

2017 PTSA Scholarship Application



The PTSA would like to recognize seniors who have made a positive contribution to the social, emotional, physical, cultural, or academic environment of MHS through their actions and activities.

We will award a limited number of scholarships from \$500 - \$1,000 each.

Scholarship requirements:

- 1) **APPLICATION:** Fill out the information below and attach this form to your typed essay. All applications are due to the MHS Guidance Office by **8:00 am - Wednesday, March 15, 2017**- no exceptions!
- 2) **ESSAY:** On a separate typed sheet, in **500 words or less**, describe the positive contribution(s) you have made to MHS.
 - We are looking for engaged members of the MHS community who may or may not be elected leaders.
 - Please **do not** include examples of external work that did not directly benefit MHS.
 - This scholarship recognizes students who will leave **MHS** a better place because of their positive contributions to the school's social, emotional, physical, cultural, or academic environment.
 - **NOTE:** In your essay, use Arial 14-point font and double space. Indicate your word count in the bottom right corner of the typed essay.
- 3) **INTERVIEW:** Each scholarship candidate will be required to participate in a 15-minute interview with our committee. Interview dates are Tuesday, April 26 and Wednesday April 27 from 2:00 pm - 7:00 pm. You will be contacted in April by Guidance via Naviance email to select a convenient interview time.

Notes:

- Scholarships are awarded based on your positive contributions to MHS; **not** academics or financial need.
- All essays will be reviewed by 3-4 volunteers. To ensure fairness, applicants' names will be removed from the essays before they are evaluated.
- If selected, you **must** be present at the scholarship awards ceremony on June 8th to receive your award.

Name _____ E-Mail _____

Address _____

Telephone (best number to reach you) _____

Total Years in Montgomery Schools _____

Guidance Counselor _____