

Vaughn Parent/Teacher Scholarship Application

Parent Teacher Organization (PTO)

AWARD: Scholarship of two \$150, non-renewable

PURPOSE: This scholarship is designed to provide financial assistance to high school seniors who want to further their knowledge, skills, and abilities by engaging in a course of study at the post-high school level. This advanced training is not limited to traditional college or university course work and can include any trade or technical school.

ELIGIBILITY: Any high school senior with a minimum 2.0 GPA that has attended Vaughn Elementary School in Vaughn, Montana, for a minimum of three years.

SELECTION BASED UPON: Completion of required application form (including answering essay question), reference recommended, school transcripts, and attendance records.

DEADLINE: A signature application must be received no later than 4:00 p.m., February 15th, 2015.

PAYMENT: The Vaughn PTO will award the approved scholarship co-payable to the student and the educational institution. This will be mailed directly to the institution chosen by the award recipient upon completion of the first semester course of study. If the recipient has not started college at the beginning of the second academic year after being awarded the scholarship, he/she will forfeit the scholarship.

CONTACT: PTO Scholarship Committee
C/O Vaughn Elementary School
P.O. Box 279
Vaughn, MT 59487

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Type or print all information except signatures.

Completeness and neatness insure your application will be reviewed properly.

APPLICANT
DATA

Last Name _____ First _____ Middle Initial _____

Permanent Home Mailing Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

E-mail Address _____

Telephone (_____) _____

Social Security Number _____ Date of Birth _____

HIGH
SCHOOL

School Name _____ Graduation Date _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____

Zip Code _____ Telephone (_____) _____

School Contact Name – Principal, Counselor, or Advisor _____

Title _____

Years attending Vaughn Elementary School in Vaughn, Montana

APPLICANT
DATA

Kindergarten	First Grade	Second Grade	Third Grade	Fourth Grade	Fifth Grade	Sixth Grade	Seventh Grade	Eighth Grade

ACTIVITIES
AWARDS
AND
HONORS

List all schools and unpaid community activities in which you have participated during the last four years (e.g., student government, music, sports, Boy/Girl Scouts, hospital volunteer, Special Olympics, etc.)

Activity	No. of years	Special Awards, Honors	Offices Held

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ESSAY

Submit a typewritten one hundred fifty to two hundred word statement expressing your reasons for applying for this scholarship, including how Vaughn Public School prepared you for success in your education.

This section is required and must be completed by a high school official (principal, counselor, or advisor) in the space provided. If incomplete, the application will not be evaluated. Please print or type all information.

School
Verification

<p>Cumulative Grade Point Average Weighted: _____/4.0 scale Unweighted: _____/4.0 scale</p>

I have reviewed the applicant's responses and certify that they are correct to the best of my personal knowledge and/or are from the student's official school record.

School Official's Name (Please print or type) _____
 Telephone (_____) _____ Date _____
 School Official's Signature _____ Title _____

APPLICATION
CHECKLIST &
CERTIFICATION

The student is responsible for submitting all materials to Vaughn PTO on time. This application for a scholarship becomes valid only when the Vaughn PTO Scholarship Committee has received all of the following materials:

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 C/O Vaughn Elementary School
 P.O. Box 279
 Vaughn, MT 59487
 Vaughnpto@gmail.com

SCHOLARSHIP CHECKLIST:

- Completed application form including typed essay question
- School transcript/attendance record
- Submission of one reference is recommended. Reference should be from someone other than a family member or school personnel

Applicant's Signature _____ **Date** _____

For Official Use Only: (Minimum points are required)				
1. Completeness of Application:	_____	_____	_____	= _____
(A zero means disqualification of the application)				
2. Activities/Awards/Honors:	_____	_____	_____	= _____
3. Essay:				
Proper Grammar/Spelling	_____	_____	_____	= _____
Complete Sentences	_____	_____	_____	= _____
Clearness of Thought	_____	_____	_____	= _____
Logical Progression of Ideas	_____	_____	_____	= _____
4. Total Points	_____	_____	_____	= _____
5. Letter of Recommendation:	_____	_____	_____	= _____