



**2019-2020
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Please print legibly;

Name	Name of College you will attend		
Address of Student			
Phone Number for student	E-Mail Address		
Name and address of school you are currently attending?			
Union Affiliation include name and Local #	union member	relationship	Signature of Local Union Official

I am applying for the following: **NWPAA ALF Scholarship** **David A. Bielski Educational Scholarship** **Dr. David Ferster Educational Scholarship**

Complete: this application, a 500-word essay/s in MS Word (on the appropriate question/s) and mail to NWPAA ALF 1276 Liberty St. Ste 2, Franklin, PA 16323 or email copies of both to nwpaalf@gmail.com. The deadline for the receipt of the essay/s and application is Monday, April 15th.

**2019-2020
Scholarships
Essay Contest**



Scholarship Sponsors:

- David A Bielski,**
 - Diane Walsh,**
 - Butler County CLC,**
 - David & Lizz Bielski,**
 - Clearfield-Elk-Cameron-
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- All of those who purchased our
fundraising tickets!**

Essay Contests for 2019-2020 NWPFA Area Labor Federation Scholarships

The NWPFA ALF offers three (3) different scholarships. The purpose of our Scholarships is to offer an opportunity for a member and/or their dependents of affiliated local unions of the NWPFA ALF to earn a scholarship by winning the essay contest. Our questions are designed to make the applicants learn more about the labor movement and plan for their place in society after graduation from college.

What Are The Eligibility Requirements?

All award recipients must be a union member, dependent of a union member or grandchild of a union member in good standing of a local union affiliated with the NWPFA ALF and enrolled in an accredited degree program at a system of higher education for the 2019-2020 school year.

NWPFA ALF Scholarship applicants must be a **graduating Senior**.

David A. Bielski Educational Scholarship applicants must be a full-time **post-secondary student**.

Dr. David Ferster Educational Scholarship applicants must be a full-time **post-secondary student at Edinboro University**.

Scholarship Awards

The winners of all three scholarships receive an award of \$500.00.

How Can You Apply?

To apply, you must write a 500 word essay on the topic specified in the section of this brochure titled "Essay Topics" for the Scholarship you are eligible to receive. Essays with fewer than 500 words will be disqualified.

- ◆ Essays must be typed in MS Word and void of identification. Your essay must address the question for your scholarship, as it appears in this brochure. (Tip: Use the question as your title to keep you focused.)
- ◆ Email your MS Word file containing your essay and a scanned in PDF copy your completed application form to nwpaalf@gmail.com or mail to the address below. Email confirmations will be sent to confirm receipt of your application and essay.
- ◆ Essays and applications MUST BE RECEIVED by the deadline of **Monday, April 15th**.
- ◆ Presentation will be at our June 2019 Meeting.

Direct Questions & Send Your Essay To:

Rosann Barker, Director
NWPFA Area Labor Federation, AFL-CIO
1276 Liberty St. Ste. 2
Franklin, PA 16323

Phone: 814-360-8336
E-mail: nwpaalf@gmail.com

Essay Topics

NWPFA ALF Scholarship
(**Graduating Senior** in any system of Higher Education)

What does "Dignity At Work" mean to you?

David A. Bielski Educational Scholarship
(**Post Secondary student** in any system of Higher Education)

Politics at every level affects every aspect of our lives, since 2008 we have seen an upsurge in youth involvement in politics. Briefly describe: why you think this happened, is it sustainable, what is the next step for your generation and how can we help?

Dr. David Ferster Educational Scholarship
(**Post Secondary Student** attending Edinboro University of PA)

What role has Labor played in Social Justice Movements of the past and/or present day?

Note: A Post Secondary Student is someone continuing their education past their first year of college. (i.e. Sophomore in college until graduation from college)