

2018 George W. Jenkins Memorial Scholarship

Administered by the Polk Education Foundation

- 2 scholarships of up to \$2,500 each will be awarded for vocational or college courses
- Students must be the child of a Publix Super Markets employee employed for at least six months prior to submitting this application. (Must note store # or corporate department for verification and attach a letter of confirmation from the Publix supervisor who oversees the employee).
- Selections will be based on two things –
 1. financial need (student's SAR (student aid report) or parent's 2017 W9's or 2017 tax information showing adjusted gross income must be attached to this application.
 2. AND the content of the general and additional essays required.

Must be postmarked to the Foundation by Feb. 23, 2018

Mail to: 1530 Shumate Drive
Bartow, FL 33831
(863) 534-0519
FAX (863) 519-3791

Computer generate, or, print entire application neatly in blue or black ink.

Name _____

School _____

Your Mailing
address _____

City, ZIP _____ Day Phone _____

Email address _____

Mother's Name _____ Employment _____

Father's Name _____ Employment _____

Number that live at home? _____

Who does this include (relationships such as mom, dad, brother – no names please) _____

Is anyone else living there currently in college? If so, who and where? _____

Where do you plan to attend college? _____

Your intended major? _____

What other scholarships or financial aid will you be receiving that you know of? _____

*****Two essays are required, please computer generate both with minimum size 12 font. Scholarships will be chosen on information contained in these essays, so be specific and state your need clearly**

Essay one: (up to two pages)

Use this essay to provide information you would like to share such as school participation and honors, personal financial need, college and career plans, and any other information you feel would help in the selection process.

Essay two: (one page)

How will this next step in your education better prepare you to be a contributing member of society?

STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP STATEMENT

I understand that:

- a) scholarships will be decided based solely on the essay(s) if no interview is noted,
- b) all supporting paperwork must accompany my application packet for it to be considered,
- c) those other than Polk Education Foundation staff may review my application for the selection process,
- d) only the recipients of the scholarships will be notified by graduation.

I further understand and agree that if I am chosen as a recipient:

- e) I will attend the Senior Awards program at my high school to receive the award(s),
- f) I will send a thank you note to the sponsor(s) of my scholarship(s) and a copy of the same thank you note to the Polk Education Foundation,
- g) **my scholarship check will not be released until my College Information Sheet and a copy of my thank you note has been received by the Foundation office,**
- h) the Foundation may use my name and photo to publicize my award without any further compensation,
- i) if I change colleges, it is my responsibility to request that the balance of funds be transferred back to the Polk Education Foundation to be reissued to the college I will be attending. I will notify the Polk Education Foundation of this in writing.
- j) all monies received from a one-time award must be used within five years of my graduation. I will not receive reminders on this. Any money remaining after that time will revert back to the Polk Education Foundation,
- k) some scholarships require submitting annual transcripts for renewal. I understand that if my award letter indicates annual transcripts be submitted, submitting my transcripts by the due date will be my responsibility without any further reminders,
- l) all scholarship checks will be sent to schools on/about July 1 for Fall enrollment.

Student's Signature _____

Parent's Signature (if applicant is under 18) _____

Date _____