

Mid-East Chapter PASBO

January 3, 2018

Dear High School Guidance Counselor,

The Mid-East Chapter of PASBO (Pennsylvania Association of School Business Officials) sponsors a scholarship annually for a senior who has selected business administration as her/his education direction/career goal.

Enclosed is a program description sheet with procedures and an application form for applying for our scholarship.

All completed application packets must be received by **March 30, 2018**. The Mid-East Scholarship Committee will review applications, make a recommendation to the general membership, and upon approval, notify you of the successful candidate.

We hope that you will actively promote this scholarship to benefit a Berks County or Schuylkill County student.

If you have any questions, please contact your entity's Business Manager or call me at 610-987-8414.

Sincerely,

Carl Blessing, Chair- Mid-East PASBO Scholarship Committee
Berks County Intermediate Unit
610-987-8414

Mid-East Chapter of PASBO
(Pennsylvania Association of School Business Officials)

SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Purpose

This scholarship program was established by the Mid-East Chapter membership to assist a high school senior pursuing a career in the field of business administration as her/his education direction/career goal at an institution of higher learning.

Procedures for Applying

Recipient will be selected from students who have submitted completed applications for scholarship aid through their guidance office. Deadline for application is **March 30, 2018**.

Application packet should be mailed to:
Carl Blessing, Chief Financial Officer
Berks County Intermediate Unit
1111 Commons Blvd
PO Box 16050
Reading, PA 19612-6050

Selection Criteria

Award of the scholarship will be based on:

- A. Proven intention of pursuing an education/career in business
- B. Good character qualities
- C. Leadership qualities

The scholarship committee, appointed by the Mid-East Chapter of PASBO president, will review candidate applications and make recommendations to the general membership for approval.

Duration & Scope

The Mid-East Chapter Scholarship will provide a one-time payment of \$500 to be awarded at the end of each school year. The Scholarship committee reserves the right not to distribute scholarship funds in the any year in which the committee does not receive suitable applications.

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Decisions will be awarded on the basis of interest in a future business career, on character, and leadership qualities.

(Please print or type the following information)

- I. Name _____
Address _____

Phone No. _____
High School Attending: _____
Date of Graduation: _____
Course pursued in High School: _____
Post Secondary institution you will be attending: _____

PLEASE NOTE: Please submit proof of acceptance at your post-secondary educational institution.

- II. Family Information
- A. Income
0-\$25,000 _____ \$25,000 to \$50,000 _____ Over \$50,000 _____
- B. Number of household members: _____
- C. Parents names and address, if different from your address:

- III. On a separate page list co-curricular activities (sports, educational, social, civic, etc.) job experiences, or family responsibilities in which you have undertaken positions of leadership.
- IV. In an essay of approximately 500 typed words, identify and describe what you feel are your most positive personal qualities. Describe how you think your experiences in Item III have provided a basis for possible future leadership roles, and finally, please explain why a business background will assist you in achieving your future goals.

Applicant and Parent/Guardian Statement

We have read the instruction sheet and this application form and wish to apply to the Mid-East Chapter Scholarship Committee for a scholarship. We agree to comply with all procedures outlined in the application, and we authorize the release of academic records, if requested, to the Scholarship Committee.

Applicant's Signature Date Parent/Guardian Signature Date

Permission to Publicize Name

If I am awarded a scholarship, I give permission to use my name in publicity releases relating to the Mid-East Chapter Scholarship Fund.

_____ YES _____ NO

Applicant's Signature Date Parent/Guardian Signature Date

Please mail application for receipt by March 30, 2018.

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