



**SARASOTA  
County Schools**

**Food and Nutrition Services**

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Dear Guidance Counselor,

Each year, the Sarasota County School Nutrition Association awards a \$500.00 scholarship to graduating seniors at each high school who evidence need and scholastic achievement. Please review the attached instructions and application form. For each scholarship application submitted, please be sure to include the following:

- Student Name
- School Attended
- Academic Standing, including transcript to date
- High School Achievements
- Essay (be sure to address each of the following):
  - community and school interests
  - family information
  - reasons for furthering education
  - hopes for the future

Please note that the application for this year has been updated and all previous applications should be discarded.

Remember, to be considered, each application packet must be received by April 10, 2020. If you have any questions, please contact your school's Manager of Food and Nutrition Services.

Sincerely,

Sara S. Dan, MBA, RD  
Director of Food and Nutrition Services

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2019 - 2020

Sarasota County School Nutrition Association Award

One \$500.00 Scholarship Award will be given to a graduating senior from each of the following seven eligible high schools:

Booker, North Port, Pine View, Riverview, Sarasota, Venice,  
Suncoast Polytechnical  
Total of seven \$500.00 scholarships

Applications are available at Guidance Counselors' offices, on the district website (FNS page) or by calling Food and Nutrition Services, 486-2199.

To be eligible, applicants must have a minimum 3.5 grade-point average, a completed application and a written essay giving the following information:

- a) Academic standing and high school achievements
- b) Community and School interests
- c) Family background (If a family member is a food service employee, please indicate)
- c) Reasons for furthering education and hopes for the future

When submitting an application, applicant should indicate the name of his/her high school and a copy of his/her school transcript to date.

A committee from the Sarasota County School Nutrition Association will choose scholarship recipients. Winners will be notified by their school Food and Nutrition Manager and scholarships will be awarded at our Sarasota County School Nutrition Association Banquet held in May.

Application, essay and transcript must be submitted to applicant's school's Food and Nutrition Services Manager – or mailed to the address below:

Food and Nutrition Services  
Attention: Scholarships  
101 Old Venice Road  
Osprey, FL 34229

**Application Deadline is April 10, 2020**

SARASOTA COUNTY SCHOOL NUTRITION ASSOCIATION  
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION 2019-2020

Please complete all sections of this application, attach a copy of your school transcript to date, and essay, and submit to your school's Food & Nutrition Services Manager or mail to the Food and Nutrition Services Central Office by April 10, 2020.

1. PERSONAL INFORMATION

Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_  
Social Security# \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City and State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

2. EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION

High School you are attending \_\_\_\_\_  
Unweighted GPA \_\_\_\_\_ Weighted GPA \_\_\_\_\_  
Class Rank \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Students in class \_\_\_\_\_  
SAT Score: Verbal \_\_\_\_\_ Math \_\_\_\_\_ ACT Composite \_\_\_\_\_  
Note: Must have a minimum of a 3.5 unweighted GPA to qualify for a scholarship.

3. COLLEGE INFORMATION

College choices \_\_\_\_\_  
Intended major \_\_\_\_\_  
Career goal \_\_\_\_\_

4. EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

A. SCHOOL INVOLVEMENT – On a separate sheet, list all high school activities in which you have participated. Indicate leadership positions. (Example: Student Government, Drama, ROTC, Key Club, etc.)

B. ATHLETIC ACTIVITIES – On a separate sheet, list all high school sports in which you have participated. Indicate leadership positions.

C. COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT – On a separate sheet, list all outside activities in which you have participated while attending high school. Indicate leadership positions. (Examples: Church groups, hospital volunteer, hobbies, etc.)

5. AWARDS

On a separate sheet, list any awards or special recognitions that you have received while attending high school. (Example: Honor Roll, National Honor Society, Who's Who, Player of the Week, etc.)

6. Submit application and essay to your School's Food & Nutrition Services manager or mail completed application and essay to:

Food and Nutrition Services  
Attention: Scholarships  
101 Old Venice Road  
Osprey, Florida 34229

I acknowledge that the information submitted is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge.

Applicant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Parent or Guardian's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**NAME OF SCHOLARSHIP/FUND/LOAN/PROGRAM**

Sarasota County School Nutrition Association

**ELIGIBILITY/DEADLINES**

School Nutrition Association will distribute applications to high school guidance offices at the beginning of February.

Deadline April 10, 2020.

**SCHOOLS ELIGIBLE TO PARTICIPATE**

Booker, North Port, Pine View, Riverview, Sarasota, Venice, Suncoast Polytechnical.

**HOW AWARDED/AMOUNT**

One graduating senior from each of the eligible schools will receive a \$500 award. The application must be completed in its entirety to be considered for the award.

**CONTACT PERSON/AGENCY**

Submit to your school's Food & Nutrition Manager  
OR  
Food and Nutrition Services  
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