

Note: (Please make a copy of this form)

# PAFCOM SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

# **PAFCOM Scholarship Award 2024**

### **RATIONALE:**

The PAFCOM Scholarship award confers special recognition to graduating senior high school students with academic and leadership involvement. This award is given to graduating senior students of Filipino descent who are currently enrolled from a private or public school in New York, New Jersey and Connecticut. Recognizing outstanding qualities and achievement of the students will inspire other Filipino youth in the Tri-State to excel in their studies.

### WHO CAN APPLY?

- 1. Filipino, Filipino-American, or Filipino descent who are currently graduating senior high school in any of the public or private schools in New York, New Jersey and Connecticut or a resident in the Tri-State studying elsewhere.
- 2. Be of pleasing personality and good moral character.

#### WHAT TO SUBMIT FOR THIS APPLICATION?

The following documents should be included with your application:

- 1. Transcript of high school records.
- 2. Copies of PSAT and SAT scores.
- 3. A Letter of recommendations from any of the following: the principal, guidance counselor, adviser/teacher.
- 4. A Letter of character reference from any of the following: a priest, pastor, employer, or community leader.
- 5. Passport size photo (colored photo)
- 6. An essay of 350 words on the theme: "Education is the Passport to the Future, for Tomorrow Belongs to those who Prepare for it Today".

#### CRITERIA FOR SELECTION

The following criteria will be used in judging the applicants:

Academic Performance	25%
Leadership Role and Responsibility	20%
Honors and Awards	20%
Financial Needs	15%
Interview	10%
Essay	10%

100%



# **Mail Application to:**

Send application form to: ATTN: PAFCOM Scholarship 387 Fulton Avenue Jersey City, NJ 07305

Deadline of Submission: May 14, 2024

Announcement of Winners will be on June 12, 2024 Awarding of Scholarships will be June 23, 2024 during the PAFCOM Parade and Festivals



### **APPLICATION FORM**

# **INSTRUCTIONS:**

- 1. Fill out this form completely using black or blue ink.
- 2. Submit this original copy to PAFCOM, Inc. on or before May 30, 2024 at ATTN:

PAFCOM Scholarship
387 Fulton Avenue Jersey City, NJ 07305

- 3. Type or print and use additional sheets as necessary. Do not leave any entries blank (use N/A if not applicable)
- 4. Falsification or misrepresentation of information stated in the application form or in any of the following documents submitted will result in automatic disqualification.

#### I. APPLICANT'S PERSONAL DATA

Name of App	olicant:	
Age:	Sex:	Date of Birth:
Home Addre	ess:	
Email Addre	ss:	
Facebook Account:		
High School Attended for the last three years/Location:		
Name of College/University that you will attend:		
Field of Study/Bachelors Degree:		
Number in h	ousehold:	
Number of s	iblings in colle	ge:



#### II. APPLICANT'S ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT PROFILE

**Academic** 

GPA: Rank in Class: Number of Graduates:

Achievement Test Scores: PSAT: SAT:

#### **Honors and Awards**

- This section shall only include academic honors and awards received from academic institutions, organizations and contests.
- 2. Please arrange chronologically and enclose copies of supporting documents.
- 3. Please arrange chronologically and enclose copies of supporting documents like certificate, news article, or photocopy of award/plaque.
- 4. You may add more rows if needed.

Awards/Citations/Honors	Conferred by	Date Conferred

#### III. APPLICANT'S LEADERSHIP ACHIEVEMENT PROFILE

## **Co-Curricular and Extra-Curricular Activities and Awards**

- 1. This section shall only include co and extracurricular activities, programs, projects, or organizations that the applicant has been involved with e.g. student government, academic related organizations, clubs or school-based volunteer organizations.
- 2. Co and Extracurricular awards include leadership, student service, debate, performing arts, sports, etc.
- 3. Please arrange chronologically and enclose copies of supporting documents like certificate, news article, or photocopy of award/plaque.
- 4. You may add more rows if needed.



Co/Extra-Curricular Activity/Position	School/Organization	Dates

IV. AI	PLICANT'S	<b>CHARACTER</b>	AND VALUES	PROFILE
--------	-----------	------------------	------------	---------

1.	Application Letter. For the applicant, please state the reasons why you believe you should
	be chosen. Please limit it to 250 words only.

- 2. **Recommendation Letter**. Recommendation essay from a person (except relatives) with a deep knowledge of the nominees background (e.g.principal, guidance counselor, adviser/teacher. The letter must specify the reasons and impressions surrounding the nominee's narrative that the recommender thinks are necessary to his/her application as recipient of the scholarship.]
- 3. Supporting Character Reference (e.g. priest, pastor, employer, or community leader) not from a relative.



Essay (350 words) "Education is the Passport to the Future, for Tomorrow Belongs to those who Prepare for it Today".