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NEWH PITTSBURGH REGION SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Qualifying Criteria* *(*see page 4 frequently asked questions):*

- ☐ Actively enrolled student: 2-year program freshman and above, 4-year sophomore/second year and above, or graduate level attending college in: Ohio (East) or Pennsylvania (West)
- ☐ 3.0 GPA (cumulative) overall "B" average or grade percentage of 83% – 86% equivalent
- ☐ Financial need through college for past/current/upcoming tuition or program approved books/supplies
- ☐ Major and career objective within a hospitality related field (interior design, hospitality management, culinary, etc.)

Include with your application* *(*see page 4)***:**

- ☐ Official Transcript
- ☐ Up to 3 letters of recommendation: *(example from professor, advisor, employer, etc.)*
- ☐ Student essay 500-word maximum to include:
  -Background of yourself and your experience
  -Your goals and objectives after graduation
  -What prompted you to choose this career?
  -Contributions you have made to your school program or to fellow students through leadership/participation
  -Why is obtaining this scholarship important to you?
  -If your application is not accepted, what plans do you have for financing?

APPLICANT DETAILS:

Name: _____
First *Middle* *Last*

Current Address: _____

_____
City *State* *Zip Code*

School Email: _____ Personal Email: _____

Cell: _____ Other Phone: _____

Student ID#: _____ GPA/Overall Current Grade %: _____

Major: _____ Anticipated Graduation Date: _____

Future Career *(list a specific title)*: _____

Degree: ☐ Associate ☐ Bachelor ☐ Graduate Other: _____

College Name: _____

Address of College: _____

_____
City *State* *Zip Code*

Estimated past/current/upcoming total debt through your college for tuition and program approved books/supplies: **$** _____

Semester(s) to apply scholarship funds towards (fall/spring) _____

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STUDENT DETAILS:

Permanent Address: _____
(parents-not a school address)

_____
City *State* *Zip Code*

Total Units/Credits/Hours Required for Degree: _____
Total Units/Credits/Hours Completed to Date: _____
Units/Credits/Hours Currently Enrolled In: _____

List of Current Classes:	Units/Hrs./Credits:

Professional Organizations or Extracurricular activities you are involved in

_____
_____
_____
_____
_____

Have you Participated in a Student Intern Program? ☐ YES ☐ NO
If yes, please list company: _____
Please explain your experience and if you found the program to be valuable

Work Experience:

Company	Job Title	Dates	Hours per week

Are you a former NEWH Scholarship recipient, if yes please list:

Scholarship Name:	Year Awarded:

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APPLICANT FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

Estimated income and expenses from now until next year; meaning a 12-month period

INCOME		EXPENSES	
Personal Funds *(cash, savings, etc.)*	$	Tuition/Fees	$
		Books/Supplies	$
Loans *(bank, etc.,)*	$	Housing	$
		Food	$
Earnings while in school *(exclude college work study)*	$	Child Care	$
		Personal Expenses	$
Parental Support	$	Medical/Insurance	$
Spouse Income	$	Transportation	$
Scholarship & Grants Awarded	$	Other Expenses	$
Other Income	$		$
TOTAL INCOME	**$**	**TOTAL EXPENSES**	**$**

Provide any details you need to further explain *(or include a separate sheet with your submission):*

I have fully completed this application, supplied all necessary information accurately, included required attachments and submitted prior to the deadline date or my application will not be considered. I hereby verify that all information included in this application is true and accurate and understand that if NEWH, Inc. learns that any information is false, this application will not be considered. If awarded a scholarship, I understand that funds will be made payable to and directly mailed to my college and applied towards my tuition or program approved books/supplies. I understand unused funds will be returned to NEWH, Inc. WAIVER OF LIABILITY AND HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT. If I receive a NEWH Scholarship award, including the opportunity to attend a scholarship awards event ("the Event"), I hereby release, waive, discharge and covenant not to sue NEWH, Inc., its Chapters, affiliates, officers, directors, agents and employees (hereinafter referred to as "releasees") from any and all liability, claims, demands, actions and causes of action whatsoever arising out of or relating to any loss, damage or injury, including death, that may be sustained by me, or to any property belonging to me, whether caused by the negligence of the releasees, or otherwise, while participating in the Event, or while in, on or upon the premises where the Event is being conducted, while in transit to or from the premises, or in any place or places connected with the Event.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

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NEWH Scholarship FAQ's

Criteria:

- Open to International students
- College/program accreditation: we do not stipulate who the college/program must be accredited by it just needs to be accredited.
- First year graduate students may apply.
- Only official transcripts are accepted; do not send unofficial. Mail or email official transcript.
- Letters of recommendation/reference can be submitted by mail and/or email.
- Student essay 500-word maximum; follow the requirement-do not go over.

Submission:

- Option 1: We prefer you to collect all items (essay, transcript, letters) and combine into (1) PDF document, apply online and upload your PDF. http://newh.org/chapter-scholarships/
- Option 2: Complete a PDF application gather your essay, transcript, letters and mail or email all items together.
- We understand sometimes transcripts/letters need to be sent in separately.

Selection:

- Scholarships are awarded based on NEWH scholarship criteria: selected major and career selection, debt through college, GPA, student background and references.
- Applicant must have submitted all necessary requirements with their application to qualify.

Notification:

- All applicants will receive an email stating their application status within 30-60 days of the scholarship deadline date.

Award:

- Awarded funds are made payable to students' college and mailed directly to the college. Funds are never payable to a student. Unused funds are returned to NEWH. Awarded funds may only be applied toward tuition or program approved books/supplies (past, current or upcoming expenses). Awarded funds cannot be used for anything else (housing, personal needs, etc.).

Did you know?

- NEWH membership is not required but is **FREE** to students and full-time educators
- Students may apply for multiple NEWH scholarships, even if previously awarded

Connect/Questions:

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