

General Information

The ERPTA invites scholarship applications for the 2023-2024 academic year from students pursuing a two- or four-year undergraduate degree on a full-time basis at an accredited College or University.

Applications may be accessed on the web at <http://www.erboe.net/domain/124> in pdf format, or in printed format at the Guidance Office at Becton Regional HS.

Applications must be received or postmarked by May 3rd, 2024. Applications received after this date will not be considered. This application becomes complete and valid only when you have returned all documentation indicated. All documents should be received in one package sent by the student.

Eligibility Requirements

- Must be an East Rutherford resident and fulltime student
- Must have attended 1st to 8th grade in the East Rutherford public school system
- Minimum 2.5 Grade Point Average on a 4.0 scale, or in the top 40% of class in High School
- You must be applying or attending a two- or four-year accredited College or University

Recipients will be notified in June.

Mail or drop off all materials to:

Christine Green

200 Carlton Avenue

East Rutherford, NJ 07073

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Name _____

Extra-Curricular & Employment History

How many hours per week do you spend doing activities other than schoolwork? (This includes clubs, sports, employment and /or community involvement) Please describe:

Activity

Hours per week

Household Information

List all those who live in your household who will be dependent on your parent(s) during the period of July 2023 through June 2024. Include you, parent(s) and siblings using generic terms such as “brother”, “mother”, “father”, or “self”. Note if in school.

Person living in household	Age	Name of school/College	Fulltime Student	Live at school
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Application Information

This is the only area of the application where your identifying information will appear.

Name _____

First

Middle

Last

Address _____

Home Telephone _____

Date of Birth _____

Check List:

Before you return your application package, verify that you have enclosed the following information- Any incomplete application will be disqualified.

- Application information page
- Academic profile with official transcript
- Essay
- Recommendation
- Scholarship application including extra- curricular & employment history, household information

In submitting this application, I certify that the information provided is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. Falsification of information may result in termination of any scholarship granted. This application and attached material become the property of the ERPTA.

Applicant's signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

Academic Profile

Instructions: This section **MUST** be completed and signed by an official at your school.

The GPA must be reported as its equivalent on a 4.0 scale and certified by the school official. Also, class rank must be shown, and students must be in the top 40% of their class.

Cumulative grade point average: _____

School: _____

School official's Signature: _____

Date: _____

School official title: _____

Telephone: _____

Important: Enclose your academic profile with official transcripts from your current High School.

College/Program Information

School you plan on attending during 2024-2025 academic years (if undecided, list your first two choices)

Four-year college or University; _____

Two year community or Junior College _____

Other _____

Recommendation Form

Instructions to Applicant: To be completed by an Advisor, Counselor, Instructor, or work supervisor who knows you well

Instructions to Appraiser: DO NOT include any information that would allow the review committee to identify the applicant. Enclose the completed form in an envelope and return to the student. Do not mail directly. It must arrive with the application package.

How long have you known the applicant and in what capacity?

Please give us your candid opinion of the scholarship applicant.

Appraiser's name: _____ Title _____

Signature _____

Address _____

Telephone _____

Essay

DO NOT include any information that would allow the review committee to identify the applicant.

Essay must be no longer than 500 words; essay must be typed and double spaced.

Please submit an essay on a topic of your choice. The topic may be anything you choose but should reflect your interest and capabilities as a writer.