

HARIE
MICHAEL STEFAN MEMORIAL
SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

To encourage academic excellence and community responsibility among high school students residing in public housing authority developments and/or redevelopment authority projects, HARIE has joined in sponsoring this scholarship program. Two scholarship awards will be given to two (2) graduating high school seniors. This is a one-time award. Each scholarship award will be \$2,000.00.

The application requirements and scholarship rules are as follows:

1. Applicant must be a high school senior and must reside in a HARIE member agency owned or managed project during the twelve months preceding the application deadline date.
2. Students must have maintained a 2.5 grade point average (C+) or better during junior and senior years.
3. All applications must be submitted by the Executive Director or designee . Each HARIE member agency can submit one application. The Executive Director will be responsible for verifying all application requirements and collecting all application material. Local promotion of the scholarship program is the responsibility of the Executive Director.
4. Applicants must provide:
 - A. High School Transcript
 - B. One (1) teacher/counselor recommendation
 - C. One (1) personal/character recommendation of the student's choice
 - D. An essay written by the applicant explaining why he/she wishes to continue their education (300 words or less)
5. The HARIE scholarship will apply only to schools in the State of Pennsylvania. A list of the schools to which the student has applied should be included on the scholarship application.
6. The deadline for receipt of applications by the Johnstown Housing Authority is Friday, May 19, 2017 so that we can meet the HARIE deadline of Friday, May 26, 2017. All required materials must be accompanied with the application. Any missing documents will disqualify the applicant.
7. A selection committee will be appointed by HARIE to review all submissions and present their selection to HARIE's Board of Directors.

HOUSING & REDEVELOPMENT INSURANCE EXCHANGE
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SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
Please Print or Type

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: (____) _____ Social Security#: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Male: _____ Female: _____

Name of Head of Household: _____

List Colleges, Universities or Accredited Vocational/Technical or Trade
Schools within the State of Pennsylvania to which you have applied or
have been accepted:

Vocational Goal (Give name of course of study): _____

At completion of this course, I will receive a: (Type of Degree)

Certificate _____ Diploma _____ Degree _____

Length of course or training: _____

Date course or training will begin: _____

Completion Date: _____

Summarize your academic accomplishments (scholarships, awards, etc.):

List extra-curricular activities in which you have participated (sports, clubs, etc.):

Indicate some of the community activities in which you have participated (church groups, community service organizations, etc.):

List any specialized training or adult education courses or seminars which you have attended:

List any hobbies or special interests:

Indicate any jobs which you have held (full or part-time during the past four (4) years):

Employer Name & Address	Position	Dates

In addition to the above information, you must provide the following in order for your application to be complete:

1. High school transcript
2. High school seniors: one teacher/counselor recommendations and one personal recommendation.
3. Names and addresses of schools applied to and verification of acceptance, if available.
4. Essay (300 words or less)

If any required criteria are missing from the application package, the application will be eliminated from consideration.

Submitted by: _____

(Name of HARIE member agency)