



PPA Scholarship Form

\$1,000 Scholarship Application Form for Graduating High School Seniors

The Panhandle Press Association and Texas Press Association awards the PPA Scholarship of \$1,000, payable over two semesters at \$500 per semester, during which journalism courses are taken at the recipient’s college of choice. Students who will graduate from high school in this spring and who live in a county served by a Panhandle Press Association member newspaper are eligible to apply for this scholarship. The student must plan to major in a Mass Communications field of study with a demonstrated interest in Print Journalism or Advertising. Students must fill out the following application and submit a 250 word essay on the subject, “My Future and Career Plans in Community Journalism.”

Name _____ Sex ____ Hometown Newspaper _____

Permanent Mailing Address _____ Zip _____ Phone _____

E-Mail _____ Age ____ Date of Birth _____ Place of Birth _____

Name of College or University _____ City _____

Name of High School _____ City _____ Date of Graduation _____

Father’s Full Name _____ Occupation _____

Father’s Full Address _____ Phone _____

Mother’s Name _____ Occupation _____

Mother’s Full Address _____ Phone _____

Siblings At Home or in College _____ Financial Need: (Check one) Great ____ Average ____ Slight ____

High School Class Size _____ Grade Point Average _____ Class Ranking _____ (Attach Transcript)

School Paper or Annual Staff Experience _____ Position _____

Responsibilities _____

Favorite Subjects _____

Have You Worked for a Newspaper? ____ If So, What Publication? _____ How Long? ____

Responsibilities _____

Major High School Accomplishments And/Or Honors _____

References: Two People Familiar With Your Writing Ability (Include Name, Address and How Associated)

Name _____ Address _____ Phone _____

Association _____

Name _____ Address _____ Phone _____

Association _____

Applicant’s Signature _____ Date _____

*Send application, essay and high school transcript to: Roger Estlack, Panhandle Press Association, PO Box 1110, Clarendon, TX 79226. Judging will be conducted by the PPA board. **Deadline to Apply is March 21, 2019. Applications must be received in the Secretary's office by that date.***