



SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Eligibility:

- Portuguese descendant
- Graduating high school senior
- Grade point average of 3.5 or better
- Must reside in the geographic location from the Oregon border south to counties north of San Francisco Bay, plus counties contiguous to Sacramento County (San Joaquin, El Dorado, Placer and Yolo) and east to the Nevada border. These areas encompass the PHCS' predominant membership. A student who resides outside this area may apply if endorsed by a PHCS member.

Name _____	High School _____
Address _____	Address _____
City _____	City _____
State _____ ZIP Code _____	State _____ ZIP Code _____
Phone _____	School contact person _____
Email _____	Date of award ceremony _____
Grade point average _____	From where in Portugal did your ancestors originate _____

Application must contain the following:

- Copy of official transcript
- One letter of recommendation (from a teacher, counselor, principal, pastor, club leader or employer)
- Essay regarding the applicant's Portuguese community involvement and the impact of the applicant's Portuguese heritage and culture on their lives (300 words minimum)
- List of extra curricular activities (be sure to include school related, off campus, community organizations)
- List of leadership experience
- Work experience (past or present)

Deadline:

- Must be postmarked by March 16, 2020
- Mail completed application to:

PHCS Scholarships
P.O. Box 161990
Sacramento, CA 95816

Please note: Winners will receive scholarship check upon submitting proof of college enrollment by October 31, 2020. Acceptable enrollment documents: certificate of enrollment, unofficial transcripts or receipt of paid enrollment.