



## WPG Spring 2025 Scholarship Application

### Applicant's Personal Information:

Name:

<i>First</i>	<i>Middle</i>	<i>Last</i>	<i>Student ID Number</i>

Home Address:

<i>Street</i>	<i>City</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Zip Code</i>

Telephone/E-Mail Address:

<i>Primary Telephone</i>	<i>Alternate Telephone</i>	<i>E-Mail Address</i>

### Education:

High School/GED

<i>School Name</i>	<i>Start Date</i>	<i>End Date</i>	<i>GPA</i>

College/University - Major: \_\_\_\_\_ Minor: \_\_\_\_\_

<i>School Name</i>	<i>Start Date</i>	<i>End Date</i>	<i>GPA</i>

Graduate College/University (if applicable)

<i>School Name</i>	<i>Start Date</i>	<i>End Date</i>	<i>GPA</i>

Use this space to tell us about your involvement with professional associations, community programs, or scholastic honors/activities, as well as any offices held:

**Questionnaire:**

Are you currently enrolled as a full-time student in good standing at an accredited institution of higher education? (“Good standing” is a student who is not on academic probation, suspension, or admitted under special conditions)	Yes	No
Are you currently pursuing a major in undergraduate or graduate studies to further a career in public service?	Yes	No
If you are an undergraduate applicant, have you completed at least 30 undergraduate hours? If you are a graduate student applicant, have you completed at least 12 graduate hours?	Yes	No
Are you a female resident of the Greater Houston/Harris County area? (see following page to view eligible cities for residency requirement)	Yes	No
Are you currently employed?	Yes	No
How did you hear about WPG?   WPG Member   University   Online   Family		

**Current Employment:**

<p>If you are currently employed, use this space to tell us about your job responsibilities and why you enjoy your position. Let us know if you will continue to work while pursuing your studies.</p>
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I authorize investigation of all statements contained in this application. I certify that there are no willful misrepresentations, omissions, or falsifications in the foregoing statements and answers to questions. I am aware that should an investigation disclose any misrepresentation, omission, or falsification, my application may be rejected or award withdrawn and any monies distributed reimbursed to WPG. I furthermore agree to release any information concerning my scholastic records to any agency necessary for the administration of the scholarship.

**Applicant’s Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

***Please return this application by May 15, 2025, with the required documents (essay response, transcript copy and recommendation letter) via e-mail to: ddaliasherif@aol.com.***

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Please read the following before submitting the scholarship application.

Women Professionals in Government (WPG) scholarship candidates must be a female (including all cisgender or transgender women) resident of the Greater Houston area, a student in good standing at an accredited university/college in the Greater Houston area, and currently pursuing studies for a career in public service. Undergraduate applicants must have completed at least 30 undergraduate hours, and graduate students must have completed at least 12 graduate hours. A qualified applicant must be enrolled as a full-time student. This WPG scholarship application, a copy of an academic transcript, a letter of recommendation from a college faculty member, employer or professional contact, and the essay response must be received by no later than May 15, 2025. Please complete the application form, putting N/A in any spaces that do not apply. WPG scholarship recipients must be able to attend the WPG Summer Scholarship Luncheon to receive their scholarship and one-year membership to WPG for the first-place winner. The essay consists of 500 words in response to the following questions:

What is your interest in pursuing a career in public service, and how will your current educational endeavors assist your career path?

Why do you need this scholarship, and what challenges have you faced in achieving your educational and/or professional goals?

Eligibility is based on residency in the Greater Houston Area (according to the United States Census Bureau). A list of the eligible cities may be found below:

Alief	Damon	Houston	Needville	Seabrook
Alvin	Danbury	Huffman	New Caney	Sealy
Anahuac	Danciger	Hufsmith	New Ulm	Simonton
Angleton	Dayton	Hull	North Houston	South Houston
Bacliff	Deer Park	Humble	Oak Ridge North	Splendora
Barker	Devers	Hunters Creek Village	Old Ocean	Spring
Baytown	Dickinson	Industry	Orchard	Stafford
Beasley	Dobbin	Katy	Pasadena	Stowell
Bellaire	Freeport	Kemah	Pattison	Sugar Land
Bellville	Fresno	Kendleton	Pearland	Sweeny
Bleiberville	Friendswood	Kenney	Pinehurst	Texas City
Brazoria	Fulshear	Kingwood	Piney Point Village	The Woodlands
Brookshire	Galena Park	La Marque	Port Bolivar	Thompsons
Bunker Hill Village	Galveston	La Porte	Porter	Tomball
Cat Spring	Gilchrist	Lake Jackson	Prairie View	Waller
Channelview	Guy	League City	Raywood	Wallis
Clear Lake Shores	Hankamer	Liberty	Richmond	Wallisville

Cleveland	Hardin	Liverpool	Romayor	Webster
Clute	Hempstead	Magnolia	Rosenberg	West Columbia
Conroe	High Island	Manvel	Rosharon	West University Place
Crosby	Highlands	Missouri City	Rye	Willis
Cypress	Hitchcock	Mont Belvieu	San Felipe	Winnie
Daisetta	Hockley	Montgomery	Santa Fe	

#### Applicant Requirements:

- A female (including all cisgender or transgender women) resident of the Greater Houston area
- Student in good standing at an accredited college/university in the Greater Houston area
- Enrolled in the upcoming semester as a full-time student
- Pursuing studies for a career in public service
- Undergraduate applicants must have completed at least 30 undergraduate hours graduate
- Graduate applicants must have completed at least 12 graduate hours
- Must be available to attend 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday in May WPG luncheon
- Submission Materials: submitted by no later than May 15, 2025, via e-mail.
- WPG scholarship application
- One letter of recommendation
- Copy of academic transcripts showing all courses completed.
- Essay response to the following questions:

What is your interest in pursuing a career in public service, and how will your current educational endeavors assist your career path?

Why do you need this scholarship, and what challenges have you faced in achieving your educational and/or professional goals?

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