



PHI BETA KAPPA ASSOCIATION *of* BOSTON



2019-2020 Scholarship Application

The Phi Beta Kappa Association of Boston, a local affiliate of the nation's oldest and most distinguished collegiate honorary society, seeks to award scholarships in the amount of \$1000 to sophomore, junior, and senior undergraduate students at local colleges featuring Phi Beta Kappa chapters.

Scholarships will be awarded based on academic record, faculty recommendation, the quality of the submitted essay, and need.

Eligible applicants are undergraduate sophomore, junior, and senior students who have maintained a GPA of 3.5 or higher at local colleges with Phi Beta Kappa chapters.

Applications and accompanying documents are due by e-mail on **November 12, 2019**. Applicants will be notified via e-mail in December of the award status.

In addition to completing the information below, applicants must also submit the following:

- Certified copy of college transcript(s) through September 1, 2019.
- Recommendation letter from one instructor attesting to the merit of the applicant. This recommendation must be sent from the instructor directly (see last page for details).

Please note:

Award recipients may be invited to a Phi Beta Kappa Association of Boston Board meeting or event to give a brief presentation describing the individual's course of study and interests and explaining how funds will be utilized. With permission, the presentation may be recorded and posted to the PBK Boston website.

Applications must be received by **November 12, 2019** by the PBK Boston Scholarship Committee as an attachment, at the following e-mail address: margarita@pbkboston.org. Multiple pages should be sent as a single pdf file.

Questions may be directed to Margarita Fenn, margarita@pbkboston.org.

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Name _____

Address _____

Telephone Number _____

Email Address _____

Name and Address of College _____

Explanation of how college education is being funded

This page may be detached and given to the person providing the recommendation.



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Request for Recommendation

Applicants are required to submit a recommendation from one instructor attesting to the applicant's merit. This recommendation should be received by the PBK Boston Scholarship Committee by **November 12, 2019**.

Recommendation letters must be submitted on school letterhead and contain the title, department, and contact information of the instructor. Recommendation letters must be sent by e-mail from the instructor's college e-mail address to: margarita@pbkboston.org. In the subject line please insert: "Recommendation for (applicant's name)".

Questions may also be directed to Margarita Fenn at that email address.

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2019-2020 Scholarship Application for College Students

Essay

Please submit a 500 – 1,000 word essay, describing how you exemplify the motto of the Phi Beta Kappa Society, “Love of learning is the guide of life.”

I, _____, certify that the information provided above is truthful and that the essay submitted is my own original work.

Signature

Date