

# John E. Burke Elementary School PTO

127 Birch Street Peabody Massachusetts 01960

January 2018

Dear Guidance Department,

The John E. Burke Elementary School, Parent-Teacher Organization, is offering two \$500.00 scholarships to help graduating high school students, ***formally of the John E. Burke Elementary School***, defray the costs of post-secondary education.

Two scholarships will be awarded to the top-two rated applicants. Students of any nationality, race and creed...are encouraged to apply.

The following criteria will be used to determine the winners of the awards:

- Scholastic Achievement
- Extra-curricular Activities
- Civic Responsibilities
- Economic Need

Please distribute the enclosed application to qualified and interested students. The Completed application must be returned by April 20, 2018 to:

John E. Burke School  
127 Birch Street  
Peabody, MA 01960  
Attention: Vice President PTO

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Kelly Taylor  
Burke PTO Vice President

Cc: Lacey Becotte

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**Application must be returned to the Burke School by April 20, 2018**

**Please submit your answers to questions 3-6 on a separate piece of paper and attach it to the application.**

The following items must be included with the application:

- Your Transcript

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

1. College or school you plan to attend in the fall of 2018:

\_\_\_\_\_

2. Field of future study/concentration:

\_\_\_\_\_

3. Extra-Curricular Activities/Work Experience: Details of activities, which you have been involved with since middle school, including sports programs, clubs, or positions held (class officer/representative)

4. Civic Responsibilities: Detail any activity in which you volunteered your time to an agency or club in the community. Include assistance provided at hospitals for children with special needs, youth organizations, and other community agencies.

5. On one page, please describe your personal, educational, and career goals. If applicable, indicate any special family or other circumstances of which the scholarship should be aware of.

6. Submit the following essay. How has your experience at the Burke School help shape you into who you are today?

**\*Scholarship is contingent on successful honorary completion of the school year.**