

**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:

* Academics
* Community Service
* Extracurricular Activities/Athletics
* 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, acceptance letter from university (if applicable) and **sealed** envelope containing Two (2) teacher/counselor recommendation must be **post marked by March 9 , 2020 and mailed 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 you plan to attend \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Have you been accepted? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (attach copy of acceptance letter)

6. Academics:

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

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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:

\_\_\_Below $60K \_\_\_$60K-$80K \_\_\_80K-100K \_\_\_over $100,000

2. Please list other sources and amounts of income or financial aid (including scholarships, bright futures etc.) which the student has applied, will receive 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.*(must be 12 point type, double spaced and* ***limited to 2 pages****, otherwise it will not be considered for submission to the committee)*

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

1. **Your Educational Goals.**
2. **What the “Spirit of Spez” legacy means to you.**

**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.***

Please attach

photo here

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

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

* Finalists will be notified by a committee member of interview date.
* Interviews will be conducted afterschool at PVHS location TBD.

**Checklist**

* ***Postmarked by February 15, 2020***
* ***Two teacher/counselor Letters of Recommendation (sealed)***
* ***Max. 2-page Personal Statement (12pt)***
* ***Community Service Verification***
* ***Copy of College acceptance Letter if applicable***

**Mail to:**

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