

Higher Education Scholarship Guidelines

1. PASRBA will award four education scholarships
2. The four scholarships will be awarded in the following amounts:
 - 1st - \$500
 - 2nd - \$300
 - 3rd - \$150
 - 4th - \$100
3. The scholarship money shall be maintained by the PASRBA Treasurer and come from the general funds unless other money becomes available.
4. Applications will be forwarded by the chairman to the Higher Education Scholarship Committee upon which time they will score the applications
5. Upon receipt of the scores from committee, the scores for each applicant will be totaled. The applicant with the highest score will be 1st, second highest will be 2nd, third highest will be 3rd and fourth highest will be 4th.
6. The PASRBA President will vote in the case of a tie.
7. The results of the scores will be submitted to the President by October 31st.
8. The winners will be notified in writing and results will be announced at the November board meeting.

Requirements for Receiving a Scholarship

1. Applications must be submitted on the scholarship form obtained from the PASRBA website or from the Higher Education Scholarship Committee chairman. Computer forms will not be accepted unless in original format.
2. The recipient must be at least in their 3rd year of either principal or affiliated PASRBA membership.
3. Applicant must apply for the scholarship within the calendar year of their high school graduation.
4. Scholarship proceeds may be used to further education at a university/college/school where a diploma, certificate or license will be issued upon completion of the program of study.
5. Scholarships will be paid upon receipt of confirmation of university/college/school enrollment
6. Applications must be sent to the Chairman of the Higher Education Scholarship Committee by September 7th of the application year (2011 Deadline Extension October 10th)
7. Applicant is only eligible to win one scholarship

Application for Scholarship

Pennsylvania State Rabbit Breeders Association

Valarie Mayle, Chairman
36 Judy Lane
Harrisburg, Pa 17112

Type or print in ink all the information requested. Applications will only be accepted in this original format. This form must be submitted to the above address by October 10th (2011 Deadline Extension) to be considered for an award.

Part 1 of Scholarship Application:

I hereby apply for a scholarship under the PASRBA Higher Education Scholarship Program and submit the following information:

1. Name: _____
Last First Middle

2. Home Address: _____
Street

City State Zip Phone Number

Email Address: _____

3. Birth Date: _____
Month Day Year

4. Member of PASRBA or affiliated club since (month/year) _____

5. Name of University/College/School you are planning to attend and its location:

6. Expected starting date at this school: _____

7. Degree, Certification or License you are expecting to receive upon completion of the program:

8. Attach a picture of yourself. This picture should be suitable for publication in the PASRBA newsletter.

Part 2 of Scholarship Application:

9. Please describe in your own words, your work activities during your high school years, either for your family at home or for outside employers.

10. Specify what part you played in organized in-school activities or out-of-school activities such as class or other school offices held, band, orchestra, athletics, drama, clubs, school publications, honor society, 4H, Boy/Girl Scouts, church organizations, etc. Did you receive special recognition for any of these activities? Designate the year in which you participated in each activity as follows: Grade 9,10,11,12

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Hrs. spent per wk</u>	<u>Award</u>	<u>Grade</u>
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Part 3 of Scholarship Application:

11. Have you held an office or been on a committee in a rabbit/cavy organization in the past four years? Yes _____ No _____. If yes, please list:

12. What benefits and knowledge have you acquired as a result of your PASRBA and/or affiliated club memberships?

13. What have you done to encourage others to join a PASRBA and/or affiliated clubs?

14. How have you been promoting the Rabbit/Cavy industry (helped teach others new skills or increase their knowledge of rabbits/cavies) in the past year?

Part 4 of Scholarship Application:

15. Write a paragraph on "Why I want to continue my education." Include educational objectives, field of endeavor, and the reason(s) you have decided on these choices.