

Brandon Middle School PTA

Scholarship Application (due April 27, 2007)

In May 2007, the Brandon Middle School PTA will award scholarships to graduating seniors.

All applications will be reviewed by the Brandon Middle School PTA Scholarship Committee and will be kept confidential.

Application Criteria:

1. The applicant must be a graduating senior in the year 2007.
2. The applicant must have attended Brandon Middle School for one full academic year and must provide dates of attendance.
3. The applicant must have maintained a minimum 2.8 GPA.
4. The applicant must be accepted at a college or technical school as a full time student.
5. The application should reflect academic achievement, as well as school and other extracurricular activities such as community involvement and job experience.
6. The applicant must attach an official copy of his high school transcript.
7. The applicant must attach **THREE** letters of reference; one must be from a teacher or guidance counselor.
8. Financial need may be considered and must be noted on the application.
9. The total amount of the scholarship will be paid directly to the college or technical school the recipient is attending. It is the responsibility of the recipient to provide the address of the college/technical school to the Brandon Middle School PTA Treasurer. This scholarship is for one year only and is not renewable. If scholarship money has not been obligated by **June 30th** of the year in which it was to be awarded, that money will be carried over to the next year's scholarship fund.
10. Applications are available online at vbschools.com Scholarship Central.
11. Applications may be mailed to Brandon Middle School, Attention PTA Scholarship Committee; 1700 Pope Street; Virginia Beach, VA 23464 or delivered to Brandon Middle School Office (PTA mailbox) during regular office hours (8:15 a.m. to 4:15 p.m.). Applications must be received by Friday, April 27, 2007 to be considered. Brandon Middle School PTA shall not be held responsible for lost or misdirected applications.

Brandon Middle School PTA Scholarships

High School Administration Support Form
(To be completed by a Guidance Counselor)

Student's Name: _____

Class Rank: _____ Size of Graduating Class: _____

GPA _____ Scale (if not attending a Virginia Beach Public School): _____

Enclose the following documents and return the completed package to the Brandon Middle School PTA, Attention: Scholarship Committee, 1700 Pope Street, Virginia Beach, VA 23464 no later than April 27, 2007:

1. ____ High School Administration Support Form (This page!)
2. ____ Brandon Middle School Application (2 pages: Personal Information & Activities)
3. ____ Financial Information
4. ____ **Official** transcript
5. ____ Minimum of **THREE** letters of recommendation
(One must be from a Teacher or a Guidance Counselor.)
6. ____ Proof of **APPLICANT's** membership in high school PTSA, PTA, or PTO.
(Family member's membership NOT acceptable.)

***All SIX items listed above MUST be included
for application to be considered.***

Signature of Guidance Counselor

Date

High School Name

School Telephone Number

I attest that all information in this application and all attachments are a true and accurate record:

Signature of Parent or Guardian

Signature of Applicant

REQUIRED INFORMATION
List Community Activities/Experiences/Volunteer Work

Organization	Offices Held	School Year(s)	Hours/Week
1. _____			
2. _____			
3. _____			
4. _____			
5. _____			
6. _____			

List Honors Received:

List Work Experience (begin with most recent):

Employer	Type of Work	Hours/Week	Dates

List School Activities/Clubs/Experiences:

Organization/Club	Offices Held	Years
1. _____		
2. _____		
3. _____		
4. _____		
5. _____		
6. _____		

REQUIRED INFORMATION
Financial Information

This page may be given to your counselor in a sealed envelope along with your application.

Employment of parents/guardians with whom applicant resides:

Occupation of Mother: _____ Employer: _____

Annual adjusted income _____

Occupation of Father: _____ Employer: _____

Annual adjusted income _____

Ages of other dependent children in family: _____

If any are in college, indicate where: _____

List all other financial resources available to applicant for college (financial aid, student employment, other scholarships, support of non-custodial parent, etc.):

Resource	Amount
1. _____	_____
2. _____	_____
3. _____	_____
4. _____	_____

Explain your need for scholarship assistance and your plans for financing your college education. Do not exceed the space provided.
