

<p><b>FIRST DISTRICT PTA 2014 COMMEMORATIVE SCHOLARSHIP</b></p>
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The First District PTA Commemorative Scholarship Fund was established to commemorate First District PTA leaders who were long-time, dedicated child advocates and whose tireless efforts contributed greatly to the benefit of students, parents and schools within the geographic area of First District PTA.

Commemorative scholarships in the amount of \$500 each are awarded to acknowledge graduating high school students who have achievements, service and involvement in the following areas:

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| ACADEMICS                   | CITIZENSHIP    |
| COMMUNITY SERVICE           | LEADERSHIP     |
| EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES | JOB EXPERIENCE |

First District PTA encourages applications reflective of students who have: a minimum GPA of 2.0; worked diligently and to the best of their academic abilities; displayed good citizenship in a positive manner; been involved in school and community activities, and; held an after school, part-time or summer job, and/or; managed extra home responsibilities.

Council PTAs in good standing may submit one application for each council high school PTA. Pasadena City College PTSA, if in good standing, may submit one application.

\*\*\*\*\* STUDENT ELIGIBILITY \*\*\*\*\*

Student applicant must be:

- \*A 2014 graduating high school senior from a council PTA HS; (or PCC student)
- \*A resident of California
- \*A member of the high school PTA
- \*Planning to attend a college, university, trade or tech school in the fall (2014)

\*\*\*\*\*APPLICATION DISTRIBUTION & COUNCIL SELECTION \*\*\*\*\*

- \*First District distributes applications to council PTAs & PCC PTSA
- \*Council PTA distributes and collects student applications to/from HS
- \*Council PTA develops guidelines with regards to scholarship publicity, distribution & collection practices via HS Career Center, ASB, etc.
- \*High schools distribute & collect applications as requested by council PTA
- \*Student applicant must answer all questions on application
- \*Applicant's personal statement should be typed & attached to application
- \*School provided student transcript, sophomore year to present, must be submitted with a completed application
- \*Letter of Recommendation must accompany completed application
- \*Copy of student applicant's signed current PTA membership card must be submitted

Completed application, transcript, letter of recommendation and copy of student's signed current PTA membership card are DUE to council by date as determined by council PTA \_\_\_\_\_(date)

\*\*\*\*\* APPLICATION SELECTION PROCESS \*\*\*\*\*

\* High School applicants submit applications to the Council PTA by the date designated by the Council.

\* Council PTA selects one application from each HS PTA within the council to be submitted to First District PTA. (**exception for *Membership Incentive Scholarship*** – see below)

Selection of which applicant to submit from each high school is determined by the Council PTA

\*Completed application(s), transcript, letter of recommendation & copy of student's current signed PTA membership card must be received  
in the First District office by APRIL 21  
(FINAL DEADLINE FOR COUNCILS)

Applications must be submitted by Councils. Students cannot submit applications directly to First District PTA.

\*Scholarship selection process by First District Scholarship Committee

\*Council PTAs will be notified regarding student scholarship recipient(s)

**COUNCILS** – When submitting your applications and materials, please provide the following information at the top of the application:

- Date, Time & Place of Applicant's Senior Awards Assembly  
\*First District Officers or designees will present awards at Senior Awards Assemblies, if possible.
- Check box – Commemorative or Membership Incentive Scholarship  
So that First District processes the application properly, please be sure to indicate whether the applicant is being submitted as a Commemorative Scholarship applicant or as a Membership Incentive Scholarship recipient by checking the appropriate box at the top of the student's application.
  - Membership Incentive Scholarships – Councils that have been awarded a Membership Incentive Scholarship can select a student from all of the applicants to receive the Membership Incentive Scholarship. The applicant can be from any of the PTA high schools. This applicant will receive this scholarship. Selected recipient's application and information due May 12.

**REMINDER: APRIL 21 2014**

FINAL DEADLINE for receipt of Commemorative Scholarship applications and designated required attachments in the  
First District PTA Office  
1008 S. Eighth Street, Moor Field  
Alhambra, CA 91801-4614

Phone: 626.289.1448  
FAX: 626.289.0040  
Email: [pta1stdistrict@aol.com](mailto:pta1stdistrict@aol.com)  
Obtain application at [www.pta1.org](http://www.pta1.org)

**FIRST DISTRICT PTA**  
**2014 Student Scholarship Application**

(School) Unit PTA \_\_\_\_\_ Council PTA \_\_\_\_\_

Senior Awards Assembly: Date \_\_\_\_\_ Time \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_

GPA (Unweighted): \_\_\_\_\_ Letter of Recommendation: Yes \_\_\_\_\_ (required)

<p><b>FOR COUNCIL PTA- PLEASE CHECK ONLY ONE</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Commemorative Scholarship</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Membership Incentive Scholarship</p>
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NAME \_\_\_\_\_ (Last)  
\_\_\_\_\_ (First) \_\_\_\_\_ (Middle)

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY/STATE/ZIP \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

DATE OF BIRTH \_\_\_\_\_ SOCIAL SECURITY # \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF PARENT OF GUARDIAN \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT/GUARDIAN ADDRESS (IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE)

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ CITY/STATE/ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ CELL PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

List college, university, trade or tech school that you plan to attend:  
\_\_\_\_\_

Have you been accepted? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ Awaiting Response \_\_\_\_\_

What is your intended major or career choice? \_\_\_\_\_

Are Honors or AP classes offered at your high school? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Do you feel these classes are of benefit? \_\_\_\_\_ In What Way? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

List those you took: \_\_\_\_\_

Additional Comments: \_\_\_\_\_  
 List significant school activities in which you have been involved (clubs, sports, ASB, Student Council, Special Event, etc.). Circle grade(s) you participated.

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Year involved (grade)</u>			
1.	9	10	11	12
2.	9	10	11	12
3.	9	10	11	12
4.	9	10	11	12
5.	9	10	11	12

List offices you have held in school clubs, ASB, Student Council, etc.  
 Circle year(s) of involvement.

<u>Office</u>	<u>Year involved (grade)</u>			
1.	9	10	11	12
2.	9	10	11	12
3.	9	10	11	12
4.	9	10	11	12
5.	9	10	11	12

List community service group, church, scouts, youth group activities, etc.  
 Circle year(s) of Involvement.

<u>Group &amp; (If applicable) Office or Title</u>	<u>Year involved (grade)</u>			
1.	9	10	11	12
2.	9	10	11	12
3.	9	10	11	12
4.	9	10	11	12
5.	9	10	11	12

List work experience and/or jobs you have held. Give duration of employment.

<u>Job</u>	<u>Duration</u>
1.	_____
2.	_____
3.	_____

If you have unusually time-consuming and/or demanding home responsibilities, please Explain: \_\_\_\_\_

**Student's Personal Statement**

In 100 words or less, explain why you applied for this scholarship & why you wish to continue your education at a college, university, or trade/tech school. (Please type if possible & attach)

**\* CERTIFICATION:**

**All of the above information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge**

\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_  
**Student's Signature                      Date                      Parent/Guardian's Signature      Date**