focused on achieving career goals through higher education. In evaluating each application, the scholarship committee will also consider service and participation in school activities, community involvement and scholastic merit.

If you are a student who transferred to CCHS during your high school tenure, please include PTSA involvement from your prior school, including all other areas previously listed above.

**Eligibility Requirements**: Applicant must meet ALL the following eligibility requirements to be considered for the scholarships:

1. Applicant must be a graduating Senior of Cedar Creek High School.
2. Applicant must be a member of the CCHS PTSA by February 18, 2021.
3. Applicant must plan to be enrolled full-time in an accredited college, university or technical institute in the summer or fall semester immediately following high school graduation.
4. Applicant cannot have an immediate family member on the CCHS PTSA Scholarship Committee.

**Deadline**: Completed application must be received in the College & Career Century by Thursday, February 18, 2021 at 4:30pm to be eligible for consideration.

**Guidelines for Submission**: In order to qualify, the applicant must complete the following:

1. CCHS General Application Form (Includes the following items):
   1. Personal Resume
   2. High School Transcript
   3. Personal Statement (separate paper)
   4. Be sure to document your PTSA involvement (at all high schools attended)
2. CCHS PTSA Scholarship Application Form
3. Letters of Recommendations: Please note that only ONE of the letters may come from a campus faculty member or administrator. The other letter MUST come from someone in the community, from church, or from someone else outside of school involvement.
   1. One letter of recommendation from a teacher or faculty member
   2. One letter of recommendation from a community member outside of school.

**Selection & Disbursement**: Selection is made by the Scholarship Committee of Cedar Creek High School PTSA. Once selected, the applicant MUST provide a copy of their full-time enrollment in order to receive a check written to the student. If a student fails to provide proof of enrollment, they forfeit their scholarship from the CCHS PTSA.

CCHS PTSA Scholarship Application Form

1. Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
2. Current Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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2. Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
3. How many years have you been a member of CCHS PTSA? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
4. Were you a transfer student to Cedar Creek High School? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

(If yes, continue answering the questions below, otherwise, skip to #7)

1. Did you participate in PTSA at former school? Yes or No (Circle one)
2. How many years were you involved? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_
3. Answer the following short answer questions. Answers should be a minimum of 40 words. (**Please use complete sentences and watch your spelling**)
4. Describe how parent involvement and PTA have impacted your education.

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1. Explain how PTA and parent involvement have influenced your goals toward your future education or career.

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1. Describe a time when you faced adversity and how you overcame it.

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1. In what areas of your life have you had an impact on others and how?

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