

# **SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**



***Sponsored By***  
***PACA, Inc.***  
***(dba) Polish American Cultural Association***  
***5 Pulaski Place***  
***Port Washington, NY***

## PACA, Inc. Scholarship Application

<b>Applicant Data</b>	Name	Last _____	First _____	Middle Initial _____
	Address	Number _____	Street _____	Apt # _____
		City _____	State _____	Zip Code _____
	Date of Birth	_____	Age _____	Place of Birth _____
	Telephone Number	_____	E-Mail Address _____	
	State Polish Ancestry	_____		

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<b>Parent or Guardian Information</b>	Name (Father or Guardian)	Last _____	First _____	Middle Initial _____
		Occupation _____		
	Work Address	Telephone Number _____		
		Number _____	Street _____	
		City _____	State _____	Zip Code _____
	Mother (Maiden Name)	Last _____	First _____	Middle Initial _____
		Occupation _____		
		Telephone Number _____		

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<b>High School Data</b>	School Name	_____		
	Address	Number _____	Street _____	
		City _____	State _____	Zip Code _____
		Telephone # _____	Graduation Date _____	

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### Post-Secondary School Data

Name of post-secondary school you have been accepted or have applied. Use official school names.

_____	City _____	State _____
_____	City _____	State _____
_____	City _____	State _____

2 year Community or Junior College

4 year College or University

Vocational - Technical School

Other (explain) \_\_\_\_\_

Major or course of study \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a recipient of any other Scholarships? \_\_\_\_\_ If so, what amount(s) \_\_\_\_\_

List from whom \_\_\_\_\_

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**Work Experience** Describe work experience during the past 4 years. Indicate dates of employment in each job and approximate number of hours worked each week. List amounts earned at each job.

Company/Position	Dates	Hours per Week	Amount Earned

**Activities** List all school activities in which you have participated during the past 4 years (e.g., Student government, music, sports, etc.). List all community activities in which you have participated without pay during the past 4 years (e.g., Boy/Girl Scouts, hospital volunteer, Special Olympics, etc.). Indicate all special awards, honors and offices held.

Activity	No. of years	Awards	Offices Held

**Goals and Aspirations** Attach a brief statement concerning your plans as they relate to your educational and career objectives. State factors which are influencing you to apply for further education.

**Unusual Circumstances** Please describe how and when any unusual family or personal circumstances have affected your achievement in school, work experience, or your participation in school and community activities.


**Transcript** All applicants **must include** a high school transcript of grades and have the following section completed by the appropriate school official. (A clear explanation of the school's grading scale must be submitted.)

Applicant ranks _____	in a class of _____	Cumulative unweighted GPA _____ / 4.0 scale
		Cumulative weighted GPA _____ / 4.0 scale
PSAT Verbal _____	Math _____	SAT I Verbal _____ Math _____

**School Official's Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Address and Telephone Number** Street \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_

**Attach a copy of all SAT, ACT scores and any state regents testing scores.**

**Financial Data** Total number of exemptions claimed on 1040 tax return \_\_\_\_\_  
Total number of family members attending college the next school year, including applicant \_\_\_\_\_

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**Application Checklist** This application for a scholarship becomes complete and valid only when you have returned all of the following materials:

- Completed Student Application
- Current Complete Transcript(s) of Grades (including grading scale)
- Recommendation letter
- Goals and Aspirations
- Copy of acceptance letter from College, University or Technical/Vocational Institute
- **Postmarked no later than June 1, 2026**

**Mail to** SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM  
PACA, Inc.  
5 PULASKI PLACE  
PORT WASHINGTON, NY 11050

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**Awards are** The award is a (one) time scholarship in the amount of \$1,000.00 for the first year of higher education in the USA given by the Polish American Cultural Association.

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**Qualifications** Winners will be chosen on the basis of scholastic achievements, leadership as shown by their extra-curricular activities, offices held and other services to the school or the community, with thoughtful consideration of Need, Good Personal Behavior and Outstanding Educational Credits. Applicant must be a citizen of the United States of America, Polish ethnicity and ancestry on either paternal or maternal side, a resident of Nassau or Suffolk County.

Applicants must be accepted for attendance at a two-year or four-year accredited college, university or a technical/vocational institute.

*All applications shall remain the property of PACA, Inc.*

*PACA, Inc. reserves all rights to seek further data and/or information as to eligibility and its final determination and decision.*

**Winner will be notified by the end of July 2026. Date of presentation of award TBD.**

I attest to the accuracy of all above information:

Applicant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone # \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone # \_\_\_\_\_