Walpole Scholarship Foundation Application



Checklist High School - 5th Year High School (PG year) Student

Be sure to read all instructions carefully and have required information available before you begin the online application.

DEADLINE FOR RECEIPT OF APPLICATIONS: Friday, February 9, 2018, 11:59 p.m.

- Students entering a 5th year of high school (also called a post-graduate or PG year) are not eligible for a Walpole Scholarship Foundation award.
- ❖ Students currently in a 5th year of high school or post-graduate year (PG year) and entering college (post-secondary program) in the fall of 2018 are eligible to apply. Students will be evaluated along with the rest of the high school graduates and must submit all high school transcripts.

☐ Walpole Scholarship Foundation (WSF) High School online application and essay

o Filled out by applicant with all questions answered.

Information uploaded by you to WSF online application:

- ☐ Official SAT or ACT Score Report
 - o SAT or ACT scores from the appropriate website provide best scores. This report <u>must include your</u> full name. (See examples on WSF website.)
- ☐ First page of the 2018-2019 FAFSA Student Aid Report (SAR)
 - ➤ We recommend you file your FAFSA by January 29, 2018 to allow the Department of Education processing time to generate your SAR by WSF's deadline (2/9/18).
 - ➤ FAFSA is accessible October 1, 2017 if your 2017 financial information is not available, you may use estimates based on 2016.
 - o Page 1 of your SAR showing your <u>name</u>, <u>address</u>, <u>and EFC</u>. (See example on WSF website.)
 - You may blacken out any other information.
 - o See separate instructions for filling out FAFSA on the WSF website.

<u>Information you request your Guidance Department to upload to WSF online application:</u>

- ➤ The request is generated from within the WSF online application.
- We recommend you allow two weeks for processing.

☐ Official, Certified High School Transcript from the current year

- You will provide the name and email address of the Guidance staff member who will upload your transcript into the online application.
- ☐ Official, certified copy of all other High School Transcripts
 - Your school(s) should email the transcript(s) to Jana Morra at <u>imorra@walpolescholarshipfoundaton.org</u>.
- ☐ Letter of Reference from Guidance Counselor or Teacher
 - You will provide the name and email address of the Guidance staff member who will upload your current reference into the online application.

All financial information will be confidential.

Strict confidentiality will be observed in dealing with all financial information. The only financial information made available to the entire Scholarship Selection Committee will be the amount of "expected family contribution (EFC)."