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## About the P.E.O. STAR Scholarship (STAR)

The P.E.O. STAR Scholarship was established in 2009 to provide scholarships for exceptional high school senior women to attend an accredited postsecondary educational institution in the United States or Canada in the next academic year.

### Scholarship

This is a non-renewable \$2,500 scholarship for graduating high school senior women which must be used in the academic year following graduation or it will be forfeited.

## STAR Eligibility Requirements

### Eligibility

A woman is eligible to be recommended for the P.E.O. STAR Scholarship provided she:

- Exhibits excellence in leadership, academics, extracurricular activities, community service and potential for future success
- Has a minimum cumulative unweighted GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale
- Is in the final academic year (senior year) of her secondary education and is 20 years of age or under at the end of the calendar year
- Is a citizen or legal permanent resident of the United States or Canada
- Plans to attend an accredited postsecondary educational institution in the United States or Canada, full-time or part-time, in the fall of the academic year following high school graduation
- Is recommended by and receives the vote of a local P.E.O. chapter

Students interested in applying should send an email indicating their interest and attach their resume to [hslibeck@roadrunner.com](mailto:hslibeck@roadrunner.com) by October 1<sup>st</sup>.

Members of the education committee of the local PEO chapter will review resumes. One candidate will be selected to have their application submitted for consideration by the Kentucky state committee.