



Dear Applicant:

Thank you for applying for the Palm Beach County Property Appraiser's Scholarship. The Property Appraiser's Office will be awarding six **\$1,500** scholarships, along with an opportunity to participate in a paid summer internship, to assist local students pursuing their college education.

The following guidelines must be adhered to in order to qualify:

1. The applicant must be graduating from a public, private or home school within Palm Beach County and entering college as a full-time student.
2. You must disclose any relationship you or a family member has with any current or former employee of the Palm Beach County Property Appraiser's Office. Students who are immediate family members with a current or former PAO employee are not eligible.
3. You must have a cumulative **GPA** (not HPA) of at least 3.00. Attach official copies of school transcripts which reflect your current SAT/ACT scores.
4. A copy of your parent's or guardian's 2025 tax return must be included. If the 2025 tax return is unavailable, attach a copy of the 2024 tax return and the 2024 W-2 form(s). If parents are divorced or file separately, send tax information of both parents. Please remove or blackout all references to Social Security numbers and bank account or routing numbers on the tax forms.
5. You need two letters of recommendation from teachers of core subjects (limited to one page each).
6. Have your guidance counselor complete page 3.
7. Compose and type a one page, single-spaced essay stating why you should be awarded a scholarship, and how you plan to further your studies at a college or university.

**APPLICATION DEADLINE:** No applications will be accepted after March 31, 2026 All applications must be received in the office of the Property Appraiser or postmarked by said date. Applications received or postmarked after this date will not be eligible for consideration. Send the completed applications to the Property Appraiser's Office, Governmental Center, Fifth Floor, 301 North Olive Avenue, West Palm Beach, Florida 33401, ATTN: Scholarship Committee.

For further information, please call 561.355.3230 or email [PA-MyScholarship@pbcpao.gov](mailto:PA-MyScholarship@pbcpao.gov).

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Fax > 561.355.3963

**North County Service Center**  
3188 PGA Blvd.  
Suite 2301  
Palm Beach Gardens, FL 33410  
Phone > 561.624.6521  
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**West County Service Center**  
2976 State Rd 15.  
Belle Glade, FL 33430  
Phone > 561.996.4890  
Fax > 561.996.1661

**Mid-Western Service Center**  
200 Civic Center Way.  
Suite 200  
Royal Palm Beach, FL 33411  
Phone > 561.784.1220  
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**South County Service Center**  
14925 Cumberland Dr.  
Delray Beach, FL 33446  
Phone > 561.276.1250  
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## PROPERTY APPRAISER'S OFFICE SCHOLARSHIP STUDENT APPLICATION

Complete each item. (*Please print in black ink.*)

### THIS SECTION TO BE FILLED OUT BY STUDENT APPLICANTS ONLY

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

LAST

FIRST

MIDDLE INITIAL

HOME ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

STREET

CITY/STATE

ZIP

TELEPHONE NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

HOME

WORK

CELL

DATE OF BIRTH \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

High School You Currently Attend \_\_\_\_\_

Extra-Curricular Activities, Honor, Awards, Positions of Leadership (use additional sheets if necessary)

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

College/University You Plan to Attend \_\_\_\_\_

Intended Areas of Study \_\_\_\_\_

Do you or an immediate family member have any relationship with a current or former PAO employee? If so, please explain the nature of the relationship.

Would you be interested in a Paid Summer Internship with the Property Appraiser's Office? Yes    No

NUMBER OF FAMILY MEMBERS (INCLUDING YOURSELF) \_\_\_\_\_

ARE YOU A U.S. CITIZEN? \_\_\_\_\_ IF NOT, ARE YOU A LEGAL PERMANENT RESIDENT OF THE U.S.? \_\_\_\_\_

INDICATE FIGURE NEAREST TO AMOUNT OF FAMILY GROSS INCOME FOR 2025. PLEASE INCLUDE ALL SOURCES OF INCOME (ALIMONY, CHILD SUPPORT, INVESTMENTS, ETC.)

\$ 0 TO \$40,000     \$40,001 TO \$50,000     \$ 50,001 TO \$60,000  
 \$60,001 TO \$85,000     \$85,001 TO \$110,000     \$110,001 AND ABOVE

### STATEMENT OF APPLICANT

The applicant certifies that: I have read and understood the conditions of the Property Appraiser's Office Scholarship Student Application and the above information is all truthful to the best of my knowledge.

Applicant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_



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**STATEMENT OF COUNSELOR:**

I certify that \_\_\_\_\_ is a candidate for graduation on \_\_\_\_\_  
and has a current unweighted **GPA** of \_\_\_\_\_, **HPA** of \_\_\_\_\_, **SAT** score of \_\_\_\_\_, and/or **ACT**  
score of \_\_\_\_\_ and a total of community service hours of \_\_\_\_\_.

#### Additional Comments:

**Counselor's Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

Date

Counselor's Name (printed) \_\_\_\_\_ Contact phone or email \_\_\_\_\_