

# Chapter H P.E.O. Scholarship Application

P.E.O. is an international philanthropic organization of women whose goals are to promote education for women. **One \$500 scholarship** will be awarded by Aledo's Chapter H P.E.O. to a graduating senior girl from the Mercer County School District who plans to attend an accredited two or four year higher education institution. Should you be chosen as a recipient of this scholarship, a check will be issued by the P.E.O. president upon receipt of your college acceptance letter.

By **Friday, March 30, 2018**, please submit this completed written application to Angie Daniels in the Mercer County High School Guidance Counselor's office or email digital applications to Mary Flint at [mflint@frontiernet.net](mailto:mflint@frontiernet.net). You may attach double-spaced, typed pages if more space is required.

**Instructions:** There are three eligibility requirements to apply for the 2018 scholarship. The student must have achieved:

1. A class rank of 11<sup>th</sup> or LOWER (in other words NOT in the top ten)
2. GPA > 2.5
3. Two letters of recommendation

Please print or type the following information:

Name:	
Address:	
Phone:	
GPA:	
Class Rank:	

4. List the high school activities (committees, clubs, athletics, etc. but not classes such as band, chorus) in which you have been involved in before or after school hours; describe your role and check the year(s) you participated.

List School Activities	Roles	9	10	11	12
Example: Student Council	Secretary	X			

5. List your volunteer/community activities *outside* of school, describe your role, and check the year(s) you participated. These should not include activities required by a teacher or the school.

Volunteer/Community Activities	Roles	9	10	11	12
Example: Youth Group/Baptist Church	Active Member	X	X	X	X

6. List any paid or unpaid jobs you performed after school hours, describe your role and the year(s) you were employed.

Business	Roles	9	10	11	12
Example: Mercer Market	Grocery Clerk			X	X

*Due to limited space for questions 7-10, we encourage use of a separate sheet of paper for your responses.*

7. Describe a difficult time or situation in your life and how you handled it.

8. Select one of the following qualities and explain what it means to you (*in under 150 words*):

FAITH                  LOVE                  PURITY                  JUSTICE                  TRUTH

9. What are your education and career plans for the future? (*in under 100 words*) Feel free to attach a copy of your college acceptance letter.

10. Please share any thoughts or information that you feel the selection committee should know. (*Don't forget to attach your two letters of recommendation to this application.*)

*Thank you for your application and best wishes as you become a lifelong learner!*