

**Junior Achievement of Western PA  
JA/PSEA Partners for Public Education Scholarship**

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High school seniors majoring in education at an accredited college or university who have participated in a minimum of 1 JA program are eligible for the Pennsylvania State Education Association Scholarship worth \$500.

**Requirements:**

**The following must be met for eligibility:**

- 1.) High School Senior who has participated in at least 1 JA program within the last 4 years.
- 2.) Must have a minimum final GPA of 3.0
- 3.) Provide 1 Teacher recommendation
- 4.) Must provide verification of JA program participation from school or JA coordinator
- 5.) Provide a copy of high school transcripts or most recent report card
- 6.) Majoring in education at an accredited college or university.
- 7.) Complete the **typed 250-300 word** essay answering the question:

***Why have you chosen Education as your career, and how has participating in JA programs as a student influenced your decision to teach?***

Students must send the above information postmarked **no later than Friday, April 3, 2020** to:

**Junior Achievement of Western PA: Scholarships  
90 Emerson Lane, Suite 1403  
Bridgeville, PA 15017**

No applications will be accepted after the deadline. These awards will be mentioned at the JAWPA Annual Meeting held in Pittsburgh. Winners will be notified in June 2020. Students who are offered scholarships will **not be required** to attend this event.

**Scholarship funds will be sent directly to college by December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2020**

Junior Achievement is proud to be able to offer these scholarships to students in western Pennsylvania! If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact the JAWPA Education Department (contact below). Thank you for your continued cooperation and support!

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\*Due to the large number of applications we receive, we are unable to return any of your materials.



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## 2019-2020 Student Information (Please print or type all information)

Title	First Name	Last Name	D.O.B. (mm/dd/yyyy)
<b>Mailing Address</b>			
Number/Street			
City ( )	State	Zip Code	
Area Code	Home Phone	Social Security Number	Email Address

### School Information

High School:	Dates of Attendance:
What College will you be attending?	Anticipated Major:
College Address:	

### JA Experience

Which Junior Achievement programs were you involved in?  
Participation in a minimum of 1JA program is required ( If JA program name is not known, please indicate grade levels)

- 1.) \_\_\_\_\_
- 2.) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3.) \_\_\_\_\_
- 4.) \_\_\_\_\_

*Note: Verification of participation in JA program is required. A representative from the applicant's school or JA volunteer must complete the attached form*

**Application:** This application becomes valid only when you have submitted **ALL** the following items in **ONE** envelope.

#### Checklist

____ Application Form	____ Typed Personal Essay	____ Official Transcript or copy of current report card
____ JA Program Validation from school or JA coordinator	____ Teacher Recommendation	

### Certification

We acknowledge that we have read the eligibility requirements on the attached form. All of the information furnished in support of this application is true and complete. If requested, we will submit proof of the same. Failure to do so shall invalidate this application and shall result in termination of scholarship.

Signature of Applicant (Must be signed)	Date	Signature of Guardian (Must be signed)	Date
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### Important

This application becomes valid when all items on the above checklist are provided in one envelope and are submitted to:

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JA VERIFICATION FORM

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

JA Coordinator Name: \_\_\_\_\_
(School Principal, Teacher, JA Coordinator, or JA Volunteer that can verify your participation)

Coordinator Phone/Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Please verify the above student's participation in any of the following JA programs.
Next to each JA program that the student had, write the year(s)/date(s) they completed the program:

Table with 2 columns: Program Title and Participation Dates. Rows include JA Career Success, JA Inspire Career Fair, JA Careers in Energy, JA Economics, JA Exploring Economics, JA Personal Finance, JA Titan, JA Titan Competition, JA Company Program, JA Teacher at (school), JA Job Shadow at(company), and Other.

Verifying Signature: \_\_\_\_\_



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**TEACHER RECOMMENDATION**  
(may be submitted on separate page if preferred)

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Classes Taught: \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher Recommendation: \_\_\_\_\_

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Teacher Signature: \_\_\_\_\_