

# **Full-Tuition Scholarship Competition Application Instructions**

**NOTE:** Before you complete/submit your application per the instructions below, make sure that you meet the criteria for Full-Tuition Scholarship applicants <u>as listed on the website</u>.

To apply for the Full-Tuition Scholarship, students must mail an envelope containing the following four documents:

### 1. Contact Information

- Student's full name
- Street Address
- Phone Number
- E-mail Address
- High School
- Academic Major

## 2. Essay Response

Please respond in **750 words, double-spaced** to the following essay prompt. Your essay response will be read and scored by two professors of English.

**Essay Prompt:** Describe your most meaningful academic experience or intellectual achievement and explain how it would contribute to your future studies and goals at the University of Pittsburgh at Greensburg. You might talk about your work in a specific class that challenged you, an academic or learning project or activity you're most proud of, etc. Please be specific and give examples of your experience/achievement and how it will carry over into your liberal arts college career.

## 3. Resume

Please include a resume detailing any community involvement/extracurriculars that you would like the committee to know about.



#### 4. Letters of Recommendation

Please include two letters of recommendation. Recommendations must come from adults who are not related to you and **MUST** address the questions listed below. **Each letter of recommendation must be in a sealed envelope with a signature across the seal.** Your references must provide the following in their letters of recommendation for you:

#### a. Contact Information

- Full name
- Scholarship applicant name
- Relationship to applicant
- Title/Position
- Phone number
- Company/Affiliated Organization
- Mailing Address
- Is this an academic or personal recommendation?

### **b.** Reference Questions

Letters of recommendation **MUST** address the following questions:

- Why do you feel the applicant is deserving of a Full-Tuition Scholarship at Pitt-Greensburg?
- How do you feel the applicant can contribute to the Pitt-Greensburg campus community?

## Students must mail an envelope containing the above documents to:

Joyce Eger University of Pittsburgh at Greensburg Rossetti House 103 150 Finoli Drive Greensburg, PA 15601

\*\*The envelope must be postmarked by 5pm January 22, 2020 for your application to receive consideration\*\*

Questions? Please contact Joyce Eger at 412-295-3930 or jfe99@pitt.edu