



2023 EDUCATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP

As a community-owned utility, Pasadena Water and Power's first priority is to serve our customers and local residents. PWP would like to honor two outstanding Pasadena high school seniors with an educational scholarship for the upcoming 2023-2024 academic year. We will be awarding a **\$5,000 scholarship** to the first place winner, and a **\$2,500 scholarship** to the second place winner. Recipients will be notified via email by May 8, 2023.

Please submit your completed application and minimum 500 word essay no later than **April 3, 2023** to pwpcommunications@cityofpasadena.net. Awards will be made at the discretion of the PWP Scholarship Committee.

Guidelines and Rules Agreement

I affirm that I meet all of the following criteria:

- I am currently a senior at a high school in the city of Pasadena.
- I am a resident within the Pasadena Water and Power service territory.
- I plan to be enrolled as a full time student in a two or four-year accredited post-secondary institution in the upcoming 2023-24 academic year.
- The attached essay was written by me in my own words, except for acknowledged quotations. I understand that any work that is plagiarized will result in disqualification.

Name: _____

Date: _____

Signature: _____

Parent or Guardian Signature (if applicant is under 18): _____

See back side.

Instructions:

1. Fill out all the information in the application below.
2. Save document as **Last Name, First Name, PWP Scholarship Application**. For example, Jane Doe would save her application as: Doe, Jane, PWP Scholarship Application.
3. After writing your essay (must be typed) save the document as **Last Name, First Name, PWP Scholarship Essay**.
4. Email the completed two page application and essay to pwpcommunications@cityofpasadena.net by April 3, 2023.
5. Mail your academic transcripts to:

PWP Marketing Team
150 S. Los Robles, Suite 200
Pasadena, CA 91101

Applicant Information

Full Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

High School: _____ GPA: _____ Class Size: _____

High School Address: _____

Please provide the names of post-secondary institutions to which you have applied or have been accepted.

Expected Date of Entry: _____ Field of Study: _____

School: _____ School: _____

School: _____ School: _____

Essay

Please write a minimum 500 word essay on the topic below. Sources must be cited where needed. Save your essay as a Word Document or PDF with this format: **Last Name, First Name, PWP Scholarship Essay**. We are looking for a thoughtful and well-written essay that demonstrates research and creativity.

Pasadena is experiencing severe drought conditions, and so is much of California. What recommendations would you make to leaders in your community on how to address the drought and protect long-term water supply? Use research to support your essay. Consider these prompts:

- **How does climate change affect water supply?**
- **What actions has Pasadena already taken to address water supply shortage?**
- **What are some actions you can take to reduce indoor and outdoor water consumption?**
- **What would you recommend leaders do to address water supply shortage?**

Questions? Email us at pwpcommunications@cityofpasadena.net