



***The Eastern Pennsylvania Chapter of The Ninety-Nines, Inc.
Scholarship Information***

In commemoration of their 50th anniversary in 1992, the Eastern Pennsylvania Chapter of The Ninety-Nines, Inc. established aviation/aerospace scholarships that are awarded annually in June.

These scholarships are traditionally awarded to those females who reside, attend school, or are employed in the Greater Delaware Valley, or who are members of the Eastern Pennsylvania Chapter of The Ninety-Nines, Inc. The scholarship awards may be used for any aviation purpose, and all qualified applicants will be seriously considered.

The Eastern Pennsylvania Chapter of The Ninety-Nines, Inc. is part of an organization of licensed women pilots represented in over 40 countries. Our purpose is to engage in educational, charitable, and scientific activities, and to promote aeronautical science.

Applications and instructions can be downloaded from our website: www.epa99s.org.

APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY 6:00 P.M APRIL 30, 2016.
ELECTRONIC SUBMISSIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.

PLEASE MAIL ORIGINAL AND 3 COPIES VIA U.S. POSTAL SERVICE TO:

**Mary Ellen Morris
1331 Troon Lane
West Chester, PA 19380**



SCHOLARSHIP AWARD CRITERIA

1. Applicant must reside, attend school, or be employed in the Greater Delaware Valley, or be a member of The Eastern Pennsylvania Chapter of The Ninety-Nines, Inc.
2. Applicant must be at least 16 years old at the time of application. There is no age limit.
3. Applicant must be available for a personal interview with the Scholarship Committee if requested.
4. Applicant must submit and sign the Scholarship Application and the Scholarship Award Attestation. If under 18, parent/guardian must also sign.
5. **Applications sent via E-mail will not be considered.**
6. Although the award may be used for any aviation purpose, it must be used for the purpose specified in the Scholarship Application.
7. If award is to be used for flight training, it must be used at a certified flight school.

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION CHECKLIST

1. COMPLETED SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM (**PLUS 3 COPIES**) must be typewritten or printed legibly.
2. A separate sheet (item 10) must accompany the form, explaining goals and interests (**PLUS 3 COPIES**).
3. Two letters of recommendation from non-family members must accompany the form (**PLUS 3 COPIES**).
4. **ALL PARTS OF THE COMPLETED SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION, THE SCHOLARSHIP AWARD ATTESTATION, AND LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION MUST BE RECEIVED BY 6:00 P.M. ON APRIL 30.**

SCHOLARSHIP AWARD REQUIREMENTS

- A. Return one copy of the *Scholarship Award Letter to Recipient* with your signature immediately after receiving it.
- B. Send a color head shot photo and brief biographical statement of 200 words or less within two weeks of the formal Scholarship Awards Dinner.
- C. Use the funds solely for the specific purpose stated on the Scholarship Application and according to the terms stated in the Scholarship Award Letter for Recipient.
- D. Use the scholarship award within one year of the formal Scholarship Awards Dinner.
- E. Communicate training status to the Scholarship Chairman in writing or via email, and provide timely notification of changes to personal contact information. Upon completion of the use of the scholarship award, present a report in writing to the Scholarship Chairman or orally at a chapter meeting regarding status and training accomplishments.
- F. Attend at least one Eastern Pennsylvania Chapter of The Ninety-Nines, Inc. meeting within a year of the Scholarship Dinner.

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION SUBMISSION

The completed and signed Scholarship Application and the three copies must be mailed via USPS to:

Mary Ellen Morris, Trustee, Scholarship Committee
Eastern Pennsylvania Chapter of The Ninety-Nines, Inc.
1331 Troon Lane
West Chester PA 19380



Scholarship Application

1. Name _____ Over 16 yrs. old? ____ yes ____ no
2. Mailing Address: If PO Box please also show physical home address

3. E-mail _____
4. Phone: (home) _____ (cell) _____ (work) _____
5. Parents' or Guardians' Names and Addresses (if applicant is under 18 yrs. old):

6. Are you currently employed? _____ If yes, part-time _____ full time _____ (check one)
7. Aviation History (Ratings/Hours):

8. Please state your specific purpose for the use of this scholarship: _____

9. Please estimate the cost of the stated purpose above: _____
10. a). On a separate sheet please explain your aviation your goals, and what you have done to achieve or lay the foundation to achieve those goals.
b). Please address your financial need for this scholarship. Is this scholarship an immediate means to an end, or a stepping stone towards your goals? If given this scholarship how will you continue forward momentum, or will your goals be delayed when the award has been used?
11. Please include two letters of recommendation from non-family members (e.g. teacher, person in aviation who knows you, current or former employer, guidance counselor, clergy, etc.). If you are a student pilot or a licensed pilot, at least one of the recommendation letters must be from your CFI, flight school connection or other aviation-involved person.
12. Please submit original and 3 copies of all documents via USPS mail to Mary Ellen Morris whose address is on the cover page. Application and all paperwork must be received by 6:00 P.M. on April 30th 2016.

Neither the Eastern PA Chapter of The Ninety-Nines, Inc., the Mid-Atlantic Section of the The Ninety-Nines, Inc., nor their members, agents, or representatives are responsible for the quality of any training received with this scholarship, nor for any accident, incident, or any other event which may occur while the recipient of this scholarship is performing flight training or activities.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the information I have given is true and correct.

Signed _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian if under 18 yrs. old _____ Date _____



SCHOLARSHIP AWARD ATTESTATION

By my signature below, I certify that:

1. I meet all eligibility requirements for the Eastern Pennsylvania Chapter of The Ninety-Nines Scholarship.
2. My Scholarship Application reflects an honest appraisal of my ability to complete the goal stated.
3. My Scholarship Application is complete, true, and correct in every respect.
4. I understand that any misrepresentation, concealment, or omission of required information will result in disqualification and withdrawal of remaining scholarship award.
5. I understand that no reimbursement will be made for travel/food/lodging expenses associated with training.
6. I understand that no payment will be made before the Scholarship Chairman has received the returned signed Scholarship Award Letter for Recipient signifying agreement to the stated terms of the award
7. I assume full responsibility for meeting all deadlines and tracking the progress of my Scholarship Application through the review and selection process.

I further certify that, if awarded an Eastern Pennsylvania Chapter of The Ninety-Nines Scholarship, I will:

- A. Return the signed *Scholarship Award Letter to Recipient* via D.S. Postal Service immediately after receiving it.
- B. Send a color head shot photo and brief biographical statement of 200 words or less within two weeks of the formal Scholarship Awards Dinner.
- C. Use the funds solely for the specific purpose stated on my Scholarship Application.
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- F. Attend at least one Eastern Pennsylvania Chapter of The Ninety-Nines meeting within one year of the Scholarship Dinner.

A signed copy of this Scholarship Award Attestation must accompany the completed Eastern Pennsylvania Chapter of The Ninety-Nines Scholarship Application.

Scholarship Award Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____