



Vista Ridge High School PTSA

Senior Scholarship Application

This form must be submitted in accordance with the VRHS PTSA Scholarship Guidelines. **Please type or print clearly.**

Applicant Information

Current PTSA

First Name

Last Name

Member?

 Check this box

Permanent Home Address

Apartment or Suite

City

Zip Code

Home Phone

Alt Phone

Off-Campus Email Address

Name of Parent or Legal Guardian

Parent or Legal Guardian Phone Number

Academic Information

Class Rank

GPA

Number of Students/Graduating Class

Check All Appropriate Boxes

AP

AVID

Dual Credit

Distinguished

Recommended

Name of College/University/School where you plan to attend

Planned Major

Applicant's Agreement and Signature

By signing this application, I agree to the provisions of this application, and I understand that scholarship funds must be returned if I am unable to meet the stipulations set out by VRHS PTSA. ***I understand to be eligible for this scholarship, I must be a current member of the VRHS PTSA.*** I further state that no immediate family member is currently serving on the VRHS PTSA Scholarship Committee. I further signify that the information provided on this application is, to the best of my knowledge, accurate.

Applicant's Signature

Date

The VRHS PTSA is proud to announce that it is accepting applications for their 2019 Scholarship!

The PTSA Board is honored to present its annual merit-based scholarship to a worthy graduating senior from Vista Ridge High School (Class of 2019). **Click here** for the application and submit according to the details on eligibility and documentation requirements below. The deadline for all submissions is **Friday, APRIL 19th, 2019, at 4 p.m.** Any material submitted after this time will **NOT** be considered.

Completed applications and essays must be returned to: **VRHS PTSA, Attention: Scholarships**, 200 S. Vista Ridge Blvd., Cedar Park, TX 78613. Completed applications and essays may either be mailed or dropped off at the front office in the Scholarship Box by the deadline stated above. If you or your student have any questions or concerns about the application, please email vrhsptsa@gmail.com

GUIDELINES & ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR SUBMISSION

To qualify the applicant must complete and submit the following:

- Applicant must be a current (2018-2019 school year) member in good standing of the VRHS PTSA.
- Applicant must be a graduating high school senior from Vista Ridge High School.
- Applicant must be enrolled in an accredited college or university or a technical/vocational institute in the summer or fall semester immediately following his/her high school graduation.
- List your accomplishments (resume) in high school to include the following categories: special honors/recognition, awards, extracurricular activities, community involvement, and your work experience.
 - Choose two of these accomplishments. Write a brief description (150 words or less) of each and why you chose to pursue each one.
- A letter of recommendation (**sealed in an envelope**) from a teacher, counselor, or principal in the school you are currently attending. Include your letter of recommendation, **in a sealed envelope**, with the rest of your required documents.
- A completed application, resume and two activity descriptions, and letter of recommendation must be received by **Friday, April 19th, 2019, at 4 p.m.**, to be eligible for consideration.

SELECTION AND NOTIFICATION

Selection is made by a Selection Panel and processed by the Scholarship Committee of the Vista Ridge High School PTSA. Recipient will be acknowledged during the senior awards ceremony on **May 21st**. Applicant(s) chosen to receive a High School Senior Scholarship must submit a copy of their acceptance letter from the educational institution to the Vista Ridge High School PTSA by **August 1, 2019**. Upon receipt, a check for the scholarship amount will be sent directly to the educational institution. All entries submitted to Vista Ridge High School PTSA become the property of Vista Ridge High School PTSA and will not be returned. All decisions of the Scholarship Committee are final.

Vista Ridge High School PTSA offers scholarship(s), as permitted by the approved budget, to graduating Vista Ridge High School seniors who will be enrolled in an accredited college or university or a technical/ vocational institute in the summer or fall semester immediately following his/her high school graduation. Funds for the scholarships come from Vista Ridge High School PTSA membership fees, fundraising, and community sponsorships.

PURPOSE OF SCHOLARSHIP: The purpose is to support Vista Ridge High School students who are focused on achieving career goals through higher education. In evaluating each application, the scholarship committee will also consider service and participation in school activities, community involvement, and scholastic merit.