

**Daughters of Penelope District 2
Past District Governors'
Continuing Education or Trade School Scholarship
Rules and Application**

All information requested on the application must be completed or the application will be disqualified.

1. The Daughters of Penelope District 2 Past District Governors will award one scholarship in the amount of one thousand dollars (\$1000.00) to one recipient.
2. The applicant must be a resident of Citrus District #2.
3. For trade school
 - a. The applicant must be a high school graduate, currently enrolled in a trade school.
 - b. The applicant must be female; she must have either a current member of the immediate family or legal guardian (court approved) in the Daughters of Penelope or the Order of AHEPA, or she can be a Maid of Athena, and the member must be in good standing for a minimum of two (2) years.
4. For Continuing Education
 - a. The applicant must a female and currently a Daughters of Penelope member in good standing for two (2) years.
 - b. The applicant must be at least 25 years old.
 - c. The applicant may be married or single.
 - d. The applicant must be entering or continuing education at an accredited technical school, college, or university.
5. The applicant must submit a brief personal essay (300-600 words, typed, double-spaced, in English) defining her goals and how the scholarship will help achieve her goals. Essay must include name and local chapter. Essay may be sent electronically to dopd2scholarship@gmail.com or mailed directly to the address listed below. If sending via e-mail, essay must be sent as a PDF attachment (do not put essay within the body of the e-mail).
6. An official transcript and/or proof of the highest education completed must be submitted with each application. Transcript/proof of the highest education completed may be sent electronically to dopd2scholarship@gmail.com or mailed directly from the school attended to the address listed below.
7. The application must include a Letter of Recommendation (using the DOP Letter of Recommendation Form) from a source other than relatives. The Letter of Recommendation Form may be sent electronically to dopd2scholarship@gmail.com or mailed directly to the address listed below.
8. Endorsement is mandatory from the applicant's chapter. The Endorsement Form may be sent electronically to dopd2scholarship@gmail.com or mailed directly to the address listed below.
9. The scholarship will be awarded without regards to other scholarships and financial aid the applicant may receive.
10. No items will be considered in the selection process other than those specifically requested in the application.
11. Application and required documents may be sent electronically to dopd2scholarship@gmail.com or mailed directly to the address listed below.
12. The winner will be announced at the District Convention and will receive notification of their award by the Scholarship Committee Chairman. The Scholarship Committee Chairman shall also notify the applicants not receiving an award.
13. The recipient will receive her award upon receipt of proof of school registration to the Scholarship Committee Chairman. All grant monies award must be used strictly for tuition and/or books, materials.
14. Once submitted your application becomes the property of the Daughters of Penelope Citrus District #2 and will not be returned.
15. Applicants only may inquire with the Scholarship Chairman regarding their application.
16. The current Daughters of Penelope District Governor shall appoint the Chairman of the Scholarship Committee each year.
17. The Daughters of Penelope Citrus District #2 Continuing Education or Trade School Scholarship Rules cannot be altered, amended or revised without a majority vote at the Daughters of Penelope Citrus District #2 Convention.

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Full Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Home Address: _____ City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____ Telephone: _____

Wallet Size Recent Photo
(Insert or paste here)

Occupation _____

Name of Employer (if applicable) _____

Member of Daughters of Penelope/AHEPA, Chapter Name and Number:

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ACADEMIC RECORD

Name of applicant: _____

Highest Level of Education Completed: _____

Name and Address of School you last attended: _____

Date of graduation from school above (if applicable): _____

Are you currently enrolled in school? _____

If yes, name and address of school: _____

Expected Date of Graduation: _____

List extra-curricular activities, positions held, and awards received (please use additional sheet if necessary):

College/University/Technical School you plan to attend _____

When do you plan to attend accredited school: _____

For what profession or occupation are you preparing? _____

I hereby certify that I am qualified to apply for this scholarship.

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____

Return this completed application, endorsement, essay, transcript/proof of the highest education completed, and Letter of Recommendation using one of the following methods:

1. E-mail documents to dopd2scholarship@gmail.com by May 17th, 11:59 pm.
OR
2. Mail documents to the address listed below by certified return receipt mail, postmarked by May 17th, or the first business day after when May 17th falls on a Sunday or legal postal holiday to the scholarship committee.

District #2 Scholarship
c/o DG Connie Pilallis, PGP
1901 Ocean Blvd #205,
Boca Raton, FL 33432
561-212-4714

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Final Application Checklist

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1. Application
2. Endorsement Form
3. Essay document (as a PDF file)
4. Transcript/proof of highest education completed (or have it sent directly from your school)
5. Letter of Recommendation Form

Return items listed in the checklist above using one of the following methods:

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OR

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District #2 Scholarship Committee 2023-2024
c/o DG Connie Pilallis, PGP
1901 Ocean Blvd #205,
Boca Raton, FL 33432
561-212-4714