

R. T. LONG PENN STATE UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP

administered by the Elizabeth Forward Alumni & Friends Association

ABOUT THE R. T. LONG PENN STATE UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP

The scholarship was established by Mika (EF '71) and Bob (EF '71) Long in honor of their son, Robert Tyler Long (EF '06 and PSU '10), to acknowledge his academic and personal achievements and to give back to the school district to recognize its key role in providing Robert's solid academic foundation.

TERMS OF THE SCHOLARSHIP

One \$750 scholarship will be awarded to a graduating senior at Elizabeth Forward High School intent on furthering his or her education as a full-time student at any Penn State University campus.

SELECTION PROCESS AND CRITERIA

The Scholarship Selection Committee will review all complete applications based on the applicant's sustained record of academic excellence, leadership, citizenship, and response to the prompt below.

NOTIFICATION AND RECEIPT OF SCHOLARSHIP

The recipient will be notified by early May via e-mail and a confirmation letter. The letter will inform the recipient of what needs to be provided to EFAFA to receive the scholarship. Information relating to a required thank you letter will be included with the confirmation letter.

THE APPLICATION

1. Using word processing, submit the following information. Include the number/letter of the item when providing your information.
 - a. Name of the scholarship for which you are applying:
 - b. Your Name:
 - c. Home Address:
 - d. Home Telephone Number:
 - e. Cell Telephone Number:
 - f. Texting Number:
 - g. E-mail Address:
 - h. Name of college/university you plan to attend:
 - i. Name of intended major:
 - j. Briefly explain why you believe you meet the criteria for this scholarship:
 - k. Write a 300-500-word essay (double-spaced) on this prompt: **Explain what teachers in your life have done to encourage your interest in your chosen career.**
2. As a separate document, prepare an up-to-date personal resume that includes your academic achievements, senior-year courses, extracurricular activities, community service, etc.

3. Make three copies of all application materials (including your essay and resume) and collate them into three separate packets so each packet contains one copy of each document and then staple each packet.
4. Place all three packets into one unsealed 9 x 12 envelope.
5. Write your name and the scholarship name on the outside of the envelope.
6. Submit all materials to your guidance counselor as soon as possible but not later than February 28.
7. Request that your counselor provide EFAPA with your EFHS academic transcript.