

**Craig Speziale Memorial Scholarship Application**

The Craig Speziale Memorial Scholarship is awarded annually to a graduating senior of Ponte Vedra High School who has been accepted into an accredited college or university. In selecting the successful candidate, the review committee will consider the following:

1. Academics
2. Community Service
3. Extracurricular Activities/Athletics
4. PVHS Ambassadorship

The Craig Speziale Memorial Scholarship will be in the amount of **$2,500**. All applicants must have at minimum of a 3.4 grade point average (**un-weighted**) and plan to attend an accredited post-secondary institution on a full time basis. This scholarship rewards and encourages students who demonstrate leadership qualities, a commitment to their community and the “Spirit of Spez” pursuit of excellence. Verification of enrollment from the institution must be received by The Community Foundation for Northeast Florida before funds will be released. **NOTE:** ***Checks will be made payable to the student and University jointly.***

This application, a copy of your transcript (through fall 2016), and a **sealed** envelope containing Two (2) teacher/counselor recommendation must be **post marked by March 21, 2017 and returned to:**

**The Community Foundation for Northeast Florida**

**245 Riverside Ave, Suite 310**

**Jacksonville, FL 32202**

 If selected as a finalist, you will be notified by a committee selection member.

**STUDENT INFORMATION**

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1. Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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2. Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Street City State/ Zip

3. Home Telephone Number: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Sex: M/F \_\_\_\_\_\_ Birth date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

5. Name of the school in which you plan to enroll (if scholarship is awarded): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Have you been accepted? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (If so, copy of acceptance letter)

6. High School currently attending:

GPA: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Weighted GPA: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**FINANCIAL INFORMATION: If you are a dependent student, please have your parents complete this section of the form** **OR attach a current FAFSA Student Aid Report (SAR)**

1. Household income:

 \_\_\_40,000-60,000 \_\_\_60,000-800,000 \_\_\_80,000-100,000 \_\_\_over 100,000

2. Please list other sources and amounts of income or financial aid (including scholarships, etc.) which the student has applied, receives or been awarded: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**FAMILY INFORMATION- List ALL members of household including adults**

**Name Age School/College Attending Year in Relationship to**

  **School Student**

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**ACTIVITIES:** **Using only the space provided below**, please list PVHS extracurricular activities, work experience and school athletics in which you have participated in during your tenure at PVHS

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| **List your involvement in PVHS****Activities, Athletics Work & Experience**  | **9** | **10** | **11** | **12** | **Identify Leadership Level or Position** |
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**COMMUNITY SERVICE:** **Using only the space provided below**, please list volunteer activities in which you have participated in during your tenure at PVHS

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| **Service Hours** | **Brief Description or Name of Service Project/Organization** |
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**Community Service Verification**

**Please have school designee complete this section**

Hours Earned:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

School Personnel Verification:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 Printed Name Signature

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**PERSONAL STATEMENT:** The purpose of the Personal Statement is to give the Selection Committee members an opportunity to learn more about you and your educational goals.*(must be 12 point type, double spaced and not limited to 2 pages, otherwise it will not be considered for submission to the committee)*

**Please include the following in your statement:**

1. **Your Educational Goals.**
2. **How you exemplify the “Spirit of Spez”.**

**CERTIFICATION**

***I certify that the above facts are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand that I am subject to scholarship forfeiture in the event the above facts are found to be falsified.***

**Student Signature: *\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_***

***Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_***

Finalists will be notified by a selection committee member of interview date. Interviews will be conducted afterschool in the PVHS media center.

**Committee Member Checklist**

* ***Postmarked by March 21, 2017***
* ***Sealed Transcript***
* ***Two Letters of Recommendation***
* ***Max. 2-page Personal Statement***
* ***Community Service Verification***
* ***Copy of College acceptance Letter if applicable***

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