

The Rotary Club of Boca Raton Sunrise Foundation 2018-2019 Future Teachers of Palm Beach County SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Scholarship opportunities are available to **permanent residents of Palm Beach County** whose stated goal is be a Teacher of students of Palm Beach County. We are offering a Scholarship to Education Majors for tuition reimbursement for full-time Students and for Students attending part-time; who are seeking a Permanent Teacher Certification Degree from the State of Florida, a Masters in Education or Specialist Designation or Doctorate in Education.

Eligibility Requirements:

- Must be for degree-seeking students attending Palm Beach State College, Florida Atlantic University, or Lynn University.
- For full-time undergraduate students, enrollment must be for a minimum of 12 credit hours per semester.
- For part-time undergraduate students i.e. those taking less than 12 credit hours per semester.
- For graduate students enrollment must be for a minimum of 6 graduate credit hours.
- Must be a legal resident of the United States and be eligible for financial aid.
- Must be a permanent resident of Palm Beach County as defined by the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).
- Maintains permanent residency in Palm Beach County, Florida.
- Must have a minimum GPA of 3.0.
- Must complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) and have demonstrated financial need as determined by the schools Financial Aid Office.
- The Rotary Club of Boca Raton Sunrise Scholarship Committee will review applications and make the final decision on who receives scholarship awards.

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Name(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	Phone
(Last)	(FIISt)	(Middle)	
Permanent Address			
	(Street)		
City/State)		(Zip)	(e-mail address)
Student ID			
Which School will you be attending			
How many hours per semester do yo	ou plan to take this se	mester?	
Major	(No number	rs, please)	
Anticipated graduation date			
Some of our scholarships are awarde	ed based on special c	riteria. Please indicat	e if you meet the following criteria:
Do you have an offset rule?	Yes No		
Have you previously received a Rot	ary Club of Boca Rat	on Sunrise Foundatio	n Scholarship?
No Yes Term(s) Ye	ar(s) An	nount received to date	:

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- Briefly summarize your education goals and aspirations, future ambitions, and why you feel you are deserving of this scholarship. Please indicate any honors received, any extracurricular activities, and relevant work experiences. Please type on a separate page and attach to application. Type your name at the bottom, sign the document and include your student ID number.
- A letter of reference from one of your <u>College Instructors</u> recommending you for this scholarship.
- A sealed copy of your official academic transcripts.
- The (FAFSA) for academic year must be completed and the report attached to this application in order to be considered for this scholarship. (FAFSA forms are available in the financial aid office or on line at www.fafsa.ed.gov). This will be used in part to verify permanent residency and financial need.
- A copy of your Student Aid Report (SAR) from your school for the current school aid year.
- A copy of your financial aid award letter for the school year, from the institution you are currently attending and a letter from the Financial Aid Office indicating the amount of your unmet need (excluding loans).
- Graduate students or teachers who are unable to obtain a FAFSA report will provide their most recent tax return for income verification.

The due dates for submission and receipt of fully completed applications are as follows:

Due Date	Award Notification
	Date
June 15	July 5

Please send to: Rotary Club of Boca Raton Sunrise Foundation, P.O. Box 273468, Boca Raton, Florida 33427-3468

- If a Scholarship is awarded, recipients will be notified by mail.
- Awards are made for full time Scholarships at the rate of up to \$3,000 per year, (\$1,500 per semester) paid directly to the school for Financial Need (Tuition, Books, Supplies, etc.).
- Part time Scholarships are made at the rate of up to \$1,500 per year (\$750 per semester) paid directly to the school for Financial Need (Tuition, Books, Supplies, etc.).
- Scholarships are awarded annually. Payments are made at the beginning of each semester (see requirements for Current Scholars).
- Recipients are required to attend the Rotary Club of Boca Raton Sunrise Awards Presentation to receive their scholarship.
- The date and time to be announced.

Second Semester Process for Scholarship Recipients

- Current Scholarship recipients must request a scholarship in writing each semester and must include a copy of an official school transcript verifying a GPA of at least 3.0 and the course credit hours for the upcoming semester. Any major changes in circumstances (address, financial, etc.) must be reported via a new completed application form.
- Renewals are due by December 31, 2018
- **Disclaimer**: The Rotary Club of Boca Raton Foundation Scholarship Committee reserves the right to determine the awards. If approved by the Committee, a payment will be sent to the school for the next semester.

Signature	Date

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