



P.E.O. Local Scholarship

Chapter AR, P.E.O. Sisterhood, Faribault, Minnesota, is pleased to offer up to a \$1000 scholarship to female high school seniors from Faribault enrolling in a post-secondary program. **While GPA and involvement are factors, of greater consideration is the candidate's ability to reflect our P.E.O. values both now and in her future.** Please see the attached application form and essay prompt to apply for this scholarship.

Application Deadline: 3:00pm Wednesday, April 12, 2023

Return the application form and your essay by April 12, 2023, to your Guidance Counselor or mail directly to the address below. Please note that mailed applications must be postmarked by the due date.

P.E.O. Scholarship Committee
Marian Bahl
17830 Ames Court
Faribault, MN 55021

The P.E.O. Local Scholarship recipient will be announced on Senior Awards Day.

P.E.O. (Philanthropic Educational Organization) is celebrating over 150 years of women helping women reach for the stars. Since its inception in 1869, the nonprofit organization has helped more than 116,000 women pursue educational goals by providing more than \$383 million in grants, scholarships, awards and loans and through the stewardship of Cottey College in Nevada, Missouri.

Through membership, the P.E.O. Sisterhood has brought together more than a half a million women in the United States and Canada who are passionate about helping women advance through education, while also supporting and motivating them. In addition to P.E.O.'s foundation and six educational philanthropies, the P.E.O. Sisterhood provides a framework of support and community for all members.

What started with a bond of friendship among seven women in Mount Pleasant, Iowa, is now one of the oldest women's organizations in North America with close to 6,000 chapters.

The values of the P.E.O. Sisterhood are:

- Charity
- Faith
- Love
- Purity
- Justice
- Truth
- Knowledge

To learn more about P.E.O., its powerful educational philanthropies and see stories of women who have benefited from the programs, visit www.peointernational.org.



P.E.O. LOCAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Name:

Parent/Guardian Name(s):

Address:

Student's Personal Email:

Phone:

High School:

G.P.A.:

Prospective College:

High School Extra-Curricular Activities:

Service/Volunteer Experience:

Employment Experience:

In an essay attached separately, please address the following questions:

1. How do you relate to the P.E.O. values?
2. What are your post-high school educational and personal goals?
3. What about your high school experience has had the biggest impact on those post-high school plans?