



Richmond Chapter

High School Scholarship Fall 2020 Guidelines

Purpose: The Richmond CPCU Society Chapter awards scholarships to college-bound high school seniors based on an expected interest in pursuing a business degree. Consideration will be given based on academic and extracurricular achievements and application responses.

Criteria: Eligible students must be graduating high school seniors who reside in the Greater Richmond Region and intend to continue their education at a Virginia two or four-year college or university with the intent to enroll in a business degree program.

Students should submit the scholarship application as well as the following to be considered:

- Transcript (Official or Unofficial)
- Results from completion of the Career Planning Wizard on Insure My Path:
www.insuremypath.org/career-planning-tools/career-wizard
- Responses to the following short essay questions (250 words or less):
 1. Describe your My Path results. How does your My Path career differ from your desired career?
 2. My Path lists five reasons why insurance matters. How has insurance impacted your life?
For example, does health insurance help your family financially? Did someone you know file an insurance claim for an accident? Do you know someone who works in the insurance industry?
www.insuremypath.org/careers-in-insurance/why-work-in-insurance/why-does-insurance-matter
 3. What is the CPCU designation and what are the benefits of continuing education?
www.cpcusociety.org
 4. Why should you be considered for this scholarship?

Amount: Each scholarship awarded will be a minimum of \$750.00 to be paid in one payment. Funds will be dispersed to recipients via their selected university or college and are to be used for tuition, room and board. This scholarship is not renewable. Previous scholarship recipients cannot re-apply.

Deadline: The application deadline is October 15, 2020. The deadline is the date after which applications will no longer be accepted. Postmark will be used to determine mailed entries. Recipients will be notified by November 16, 2020 via email and scholarships will be awarded at the 2021 RISC TRENDS conference.

Questions:

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Please submit applications by October 15, 2020:

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