| FTOP - 60 | DPPD - 65 |
|---|---|
| $ | $ |
| Total $ | |

**Office use only**

Date Received:_____Time:_____Initial: _____

Household Number:_____Application Number:_____Review Date:_____

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## Confidential

# Dual Agency Financial Aid Scholarship Application
# Application Acceptance Period Starts: January 4 until funds are exhausted.

In collaboration, the **Des Plaines Friends of the Parks Scholarship** Fund and **The Des Plaines Park District Scholarship** Fund offer dual agency financial aid scholarships to families with limited incomes who would like to participate in Des Plaines Park District programming.

## Eligibility

**Des Plaines Park District Scholarship Recipient Requirements:**

- Must reside within the Des Plaines Park District taxing boundaries.
- Family and/or Household total annual gross income must fall within qualifications guidelines.
- One scholarship, per family, per calendar year.

**Des Plaines Friends of the Parks Scholarship Recipient Requirements:**

- Must be under the age of 18 or currently enrolled at Maine West High School.
- Must reside within the Des Plaines Park District taxing boundaries, **OR** currently enrolled in a district 62 school, or Maine West High School.
- Family and/or Household total annual gross income must fall within qualifications guidelines.
- One scholarship, per family, per calendar year.

## How to Apply

1. Complete the Scholarship Application form in its entirety.
2. Attach proof of residency and/or school enrollment to application. (May include a government issued ID, lease agreement, current utility bill or current year school registration document to a district 62 school, or Maine West High School).
3. Attach proof of income including the most recent year 1040 Tax Form, with schedule C for individuals with sole proprietorships. Additional disclosures must be made under "Applicant Information." Failure to disclosure will legally allow the Park District to recover scholarship funds from the recipient and may result in future ineligibility. (Social or school agency referral letters may be used in lieu of a tax form on a case-by-case basis)
4. Applications and supporting documents must be delivered in person or mailed to the Administrative & Leisure Center; 2222 Birch Street, Des Plaines, IL 60018 or emailed to Scholarships@DPParks.org. Please redact any social security numbers.

## Response

- Applicants will receive a response, via email, with an attached letter, regarding approval or denial of the scholarship request, within 14 business days of application receipt.

**Incomplete or illegible applications will not be accepted.**

**Program Registration**

- Program Registration should be done in person, at the Administrative and Leisure Center, 2222 Birch Street. Accommodations may be made for registration over the phone.
- **Deadline for using scholarship funds is November 15th, 2027.**
- All scholarship funds remaining on household account will be forfeited as of November 16th, 2027.

## Applicant Information must match all submitted documentation

Applicant's First Name:_____Last Name: _____

Home Address:_____

City:_____State:_____Zip: _____

Primary Number:_____Email Address: _____

## Dependent/Scholarship Recipient Information must match all submitted documentation

| Dependent First Name | Dependent Last Name | Dependent Birth Date |
|---|---|---|
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## Additional Household Contributing Members, and/or Contributing Guardians Living at a Separate Location From Scholarship Recipient

| First Name | Last Name | Income Documentation Attached? |
|---|---|---|
| | | ☐ Yes ☐ No |
| | | ☐ Yes ☐ No |
| | | ☐ Yes ☐ No |

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## Annual Household Income Report

| Income Type | Amount | Documentation Attached? |
|---|---|---|
| Gross Wages Per 1040 | $ | ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A |
| Child Support Payments | $ | ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A |
| Social Security Payments | $ | ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A |
| Unemployment Payments | $ | ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A |
| Pension Payments | $ | ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A |
| SNAP | $ | ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A |
| IDHS Cash Payments | $ | ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A |
| Family Support | $ | ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A |
| Rental Income | $ | ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A |
| **Total Annual Income** | $ | |

**Terms and Conditions**

- I attest that all information provided in this application is true and accurate. Falsification of application may result in recovery of funds and ineligibility for future financial assistance.
- Additional information may be requested during application review.
- All information submitted on this application is confidential and is not a matter of public records of the Des Plaines Friends of the Parks or the Des Plaines Park District.
- I agree to notify the park district immediately if I no longer need the funds.
- I understand that the last day to use any financial aid is **November 15th, 2027.**
- Violation of any of the dual agency financial aid scholarship terms and conditions may result in loss of current and future financial aid.
- Applicants will be notified within 2 weeks of submitting complete application.
- Program registration is a separate procedure and is based on availability.
- I understand that scholarship funds may not be used for the following programs and activities: Prairie Lake Fitness Memberships and day passes, personal training, ALC fitness memberships, Prairie Lakes Aquatic Center memberships and day passes, Mystic Waters, Arndt and Chippewa Pool passes, Golf Center, Mountain View Adventure Center, Lake Park Golf and Marina, special events, birthday parties, facility rentals, private lessons, Lakeview Center programming, adult trips and travel camps.

Applicant's Signature:_____Date_____

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## Friends of the Park Financial Aid Thresholds

Ranges (Family Total)

| 1 person family | Min | Max |
|---|---|---|
| $600 | $0 | $20,345 |
| $500 | $20,346 | $22,380 |
| $400 | $22,381 | $24,617 |
| $300 | $24,618 | $27,079 |
| $200 | $27,080 | $29,787 |

| 2 person family | Min | Max |
|---|---|---|
| $600 | $0 | $27,495 |
| $500 | $27,496 | $30,245 |
| $400 | $30,244 | $33,269 |
| $300 | $33,270 | $36,596 |
| $200 | $36,597 | $40,255 |

| 3 person family | Min | Max |
|---|---|---|
| $600 | $0 | $34,645 |
| $500 | $34,646 | $38,110 |
| $400 | $38,111 | $41,920 |
| $300 | $41,921 | $46,112 |
| $200 | $46,111 | $50,724 |

| 4 person family | Min | Max |
|---|---|---|
| $600.00 | $0 | $41,795 |
| $500.00 | $41,796 | $45,975 |
| $400.00 | $45,976 | $50,572 |
| $300.00 | $50,630 | $55,629 |
| $200.00 | $55,630 | $61,192 |

| 5 person family | Min | Max |
|---|---|---|
| $600.00 | $0 | $48,945 |
| $500.00 | $48,946 | $53,840 |
| $400.00 | $53,841 | $59,223 |
| $300.00 | $59,224 | $65,146 |
| $200.00 | $65,147 | $71,660 |

| 6 person family | Min | Max |
|---|---|---|
| $600.00 | $0 | $56,095 |
| $500.00 | $56,096 | $61,705 |
| $400.00 | $61,706 | $67,875 |
| $300.00 | $67,876 | $74,662 |
| $200.00 | $74,663 | $82,129 |

## Des Plaines Park District Financial Aid Thresholds

Ranges (Family Total)

| 1 person family | Min | Max |
|---|---|---|
| $500 | $0 | $20,345 |
| $400 | $20,346 | $22,380 |
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