

PORTUGUESE AMERICANS FOR HIGHER EDUCATION
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

2021

Application can be downloaded at www.pafhe.com

Conditions of Eligibility

- a. Portuguese Descent
- b. Resident of Peabody, Salem, Danvers, Lynn, or Beverly
- c. Accepted by an institution of higher learning

Applicant Requirements

- a. Completed Application
- b. Transcript
- c. Proof of Portuguese descent (passport/birth certificate, etc.)
- d. Copy of FASFA
- e. Two Reference Contacts

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State & Zip Code: _____

Telephone: _____

Email: _____

High School/College: _____

Date of Graduation: _____

Email: Scholarship@pafhe.com

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Instructions

Please read the application carefully.
Answer all questions to the best of your ability.
All application requirements must be submitted to be considered.
Submit completed application by **March 15, 2021**

SELECTION CRITERIA

1. Financial Need
 - Expected Family Contribution – Cost of College = Financial Need to Attend (FNA)
2. Achievement Performance
 - Transcript
 - GPA/Class Rank
3. Community Engagement
 - Ancestral ties
 - Participation in Portuguese community activities
 - Interest in contributing to community at large
 - Language ability and cultural interest
4. Potential for success
 - Participation in extra-curricular activities
 - Sports participation and awards
 - Community service project(s)
 - Employment
 - Leadership role(s)
 - Focus on continuity and long-term commitments
5. Essay
 - Presentation and format
 - Language and style
 - Context

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Names of college/university applied:

High School Applicant

Acceptance Date	University or College	Rank Choice

College Applicant

Class Year	College Attending	Anticipated Graduation Date

Field of Interest/Major: _____

Do you plan on living on campus? Yes ___ No ___ If no, estimated commuting costs: \$_____

Will you continue to work while attending college? Yes ___ No ___ Summer only ___

a. **if YES**, number of hour per week: _____

Father's Name: _____ Occupation: _____

Mother's Name: _____ Occupation: _____

Explain any additional or extraordinary circumstances affecting your family's situation, which would warrant you receiving financial aid.

REFERENCE CONTACTS

Provide contact information for two individuals who are able to

Name	Relationship	Phone number	Email

ESSAY

In an informative, creative essay, describe how your career goals would contribute to the development of your community and how your background as a Portuguese-American has influenced your career goals, if any. Essay should not exceed two (2) pages.

Signature of Applicant

I certify that the application is complete and accurate. Any misrepresentation may be cause for dismissal of this application.

Signature:

Date: