



POLISH-AMERICAN POLICE ASSOCIATION

ANNUAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

2026 - 2027 SCHOOL YEAR

SCHOLARSHIP CATEGORIES

☐	Paul S. Jankowski Memorial College/Trade School Scholarship <i>College or Trade School</i>	\$1,000
☐	Joseph T. Potasiak Memorial College/Trade School Scholarship <i>College or Trade School</i>	\$1,000
☐	PAPA High School Scholarship <i>One awarded North Side & one awarded South Side</i>	\$750
☐	PAPA Junior High School Scholarship (6th · 8th) <i>One awarded North Side & one awarded South Side</i>	\$500
☐	PAPA Grade School Scholarship (K · 5th) <i>One awarded North Side & one awarded South Side</i>	\$250
☐	Alina Obrecki Memorial Law Enforcement Recruit Scholarship <i>Currently in Academy or on Probation</i>	\$500

IMPORTANT INFORMATION & ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- 1 Payment will be made upon successful completion of at least a 2.0 grade point average on a 4.0 scale, not a cumulative GPA, of the semester.
- 2 **Winners of these scholarships must be full time students (minimum of 12 hours of college level courses) at an accredited institution, less than 25 years of age and must not have received a PAPA scholarship in the same category for which they are applying during the previous three (3) years.**
- 3 Scholarships are open to the children of PAPA members that are in good standing.
- 4 One scholarship form must be filled out per child.
- 5 PAPA reserves the right to withdraw scholarships and suspend awardees' eligibility, if found to have misled the organization about any aspect of eligibility, and to seek appropriate redress in respect of any sums paid.

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Applicant's Name: Applicant's Date of Birth:

Relationship to PAPA Member: School Attending:

PAPA Member's Name:

☐ ELIGIBILITY CERTIFICATION

I certify that the applicant has not received a PAPA scholarship in the same category for which they are applying during the previous three (3) years and that all information provided on this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Applicant/Parent/Guardian Signature: Date:

APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY DECEMBER 09, 2026

Mailed in applications must be postmarked by **December 07, 2026** to be considered.
Scholarship winners will be announced at the Annual Christmas Party on December 13, 2026.

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All scholarship winners MUST schedule and attend a PAPA event to accept their scholarship in person, unless residing outside of a 45-mile radius from the City of Chicago. In that case, an acceptance letter will suffice and will be read at the next regularly scheduled PAPA membership meeting.