

## The PHWB Grants/Financial Aid Application 2023-24

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Applicants are to submit (1) a complete Scholarship Application, (2) the required essay. Send complete application packet, **by email** no later than **April 15, 2024**, to:

[grants@careersourcepascohernando.com](mailto:grants@careersourcepascohernando.com)

All applicants are required to be Pasco or Hernando County residents. If selected for funding, it is a requirement to be fully registered at [employflorida.com](http://employflorida.com).

Funding is available on a first come, first serve basis to those who meet the eligibility criteria listed for each category.

Funding is limited and once exhausted, requests will no longer be accepted.

A 500-word essay describing course of study and/or employment related need for financial assistance, indicating hardship, and whether it is for training or supportive services.

Applicants' hardship should be made clear in essay to be considered for assistance:  
Examples of hardship might include:

- Financial Need
- Non-traditional student returning to college/technical school
- Current graduating HS senior or dual enrolled (HS/College)
- Basic Skills Deficient or ELL
- Offender
- Homeless or Runaway
- In or Aged out of Foster Care
- Pregnant or parenting
- Disability

Refer to Policy referenced at the following link:

<https://www.careersourcepascohernando.com/employment-resources>

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Full Legal Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address (if different): \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**For which scholarship are you applying?** *An individual may submit separate applications for both scholarships but no one individual will be awarded both scholarships.*

\_\_\_\_\_ Training

\_\_\_\_\_ Employment

**Describe yourself: Education Assistance** *Check all that apply.*

\_\_\_\_\_ Graduating high school senior entering classes at (Institution and date of training) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Non-traditional student returning to college

\_\_\_\_\_ Current student at \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Dual enrollment student

**Planned Course of Study:** *Check only one.*

\_\_\_\_\_ Construction      \_\_\_\_\_ Manufacturing      \_\_\_\_\_ Healthcare      \_\_\_\_\_ Retail Trade

\_\_\_\_\_ IT      \_\_\_\_\_ Finance      \_\_\_\_\_ Transportation & Warehousing

**Describe yourself: Employment/ Supportive Services Assistance** *Check all that apply.*

\_\_\_\_\_ Employment related needs (tools, limited auto repair, uniforms, tools, additional fees needed for training or supplies)

\_\_\_\_\_ Certificate or skills upgrade

**Grade Point Average (GPA):** *List past and current school and GPA, as applicable.*

Name of Past School: \_\_\_\_\_ GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Current School: \_\_\_\_\_ GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

**Applicant Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_