

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
PARK RIDGE JUNIORS FOUNDATION
P.O. Box 290, Park Ridge, IL 60068

The Park Ridge Juniors Foundation awards scholarships to any qualified District 207 area student, also including students at private school within the 207 District, having completed their senior year of high school by June 2010. Awards will be given based on financial need, academic merit, extra-curricular/service activities and essays. Checks to the scholarship recipients will be written payable to the designated continuing educational institution identified in this application. The application form and all accompanying required documents must be submitted electronically as a packet no later than Monday, April 5, 2010 to scholarship@parkridgejuniors.org. This application is five (5) pages long.

Incomplete applications WILL NOT be considered, so please be sure that all parts of the application have been completed and submitted, along with the SAR form with EFC listed, 2 essays, 3 letters of recommendation, official transcripts and ACT/SAT scores.

The SAR report is generated after you submit your FAFSA form to the government. You can print the SAR by going to <https://fafsa.ed.gov/index.htm> and clicking on View and Print Your Student Aid Report.

PERSONAL PROFILE:

Student Name:

Last First MI

Home Address:

Number Street City State Zip

Mailing Address:

Number Street City State Zip

Phone number: () - .

Date of birth: _____
month / day / year

Email address required: _____

Father:

Name

Address:

Number Street City State Zip

Mother:

Name

Address:

Number Street City State Zip

Guardian (if not parent):

Name

Are parents living?

Mother: Yes _____

No _____

Father: Yes _____

No _____

Are parents divorced?

Yes _____ date: _____

No _____

If Yes, with whom does student reside?

If Yes, who has custody?

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PERSONAL PROFILE continued:

Other children or dependents in family: (Use extra sheet if necessary.)

Name: _____ Age: _____ School: _____ Grade: _____

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FINANCIAL PROFILE:

All information contained in this application is strictly confidential.
Parent(s) must assist in filling out this section.

Father Occupation: _____ Employer: _____

Annual GROSS Income (before taxes) \$ _____
Including wages, tips, bonuses, interest income and dividends

Mother Occupation: _____ Employer: _____

Annual GROSS Income (before taxes): \$ _____
Including wages, tips, bonuses, interest income and dividends

Student Occupation: _____ Employer: _____

Annual Gross Income (before taxes): \$ _____
Including wages, tips, bonuses, interest income and dividends

Estimated expenses: Tuition: \$ _____

Room & Board: \$ _____

Anticipated parent contribution to expenses (per year): \$ _____

Anticipated student contribution to expenses (per year): \$ _____

Other financial information:

If parents are divorced, has financial support for continuing education been established as part of the divorce decree?

YES _____ NO _____ If yes, amount per year? \$ _____

Required for all applicants: Please attach a copy of your SAR Report with EFC!
Go to <https://fafsa.ed.gov/index.htm> click on View and Print your Student Aid Report.

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FINANCIAL PROFILE continued:

Has student applied for and/or been granted any other scholarships and/or aid?

YES NO If yes, please list: _____

Will anyone be financially dependent upon student while student is in school?

YES NO If so, to what amount? _____

Has student received a Juniors Scholarship in the past?

YES NO _____

Will you receive any other financial assistance for school, such as, but not limited to, college bonds, trust funds, family/friend assistance?

YES NO If yes, please list type of assistance and anticipated amount:

Are there any extenuating financial circumstances we should consider? Use a separate sheet of paper if necessary. Please provide supporting documents.

ACADEMIC MERIT:

Please include a copy of student transcript and ACT/SAT scores. **Contact your Guidance Counselor for a copy of your student transcript.**

High school attending: _____

College planning to attend: _____

Have you been notified acceptance? Yes _____ No _____

Other educational opportunities student has taken advantage of, such as outside classes or internships. Please use a separate piece of paper if necessary.

EXTRA-CURRICULAR/SERVICE ACTIVITIES PROFILE:

Essay #1: Please tell us about your participation in activities outside the actual classroom environment. These would include, but not be limited to, church, community, volunteer, non-paid work, and school activities. Please use a separate piece of paper.

Essay #2: Please tell us about why you want to go to college, why you have selected the college of your choice, and the circumstances that make financial aid necessary. Include any other pertinent information you would like to share. Please use a separate piece of paper.

Submit three (3) current letters of recommendation. The recommendation should include attributes defined on the last page of this application. At least one MUST be from school personnel. Use the recommendation guidelines attached in this application.

Recommendation Sources: Teachers, Counselor, Employer, Clergy, Adult Friend, Community Service Personnel, Coaches, etc.

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**ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS APPLICATION
IS STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL!**

I attest that the information included in this application is true and complete.

Signature of Applicant

Date

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date

Please email this application, together with a copy of your SAR form with EFC, 2 essays, 3 letters of recommendation, and transcripts to:

scholarship@parkridgejuniors.org

**ALL PARTS OF THIS APPLICATION, COPY OF SAR, ESSAYS, LETTERS OF
RECOMMENDATION AND TRANSCRIPTS MUST BE RECEIVED BY
MONDAY, APRIL 5, 2010. If you anticipate an issue returning this application
electronically, please email scholarship@parkridgejuniors.org immediately.**

All applicants will be notified of the committee's decision by April 29, 2010.

Have you remembered to include:

<u>Y</u> <u>N</u>	Printed SAR with EFC
<u>Y</u> <u>N</u>	2 Essays
<u>Y</u> <u>N</u>	3 Letters of Recommendation
<u>Y</u> <u>N</u>	School transcript and ACT/SAT scores
<u>Y</u> <u>N</u>	Complete 6 page applications

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