



7715 Crittenden Street, #333.  
Philadelphia, PA19118-4421

## **SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

Frontiers International is a national, nonprofit, nonsectarian, service organization. Its members include men and women from all segments of society that are professional, business, religious, political, educational and civic leaders. Each member participates in several hours of volunteer activities designed to improve the lives of disadvantaged students and residents of historically underserved communities. Consequently, the organization has developed several programs to achieve these goals, including this Scholarship Program.

**A. Purpose:** To assist graduating high school seniors in achieving post-secondary educational opportunities. It is our hope that recipients of this grant will utilize their education, knowledge and wisdom to become leaders of tomorrow. More importantly, this program will provide financial assistance to individuals that have demonstrated academic promise, but financial barriers may prevent these individuals from pursuing their dreams. Applicants can apply for the scholarship to attend a two-year or four-year trade school, college or university. **No scholarship will be awarded if the institution is not accredited or does not offer a certificate or degree.** A successful applicant may apply each year while attending school while maintaining a minimum 2.0 grade point average.

This year the organization is planning to award a \$1,000 scholarship, with the potential for \$4,000 over four years, to worthy and deserving senior high school students who will be graduating this coming June. An initial payment of \$500 will be awarded at the beginning of the student's first semester. The additional \$500 payment will be received subsequent to the Club receiving the student's 1<sup>st</sup> semester transcript verifying the student has maintained a 2.0 grade point average, continued enrollment and the address to which the check may be mailed.

**B. Eligibility Requirements:** All applicants must submit the following materials:

1. A completed application
2. Most recent (official) high school transcript forwarded by your high school
3. Essay of 1000 – 1500 words
4. \* Acceptance letter from the college the applicant intends to attend
5. Letter of Recommendation (An adult familiar with the applicants academic / non-academic activities including work, community service and/or leadership activities)
6. \* **Demonstrated financial need – University balance due**
7. Photo of self – wallet size
8. Received by no later than the **second Wednesday in May**

**Note: Relatives are not eligible to write either academic or community recommendations.**

Review the application to ensure that you have answered each question. If the question does not apply enter N/A for not applicable.

**C. Deadline:** The application must be completed in a neat and legible package with a color photo of self, and postmarked no later than the second **Monday in May**. An application is considered completed if all the “required” materials in **SECTION D** accompany the application at the time it is mailed. (can be hand delivered by member by deadline).

**Please mail your completed application to:**

**The Philadelphia Club of Frontier International  
 Attn: Scholarship Committee  
 7715 Crittenden Street, #333  
 Philadelphia , PA 19118-4421**

If you have any questions regarding the Frontiers Scholarship program, please the sponsoring member as soon as possible

If an applicant is selected to receive the Philadelphia Club of Frontiers International Scholarship it will be dispersed payable to the applicant in the following manner: Request shall be mailed to the Club’s address noted in the letter head.

<p><b>FIRST SEMESTER</b></p>	<p>Payment of 50% of scholarship award, upon verification of registration as a full time 1<sup>st</sup> semester student, and forwarding address where the check shall be mailed.</p>
<p><b>SECOND SEMESTER</b></p>	<p>Remaining 50% payment of 1<sup>st</sup> year scholarship will be given at the beginning of the second semester based on recipient receiving a 1st semester “2.0” grade point; current semester verification of full-time student registration and address where the check shall be mailed.</p>
<p><b>SUBSEQUENT SEMESTERS</b>   <b>**** IMPORTANT ****</b></p>	<p><b><u>Scholarship awards may be granted at the beginning of each semester based on the recipient receiving a prior semester “2.0” grade point average, verification of current semester full-time registration and forwarding address in which to forward the check. You must request renewal</u></b></p>

SECTION D

**SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

**Personal Information**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

Employer: (If Applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

List all community, church, and school activities \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

To receive The Philadelphia Club of Frontiers International Scholarship, you must be eligible for federal financial assistance or financial assistance from the school, college or university as determined upon completion of your FASFA filing. Federal Pell Grants / Loans typically are awarded to students demonstrating the most financial need / loan eligibility. To know whether you qualify for a federal financial aid, consult your high school guidance counselor or college financial aid office. Provide evidence of your eligibility.

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Father's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address if different from student's \_\_\_\_\_

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Occupation \_\_\_\_\_ Employer \_\_\_\_\_

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Mother's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address if different than student's \_\_\_\_\_

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Occupation \_\_\_\_\_ Employer \_\_\_\_\_

**Additional household members**

Name	Relationship to Applicant	Age
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

**High School Information**

High School: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Counselor's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Grade Point Average: \_\_\_\_\_ ACT/PSAT/SAT SCORE: \_\_\_\_\_

**Academic Accomplishments and Honors:**

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**Essay**

**Please write an essay of 1000 – 1500 words on the following topics:**

Provide a title. What is the significance of a college education? Discuss your short and long-term goals. Are some of them related? Which are priorities? Be specific in describing your goals. Discuss a leadership experience. Provide examples from any aspect of your life. How did this experience influence your goals? Finally, explain how you will use your education to identify problems and make a positive difference in the lives of others.

On the right margin, midway between the title and the first paragraph, using the Microsoft "Word Count" feature, identify the number of words that make-up your essay, as follows:

**"Word Count \_\_\_\_"**

**Additional Information**

Is there additional information you would like to provide to the committee that may assist in the evaluation of your application, i.e., schools applied to, schools accepted to date?

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Preferred School / 1<sup>st</sup> choice \_\_\_\_\_ 1<sup>st</sup> year cost \_\_\_\_\_  
Tuition Room & Board

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Applicant's Signature**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Date**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Print Name**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Parent or Guardian Signature**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Date**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Print Name**

## SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION CHECKLIST

Form or Document	Mark Yes or No	
1. Completed Application – “ <b>SECTION D</b> ” (pages 3 and 4)		
2. High School Transcript		
3. Essay (1000 – 1500 words)		
4. * Acceptance letter from the college the applicant intends to attend		
5. Letter of Recommendation: (An adult familiar with your non-academic activities – work, community and/or leadership activities)		
6. Demonstrated Financial Need		
7. Photo of self – wallet size		
8. Post marked no later than <b>second Wednesday in May.</b>		
<b>Optional Submissions</b>		
9. Current 1 page resume		
<p><u>Please mail your completed application to:</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>The Philadelphia Club of Frontiers International</b>  <b>Attn: Scholarship Committee</b>  <b>7715 Crittenden Street, #333</b>  <b>Philadelphia , PA 19118-4421</b></p>		

I have reviewed this document and confirm I am submitting the required documentation

**SIGNATURE:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Mail this Original Copy** with all documents noted above **by the second Monday in May.**