

PNC Bank

Delaware (DE) Scholarships

THE PROGRAM

PNC Bank, N.A., as Trustee, (hereinafter "PNC") administers several scholarship funds. Each scholarship fund has its own eligibility and award requirements that must be fulfilled by the applicant.

These scholarship programs are managed by Scholarship America®. Scholarship America is the nation's largest designer and manager of scholarship and tuition reimbursement programs for corporations, foundations, associations and individuals. Awards are granted within the specific parameters of each fund.

Instructions: Please review each of the following descriptions. Complete **one** application (except Wilbur E. Postles which requires a separate application) and check **all** scholarship funds for which you meet the guidelines. **Applicants will only be evaluated for the scholarships they check on the application.**

ELIGIBILITIES & AWARDS

Elsie B. Moore Award

Applicants must:

- Be legal residents of the state of Delaware (copy of current Delaware license required).
- Be newly-enrolled, first-year medical students who have been accepted for admission in the upcoming fall semester.
- Be of good moral character and citizenship.
- Attend a personal interview if selected as a Finalist, and will be informed of the date and time.
- Show financial need.

Awards

The authorized distribution for new and renewal awards is determined annually by PNC. The award checks will be issued in U.S. currency.

Awards are renewable on the basis of satisfactory academic performance. Each student awarded a scholarship may receive automatic renewal by submission of a renewal form and transcript showing that he/she is in good academic standing.

H. Fletcher Brown Award

Applicants must:

- Be a resident of DE who was born in DE (copy of birth certificate required).
- Be a high school senior planning to enter the first year of college or a college senior planning to enter the first year of graduate school.
- Be enrolled full-time in the study of Engineering, Chemistry, Medicine (M.D. or D.O.), Dentistry or Law at an accredited two-year or four-year college, university or vocational-technical school for the entire 2018-2019 academic year.
- For high school seniors, SAT combined score must be 1120 or higher.
- For graduate students, please submit appropriate test scores for field of study.
- Finalists are required to attend a personal interview, and will be informed of the date and time.

Class rank must be in the upper 20%.

Family income must be under \$75,000 unless extenuating circumstances are demonstrated. Finalists must attend a personal interview, and will be informed of the date and time.

Awards

The authorized distribution for new and renewal awards is determined annually by PNC Bank, N.A. The award checks will be issued in U.S. currency.

Awards are renewable on the basis of satisfactory academic performance (2.5 GPA or higher on a 4.0 scale or the equivalent).

Awards are for undergraduate and graduate study.

Dr. Joseph P. Pyle Award

Applicants must:

- Reside within the corporate city limits of Wilmington, Delaware.
- Be between the ages of 17 and 21 years old at the time of application.
- Be high school seniors who are graduating from a high school which is part of the school district serving the residents of Wilmington or at any other school in New Castle County at which young people are prepared for college.
- Plan to enroll in full-time undergraduate study at an accredited two- or four-year college, university or vocational-technical school for the entire upcoming academic year.
- Attend a personal interview if selected as a Finalist, and will be informed of the date and time.
- Show financial need.

Awards

The authorized distribution for new awards is determined by PNC. The award checks will be issued in U.S. currency.

Awards are renewable on the basis of satisfactory academic performance.

Awards are for undergraduate study only.

A. Katharine Richards Award

Applicants must:

- Be residents of Sussex County, Delaware.
- Be high school seniors planning to enroll at the University of Delaware in full-time undergraduate study for the entire upcoming academic year.
- Be of good moral character.
- Have a minimum grade point average of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale (or the equivalent) the last two years of high school.
- Show financial need.

Awards

The authorized distribution for new and renewal awards is determined annually by PNC. The award checks will be issued in U.S. currency.

Awards are renewable on the basis of satisfactory academic performance.

Awards are for undergraduate study at the University of Delaware only.

Evelyn E. Stricklin Award

Applicants must:

- Be residents of Delaware graduating from a high school in the state of Delaware.
- Plan to enroll in full-time undergraduate study at the University of Delaware for the entire upcoming academic year.
- Meet two of the following three standards:
 - Have a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or better on a 4.0 scale (or the equivalent).
 - Have scored 1120 or better on SAT.
 - Placed in top 10% of class as shown on transcript or letter from counselor.
- Show financial need.

Awards

The authorized distribution for new and renewal awards is determined annually by PNC. The award checks will be issued in U.S. currency.

Awards are renewable on the basis of satisfactory academic performance (maintenance of a 3.0 GPA or better on a 4.0 scale or the equivalent). If the student fails to meet the GPA requirement, the Selection Committee has full discretion to determine whether or not that recipient's award is renewed.

Awards are for undergraduate study at the University of Delaware only.

Howard & Edna Postles Award

Applicants must:

- First-time applicants must be high school seniors who live within 15 miles of the Milford, Delaware city limits.
- First-time applicants must rank within the top 10% of their class academically.
- First-time applicants must plan to enroll in full-time undergraduate or graduate study at an accredited two- or four-year college, university or vocational-technical school for the entire upcoming academic year.
- Financial need is considered. Any applicant who fails to provide all requested information will be disqualified.

Awards

The authorized distribution for awards is determined annually by PNC. The award checks will be issued in U.S. currency.

An interruption in the educational plan of an applicant for military service, Peace Corps or similar program shall not disqualify the applicant from making subsequent applications for scholarships.

Awards are not renewable. Previous recipients must reapply, and maintain a "B" average and his or her domicile remains within 15-mile radius of Milford, Delaware. Recipients cannot receive more than eight (8) scholarships.

The Hearn Educational Fund Award

Applicants must:

- First-time applicants must be high school seniors graduating from Milford Senior High School.
- Applicants must be residents within the boundaries of Milford, Delaware School District.
- First-time applicants must plan to enroll in full-time undergraduate study at an accredited two- or four-year college, university or vocational-technical school for the entire upcoming academic year.
- Financial need is considered. Any applicant who fails to provide all requested information will be disqualified.

Awards

The authorized distribution for awards is determined annually by the PNC. The award checks will be issued in U.S. currency.

Awards are not renewable. Previous recipients must reapply on the basis of satisfactory performance. A recipient's scholarship can be terminated or reduced if their cumulative GPA is between 2.5 and 2.7.

Awards are for undergraduate study only.

Wilbur E. Postles Award – Separate application required

Applicants must:

- Be residents of Delaware for at least four years prior to submitting application.
- Be high school seniors who ranks in the top 20% of their class as of Fall semester.
- Have scored 1120 or higher on the SAT exam.
- Plan to enroll in full-time study at an accredited two-year or four-year college, university or vocational-technical school for the entire upcoming academic year.
- Show financial need.

Awards

The authorized distribution for awards is determined annually by the PNC. The award checks will be issued in U.S. currency.

Awards are renewable for up to seven years in the complete discretion of the Selection Committee on the basis of satisfactory academic performance (3.0 GPA or higher on a 4.0 scale or the equivalent).

APPLICATION

Interested students must complete the application and mail it along with a current, complete transcript of grades and any other required materials stated in the criteria listed above to Scholarship America postmarked no later than **April 1**. Grade reports are not acceptable. Unofficial transcripts must display student name, school name, grade and credit hours earned for each course, and term in which each course was taken. Applicants will receive an acknowledgment of receipt of their application. If an acknowledgment email is not received within three weeks, applicants may call Scholarship America to verify that the application has been received.

Applicants are responsible for gathering and submitting all necessary information. Applications are evaluated on the information supplied; therefore, answer all questions as completely as possible. Incomplete applications will not be evaluated. All information received is considered confidential and is reviewed only by Scholarship America, PNC, and each Scholarship's Selection Committee.

SELECTION OF RECIPIENTS

Scholarship recipients are selected on the basis of the criteria stated for each individual scholarship program.

Selection of recipients is made by each scholarship's Selection Committee. All applicants agree to accept the decision as final.

Applicants will be notified in late June. Not all applicants to the program will be selected as recipients. Scholarship recipients may reapply to the Howard & Edna Postles Award and The Hearn Educational Fund Award programs each year they meet eligibility requirements.

PAYMENT OF SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarship America processes scholarship payments on behalf of PNC. Payments are made in one installment in mid-August and based on school choice. Awards are either mailed directly, or sent electronically, and made payable to the school for the student.

OBLIGATIONS

Recipients have no obligation to PNC. They are, however, required to notify Scholarship America of any changes in address, school enrollment, or other relevant information and to send a complete transcript when requested.

REVISIONS

PNC reserves the right to review the conditions and procedures of this scholarship program and to make changes at any time, including termination of the program.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Questions regarding the scholarship program should be addressed to:

PNC Bank Delaware (DE) Scholarships
Scholarship America
One Scholarship Way
Saint Peter, MN 56082

Telephone: (507) 931-1682

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Delaware (DE) Scholarships

TYPE OR PRINT ALL INFORMATION EXCEPT SIGNATURES

Completeness and neatness ensure your application will be reviewed properly.

Application postmark deadline April 1

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I.D. #	AA	PD	RIC/CS	GPA	SATRW	SATM	ACTC	SP1	TOTAL

APPLICANT
DATA

Last Name _____ First _____ Middle Initial _____
 Permanent Home
 Mailing Address _____ Apartment # _____
 City _____ State **DE** ZIP Code _____ County _____
 Phone (_____) _____ Date of Birth: Month _____ Day _____ Year _____
 Email Address (Required for notification) _____
 Please indicate your status. (For statistical purposes only) Male Female

PARENT/
GUARDIAN OR
ALTERNATE
CONTACT
INFORMATION

Last Name _____ First _____ Middle Initial _____
 Address _____
 Relationship to Applicant _____ Day Phone (_____) _____
 Email Address _____

HIGH
SCHOOL
DATA

School Name _____ High School Graduation Date: Month _____ Year _____
 City _____ State **DE** Phone (_____) _____

POST-
SECONDARY
SCHOOL
DATA

Name of postsecondary school you plan to attend. (If unknown, please list in order of preference the schools to which you have applied.)
Use official school names. Do not use abbreviations.

 _____ City _____ State _____
 _____ City _____ State _____

4 yr. College or University 2 yr. Community or Junior College
 Vocational-Technical School Other, explain _____

Year in school **next** year: 1 2 3 4 5 or Graduate Study

Major or course of study: _____ Expected college graduation date: Month _____ Year _____

Degree sought: Bachelor Associate Certificate Other _____

SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

Please indicate below which awards you're eligible for, and wish to apply to (see guidelines for all eligibility requirements). To be considered for a particular award, you must also answer the additional question(s) listed for that award, if applicable.

- Elsie B. Moore Award** (a copy of your current Delaware license must also be submitted):
Will you be a newly-enrolled, first-year medical student who has been accepted for admission this coming fall? Yes No
- H. Fletcher Brown Award**
- Dr. Joseph P. Pyle Award:**
Are you a high school senior attending a high school within the Wilmington School District or New Castle County? Yes No
- A. Katharine Richards Award**
- Evelyn E. Stricklin Award**
- Howard & Edna Postles Award:**
Is your permanent home address within 15 miles of the Milford, DE city limits? Yes No
Are you a past recipient of the Howard & Edna Postles Award? Yes No
- The Hearn Educational Fund Award:**
Is your permanent home address within the boundaries of the Milford, DE School District? Yes No
Are you a past recipient of The Hearn Educational Fund Award? Yes No

Sending a resumé does not replace any part of this application. If space provided in any section is inadequate, you may continue on additional sheets. Attachments must follow the same format. DO NOT repeat information already reported on the application form. Your name, address and name of this scholarship program should be included on all attachments.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Describe your work experience during the **past four years** (e.g., food server, babysitting, lawn mowing, office work). Indicate dates of employment for each job and approximate **number of hours worked** each week.

Employer/Position	From - Mo/Yr	To - Mo/Yr	Hours per Week	Were you paid for your work?	
				YES	NO
				YES	NO
				YES	NO
				YES	NO
				YES	NO
				YES	NO
				YES	NO
				YES	NO

ACTIVITIES, AWARDS AND HONORS

List all school activities in which you have participated during the **past four years** (e.g., student government, music, sports, etc.). List all community activities in which you have participated without pay during the **past four years** (e.g., Boy/Girl Scouts, hospital volunteer, Special Olympics). Note all special awards, honors and offices held. **Indicate whether high school or college activities.**

Activity	No. of Years Partic.	Special Awards, Honors	Offices Held	Activity	No. of Years Partic.	Special Awards, Honors	Offices Held

GOALS AND ASPIRATIONS

Make a brief statement or summary of your plans as they relate to your educational and career objectives and long-term goals.

UNUSUAL CIRCUMSTANCES

Please describe how and when any unusual family or personal circumstances have affected your achievement in school, work experience, or your participation in school and community activities.

TRANSCRIPT INFORMATION

A complete transcript of grades **must** be sent with this application. Grade reports are not acceptable.

- 1. Students currently or previously enrolled in college or vocational-technical school must** include all college or vo-tech transcripts of grades from each school attended. Unofficial transcripts must display student name, school name, grade and credit hours earned for each course, and term in which each course was taken. (Completion of high school information below is not necessary.)
- 2. High school seniors and students who have completed less than one full quarter or semester** of postsecondary education **must** include a high school transcript of grades and have this section completed by the appropriate school official. **(A clear explanation of the high school's grading scale must also be submitted.)**

Applicant ranks _____ in a class of _____	Cumulative Grade Point Average	SAT		ACT				
	Weighted: _____ /4.0 scale	Evidence-Based Reading & Writing	Math	English	Math	Reading	Science	Composite
	Unweighted: _____ /4.0 scale							

School Official's Signature _____ Date _____ Title _____ Phone (_____) _____

School Official's Address: Street _____ City _____ State _____ ZIP Code _____

APPLICATION CHECKLIST

The student is responsible for submitting all materials to Scholarship America on time. Incomplete applications will not be evaluated. This application becomes complete and valid only when all of the following materials have been received:

- Current complete transcript(s) of grades (including grading scale)
- Copy of Student Aid Report (from FAFSA application including Expected Family Contribution (EFC))
- Letter of recommendation from your principal or faculty adviser (first time applicants only)
- Personal letter, 200 words or less, indicating the reasons for your selected major, why you should be considered for this scholarship, and your plans for the future (Not required for the **Elsie B. Moore Award** applicants)
- Copy of birth certificate (**Dr. Joseph P. Pyle Award** applicants only)
- Copy of MCAT test scores and Letter of Acceptance into Medical School (**Elsie B. Moore Award** applicants only)
- Letter outlining your professional aspirations and explaining how you plan to finance your medical education (**Elsie B. Moore Award** applicants only)
- Have one copy of your Pre-Professional Committee Evaluation mailed directly from your college. If your college does not have such a Committee, send three additional letters of recommendation from faculty members (**Elsie B. Moore Award** applicants only)

All materials, including transcript, must be addressed to:

PNC Bank Delaware (DE) Scholarships
Scholarship America
One Scholarship Way
Saint Peter, MN 56082

Postmark deadline April 1

CERTIFICATION

The Selection Committees have the sole responsibility for selecting recipients based on criteria as set forth in the program's description. This application becomes the property of Scholarship America and PNC Bank, N.A. as Trustee. (It is recommended you keep a copy for your files.)

I acknowledge decisions are final. I certify I meet eligibility requirements of the program as described in the guidelines and the information provided is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. If requested, I will provide proof of information, including an official transcript of grades. Falsification of information may result in termination of any award granted.

Applicant's Signature _____ Date _____

Parent's Signature _____ Date _____
(Required if applicant is under the age of 18)

Financial Statement (Page 1 of 2)

Must be completed by all first-time applicants and for those applicants who are reapplying to the **Howard & Edna Postles Scholarship** and the **Hearn Educational Fund**. All questions must be answered with specific figures provided. All information is confidential.

Section A.

Applicant's name: _____

Father

Mother

Name

Name

Home Address

Home Address

Place of Employment

Place of Employment

Annual Income

Annual Income

Number of Dependent Children

Number of Dependent Children

Value of Home

Value of Home

Debt on Home

Debt on Home

Indicate any unusual family circumstances which make it difficult for the family to support the applicant's college education:

List assets of the applicant. Including checking, savings, stocks, bonds, mutual funds, etc.

Have you applied for other scholarships, grants, or awards? If so, please list each of their names and approximate award amounts:

Financial Statement (Page 2 of 2)

The following section is to show the difference between the cost of one year of education at your chosen school, and all sources from which you will be receiving funds.

\$ _____ Cost for one year at _____
(_____) LESS: Parents or family's Contributions
(_____) Scholarship/Grant _____
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(_____) Scholarship/Grant _____
(_____) Scholarship/Grant _____
(_____) Scholarship/Grant _____
\$ _____ Current shortfall

Section B.

Reapplying Applicants only (Howard & Edna Postles Scholarship & Hearn Educational Fund)
Please list other forms of Financial Aid received last year:

Are these renewable? Yes ____ No ____
If yes, at what level?

Did your receipt of the Howard and Edna Scholarship or the Hearn Educational Fund result in the reduction of any other awards? If yes, please explain:

Section C.

CERTIFICATION: I/We certify that the information given herein is true and correct.

Signatures:

Applicant/Date

Father/Date

Mother/Date

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Last Name _____ First _____ Middle Initial _____
 Permanent Home _____
 Mailing Address _____ Apartment # _____
 City _____ State **DE** ZIP Code _____ County _____
 Phone (_____) _____ Date of Birth: Month _____ Day _____ Year _____
 Email Address (Required for notification) _____
 Please indicate your status. (For statistical purposes only) Male Female
 Have you been a Delaware resident for the last four years? Yes No

**PARENT/
 GUARDIAN OR
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 INFORMATION**

Last Name _____ First _____ Middle Initial _____
 Address _____
 Relationship to Applicant _____ Day Phone (_____) _____
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**HIGH
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- Letter from a parent, guardian or close friend substantiating your need for financial assistance

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