

North Stafford PTSO

Scholarship



Purpose:

To award up to five (5) scholarships to students who meet the eligibility criteria and have successfully demonstrated growth through one of the five (5) pillars of North Stafford High School – No Excuses, Optimism, Resiliency, Team Work, Honesty. The number of scholarships and the monetary value of each will be determined based on the revenue generated from the annual membership drive.

Eligibility Criteria:

1. Must be a current year member of the PTSO (Family or Student Membership) by March 2026.
2. Minimum of 5 hours of volunteering by Student or Family
3. Have a cumulative academic GPA of 3.0 or higher
4. Complete the Scholarship Application and Essay
5. Submit two (2) letters of recommendation
6. Application packet must be submitted in a sealed envelope to Mr. Daney in the Counseling Office by April 15, 2026.

Decision Criteria:

Application packets will be reviewed and voted on by a 5-7 member committee chosen by the PTSO Executive Board. Committee members may be PTSO Board Members, teachers, counselors, and faculty. Members of the PTSO Board that have a senior student are ineligible to be on the selection committee.

North Stafford PTSO Scholarship Application



Applicant's Information:

Name: _____ Email Address: _____

Phone #: _____ Counselor's Name: _____

Name of College, University, or Trade School you are planning to attend in the Fall of 2026:

Parent or Guardian's Information:

Name: _____ Email Address: _____

Phone #: _____

Essay: (To be completed on a separate sheet of paper)

In at least 500 words, write an essay describing how you have demonstrated at least one of the five pillars of North Stafford High School (see below) and how that pillar(s) has helped you grow.

5 Pillars of NSHS:

N = No Excuses

O = Optimism

R = Resiliency

T = Teamwork

H = Honesty

For Administrative Use Only:

Date packet submitted: _____

PTSO Member YES NO

GPA > 3.0 YES NO

Completed Essay YES NO

Two recommendations YES NO