# EXCELLENCE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

**Parent-Teacher Organization (PTO)**

**FOR SENIORS WITH WEIGHTED GPA OF**

**4.2 and HIGHER**

**IMPORTANT:**

**HAVE THE GUIDANCE OFFICE VERIFY YOUR SAT/ACT AND WEIGHTED GPA BEFORE FILLING OUT THIS APPLICATION!**

***You may only apply for one PTO Scholarship.***

**PURPOSE OF SCHOLARSHIP:** Sanderson High School *PTO* awards scholarships to selected applicants for the sole purpose of assisting these individuals in their pursuit of continuing education. Accordingly, the scholarships awarded will only be paid to the winning applicant if he/she has been accepted as a student in any accredited university, college, junior college, community college or technical/trade institute as of December 31st in the year in which the scholarship is awarded. If the winning applicant has not been accepted by this date, the scholarship will be forfeited.

**HOW SCHOLARSHIPS ARE PAID:** Scholarship funds will be awarded to the winning applicant after receipt by the Sanderson *PTO* of documentation indicating that the applicant has been accepted, within time constraints, as a student in any accredited university, college, junior college, community college or technical/trade institute.

**DEADLINE:** Completed applications must be submitted to the Career Center no later than 2:30 PM on **Friday, March 22, 2019**. Under no circumstanceswill applications be accepted after this time and date. Applicants are advised to be aware of this deadline and are encouraged to submit their applications early.

**INTERVIEWS:** Not all applicants may qualify for an interview. Qualifications for an interview will be based on your essay and application. Interviews are before a panel of judges, approximately 10 minutes in length, and will be held after school on **Monday, April 8, 2019**. **This is the ONLY DATE interviews will be conducted.** All applicants will be notified via email if they do or do not qualify for an interview. **Interview schedules will** **also be posted in the** **Career Center by Friday, April 5, 2019 in the morning.** **You are responsible for checking your interview time.** If changes to your interview time are necessary please contact Laura Floyd at laurafloydnc@gmail.com or (919) 801-3961. NO ATTEMPT will be made to locate an applicant who is not present at his/her scheduled time.

**SANDERSON HIGH SCHOOL**

***PTO***

## EXCELLENCE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

**FOR SENIORS WITH WEIGHTED GPA OF 4.2 and HIGHER**

**(ONE SCHOLARSHIP FOR $1,000)**

**Application Deadline: Friday, March 22, 2019 at 2:30 PM**

**Applicant Name:**  \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ \_

 **IMPORTANT: PLEASE HAVE THE GUIDANCE OFFICE COMPLETE THIS SECTION OF THE APPLICATION BEFORE CONTINUING. Any applicant with a weighted GPA that does not fall within the GPA range will automatically be disqualified.**

**STUDENT’S CURRENT CUMULATIVE WEIGHTED GPA:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**SAT: Verbal\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Math\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Writing \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**ACT: Score\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**GUIDANCE OFFICE VERIFICATION: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**APPLICATION FOR EXCELLENCE SCHOLARSHIP**

**TO BE COMPLETED BY STUDENT**

## (Please print legibly or type)

The “Excellence Scholarship” is offered by the Sanderson High School *PTO*. It is designed to reward those students who have excelled in both academic achievement and community involvement during his/her high school years. Extracurricular activities, community service, academic honors and work experience, as well as an essay and interview with the scholarship panel (for those that qualify for an interview), will be taken into account in the designation of the recipient. A student must have a weighted GPA of 4.2 or higher to apply.

STUDENT’S FULL NAME\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

HOME ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

CITY\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_STATE\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ZIP\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

DATE OF BIRTH\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

FATHER’S NAME\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

MOTHER’S NAME\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

GUARDIAN’S NAME (If Applicable) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Phone Numbers: (Home)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

(Work)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Student Contact Number (Mobile):\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

STUDENT E-MAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

I GIVE MY PERMISSION FOR SANDERSON HIGH SCHOOL TO RELEASE MY GPA, SAT AND ACT SCORES TO THE PTO SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE. I CERTIFY THAT ALL INFORMATION GIVEN ON THIS APPLICATION IS CORRECT.

Date:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Applicant’s Signature:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

List your **school-related honors** (A or A/B Honor Roll, Boys State Nominee, Morehead Nominee, Art Award, Varsity Letters earned, etc.) Use a separate sheet if necessary.

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| ***HONOR***  | ***GRADE LEVEL***  |
| **Example:** A Honor Roll, all 4 quarters | 12  |
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List your **school-related activities** (Spanish Club, Key Club, Math Team, Sports, etc) and offices or positions held. Use a separate sheet if necessary. **Organization sponsor must sign the form**.

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| ***ACTIVITY***  | ***POSITION HELD***  | ***GRADE LEVEL***  | ***SPONSOR*** ***SIGNATURE REQUIRED*** ***(No credit will be awarded for activities without a sponsor signature)***  |
| **Example:** Spanish Club  | Treasurer, President, member  | 9, 12  |   |
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***EXCELLENCE SCHOLARSHIP (use if needed from previous page)***

**HONORS RECEIVED:** Please print/type.

**SCHOOL ACTIVITIES:** Please print/type.

List your **out-of-school activities** (include civic and/or religious groups and volunteer work) including any offices you held during your high school years. Be specific with you length and level of participation. Use separate sheet if necessary.

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| ***OUT-OF-SCHOOL ACTIVITIY***  | ***JOB HELD***  | ***LENGTH OF PARTICIPATION***  |
| **Example:** Warmth for Wake  | Wood Chopper  | 3 hrs. per session/once a month for four years  |
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What jobs have you held during the past four years?

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| ***EMPLOYER***  | ***POSITION HELD***  | ***LENGTH OF EMPLOYMENT***  | ***HOURS*** ***PER*** ***WEEK***  | ***GRADE LEVEL***  |
| **Example:** McDonald’s  | Cook  | 2 years  | 20  | 9th/10th  |
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***The information appearing on this application will be kept in strict confidence.***

**EXCELLENCE SCHOLARSHIP ESSAY QUESTION:**

**Tell a story from your life, describing an experience that either demonstrates your character or helped to shape it.**

(You must type your response, use one-inch margins, and not exceed **300 word maximum length**.)