

The J. Paul Yost
Creative Arts Scholarship
\$2,000.00

The J. Paul Yost Creative Arts Scholarship will be awarded to a graduating senior at Pontiac Township High School. The recipient will be selected by the trustees of the J. Paul Yost Trust. The criteria used in the selection of the recipient include outstanding ability and creativity in some area of the arts (such as art, music, theater, dance, etc.), character, career plans, community involvement, and grades. It is the hope of the Trustee's that this scholarship will encourage students to pursue careers in the arts.

1. The applicant's major or minor must be in some area of the creative arts, such as music, art, theater, dance, etc.
2. There are no restrictions on the applicant's selection of an institution for continuing education.
3. The applicants program of study must begin in the same year of graduation from PTHS.
4. The completed application with all requested information is due to either the PTHS Guidance office, or to Robert Sear, Trustee, by **April 11, 2024**.
5. The announcement of the recipient of the scholarship will take place at the Honors Assembly held in May.
6. The scholarship check will be issued to the student and to the educational institution being attended.
7. In the event the recipient does not complete the first semester of study without good cause, the recipient is to return the scholarship money.

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Application

Applicant_____Date_____

Address_____

Phone_____

School you will attend_____

Major/Minor field of study_____

Have you been accepted?_____

I certify that I have completed this application and that all
statements and information are true and correct to my knowledge.

Signed_____Date_____

I verify the information in this application is true and correct to
my knowledge.

Parent/Guardian_____Date_____

Parents/Guardian names _____

Parents/Guardian Occupation _____

Family Financial Information

Parents adjusted gross income _____

Number of dependents _____

What will the first year expenses be for tuition and room and
Board. _____

Have you had or do you have a part time job?

Employer	Position	Earnings
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Please include the following information in your application for it to be considered complete.

1. Please include a certified high school transcript.
2. ACT scores (may be on your transcript)
3. A one page biography telling of your purpose in attending school, future goals, and the place the arts have in your goals and life.
4. A list of your participation and achievements in school activities.
5. A list of your participation and achievements in community activities.
6. Two recommendations, one to be from a teacher or administrator.
7. Include with your application a portfolio, or digital portfolio, that will demonstrate your ability in the creative arts.