

Graduating high school senior scholarship



The California State PTA is offering \$500 scholarships to Graduating High School Seniors.

Who can apply?

- High school seniors graduating between January 1st and June 30th, 2010 from high schools in California with a PTA or PTSA unit in good standing.
- High school seniors who plan to use the scholarship at an accredited college or university, community college, trade or technical school during the fall semester or quarter following high school graduation.

What are the qualifications?

- Applicant must do volunteer service in the school and community to qualify. This scholarship does not have a grade point average restriction or requirement.
- Applicant must be a California resident.
- Applicant must be a member of his/her high school PTA or PTSA.

How do I apply?

- Obtain **an application form** from the California State PTA website at www.capta.org .
- Include **two reference forms**. Reference forms are to be completed by a community volunteer leader with whom the student applicant has served, and a member of the high school faculty. *Follow the guidelines exactly; letters and forms should be given to the applicant in a sealed envelope to be included with the application packet.*
- Mail the reference forms and letters in sealed envelopes, **a legible copy of the applicant's current PTA or PTSA membership card**, and the completed scholarship application in ONE envelope to the California State PTA, 2327 L Street, Sacramento, CA 95816-5014.
- Application envelopes must be received in the California State PTA office by close of business, Monday, February 1st, 2010. Postmarks will not be accepted.
- Applications will be disqualified if received after the due date deadline or if any of the required materials are missing.
- Facsimiles will not be accepted. Only mailed application envelopes will be accepted.