

Pioneer Pacific College 2019 High School Scholarship Program

Pioneer Pacific College will award a total of seven tuition Scholarships to high school seniors graduating by September 20, 2019. Two President's Scholarships of \$2,500 and five Pioneer Success Scholarships of \$1,000 each will be awarded to apply towards the student's tuition in their indicated program of study. The total amount to be awarded by Pioneer Pacific College in 2019 is \$10,000.

Eligibility Requirements

Applicants must be a high school senior at the time of submission and scheduled to graduate no later than September 20, 2019.

Applicants must have a minimum cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 2.5 for the Pioneer Success Scholarships and 3.0 for the President's Scholarship at time of submission. All scholarship applications and required documents must be received by Pioneer Pacific College's Scholarship Committee no later than May 1, 2019. Scholarships are awarded based on a point system. Points are awarded in the following areas:

- a. Essay grammar, punctuation, and ability to relevantly address the essay questions
- b. Cumulative grade point average
- c. Content of letter of recommendation
- d. Accurate completion of the scholarship application
- e. Inclusion of all required documents received by the deadline listed

The Pioneer Pacific College Scholarship Committee may consist of program directors, faculty, and staff. The scholarship committee judges and determines the amount of points each submission receives and selects each scholarship recipient. All decisions by the Scholarship Committee are final.

Entry Requirements

1. Complete the scholarship application form and indicate the program of study for which you are applying. Indicate one program of study.
2. Write an essay containing a minimum of 250 and a maximum of 750 words answering the following questions:
 - a. What are your career goals?
 - b. In what ways will you commit to your education in order to be successful?
 - c. All essays must be original from the applicant.

A minimum of one letter of recommendation from someone unrelated to the applicant (i.e., teacher, academic/career advisor, employer)

4. A current high school transcript from the high school counseling office or registrar showing a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 at the time of submission
5. Scholarship application and all required documents must be submitted in one package or envelope and be received or, if mailed, post marked by the deadline of May 1, 2019
6. All entries must be submitted by mail or in person to:

Pioneer Pacific College
Scholarship Committee
1631 SW Jefferson St.
Portland, OR. 97201

Applicants must submit ALL required documents in order to be eligible for consideration.

Deadlines

All entries must be received by May 1, 2019. Winners will be notified by June 3, 2019 and have until June 19, 2019 to accept the scholarship offer. Offers not accepted by any winner by the June 19, 2019 deadline will be rescinded. Winners will be notified by mail.

Entry Materials

All documents submitted for consideration become the property of Pioneer Pacific College upon receipt.

Scholarship Award Requirements

Scholarships awarded by Pioneer Pacific College may only be used at Pioneer Pacific College. In the event education is terminated either by the student or Pioneer Pacific College the remaining portion of the scholarship will no longer be valid. The scholarship is not redeemable for cash and covers tuition only. The scholarship may not be transferred to any other college or college programs outside of Pioneer Pacific College.

Tuition Scholarships will be awarded as follows:

- Scholarship awards will be disbursed evenly over each term throughout the recipients chosen program. The recipient must enter and maintain active enrollment status at Pioneer Pacific College within the indicated program of study and throughout the duration of their program in order to receive the full scholarship award. Extenuating circumstances beyond a student's control will be determined on a case

by case basis by the Vice President of Admissions.

- Scholarship recipients must meet the admission and acceptance requirements of Pioneer Pacific College. Scholarship recipients must be accepted by Pioneer Pacific College into the specified program of study by the fall term deadline of September 20, 2019. Students who are not accepted into their chosen program of study will be informed of any alternate academic options as determined by the Vice President of Admissions.
- Each Scholarship recipient must begin classes in their program of study no later than September 20, 2019. Otherwise, the scholarship will be rescinded.
- The Scholarship amount awarded may be used toward any Pioneer Pacific College diploma, associate or bachelor degree program.
- The scholarship recipient must achieve a GPA of 2.0 each term in order to maintain the scholarship. Scholarship funds will not be applied toward tuition during any term the students GPA falls below the minimum 2.0 requirement. Disbursement of scholarship funds will not restart until the term GPA is a 2.0.
- Scholarship funds are never retroactive for prior terms.
- The scholarship may be transferred to another Pioneer Pacific College campus location and/or Pioneer Pacific program at the discretion of the Vice President of Admissions.
- Students who change programs should be aware that any change in the number of terms in their program will affect the scholarship amount awarded per term however the original total dollar amount of the scholarship awarded to the student will remain the same. In no case can a scholarship award exceed the total scholarship awarded as listed on the scholarship voucher. Once funds have been posted to a student's account they may not be transferred to a new program. Students who change programs will be limited to the remaining portion of the scholarship.
- Scholarship funds are nontransferable to any other person(s) and may only be applied toward the awarded recipients tuition cost.
- Scholarship funds will be posted to the student's account after grades are posted.