

Eastview Elementary PTA Community Service Spirit Scholarship

About the Scholarship:

Eastview Elementary PTA will be awarding *3 scholarships (valued at \$1,000 each)* to ALHS graduating seniors who previously attended Eastview Elementary for at least *3 full years (Grades K-4)* and who have demonstrated a commitment to their community through volunteer service (*) and exhibit a passion for helping others.

(*Volunteer Service = time spent organizing, planning, and executing a service project at school, religious organization, or community)

Eligibility Requirements:

Any child who attended Eastview Elementary School for *3 full years, grades K-4* and who has demonstrated a commitment to their community through volunteer service is eligible for the scholarship.

Requirements:

The full value of this scholarship award must be used for college education expenses and/or college related expenses. By accepting the scholarship, the recipient agrees to complete at least one term of college within one year of graduation from Avon Lake High School.

Application Instructions:

1. Complete the Common Scholarship Form, found in the ALHS Guidance Department replacing the standard essay with the essay topic listed below.
2. Write an essay, approximately *1,000 words*, describing a community service contribution you made within the past 4 years outside of the Avon Lake School System. Your essay should include the following:
 - a. Your inspiration for this act of service
 - b. Your level of involvement and the impact it had on you
 - c. Provide any additional information to show how you went above and beyond in community service either within the city of Avon Lake or elsewhere
3. Provide a letter of recommendation from a Teacher, Coach, or Counselor that is directly involved with activities at ALHS.
4. Provide an additional letter of recommendation from a supervisor with your community service experience.
5. Must provide the contact information for one reference that can attest to your community service.

“In order to qualify for this scholarship, you (the student/applicant), a parent or a guardian, must be a member of the ALHS PTA by end of day (midnight) February 1. To become a member of the Avon Lake PTA, please go to: <https://alhspta.weebly.com/membership.html>, and click the option for the electronic membership form.”