

Pinellas County School District Teacher Scholarship

The Pinellas County School District will award three scholarships to Pinellas County high school seniors who plan to attend a Florida college or university with the intention of majoring in an education field. Each student will be awarded a 2-year Florida Prepaid College Scholarship valued at \$8000.

Criteria: Graduating senior from a Pinellas County School District high school; Florida resident; have a valid Social Security Number; interest in pursuing a degree in Education; attend a Florida college or university; demonstrated financial need; and minimum weighted GPA of 3.0.

Interested students must submit the following:

- Completed application
- Confirmation email showing FAFSA has been completed (If available, please send a copy the FAFSA Submission Summary)
- Copy of Acceptance Letter from a Florida college or university

Applications must be emailed or received via US mail by March 3, 2025. Please email documents to pairb@pcsb.org or mail* to:

Pinellas County Schools
Administration Bldg.
Attn: Brooke Pair
301 4th street, SW
P.O. Box 2942
Largo, FL 33779

**If you mail out your application, please email pairb@pcsb.org with your name and high school on the date that the application is mailed.*

Application

Applicant's Full Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Phone number: _____

Email: _____

High School Currently Enrolled In: _____

Intended High School Graduation Date: _____

Financial Need: *Please send a confirmation email showing FAFSA has been completed (If available, please send a copy of the FAFSA Submission Summary)*

Do you meet the income eligibility criteria for the Free/Reduced School Lunch Program? _____ Yes _____ No

School and Community Involvement

Community Service: *If you have participated in community service while in high school, please list below.*

Agency: _____

Years Volunteered: _____ Number of Hours Volunteered: _____

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School Activities: *If you have participated in clubs or organizations or have been a member of a team, please list below.*

Clubs/Organizations/Teams: _____ Years Participated: _____

Did you hold a leadership position? Yes No

(If yes, please specify: _____)

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Awards/Recognition: *Please list any awards or recognition you have received while in high school.*

Award: _____ Year Received: _____

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Essays

Describe how a teacher had a profound impact on your life and why you have chosen to become a teacher. (Maximum 200 words)

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