

## **NCSU Park Scholarship Information**

The GMHS Scholarship committee will select two candidates to nominate for this scholarship who fall within the following parameters:

- Minimum SAT score of 1200 and/or minimum ACT score of 25
- Minimum 4.0 weighted GPA
- Minimum four AP classes or IB curriculum

NCSU plans to award approximately 35 Park Scholarships. The four-year award is valued over \$100,000 for North Carolina residents.

Park Scholars are selected based on four criteria: scholarship, leadership, service and character. More details can be found on the Park Scholarships Web site, [park.ncsu.edu](http://park.ncsu.edu).

If you do not fall within the afore-mentioned parameters **or** if you fall within these parameters, but are eventually not selected as a GMHS nominee, you may self-nominate by visiting the Park Scholarship website under the Apply tab.

All applicants (school nominees and self-nominated) for the Park Scholarship must complete an online application to NCSU **and** their Park Scholarship application by **October 15, 2018**.

If you would like the GMHS Scholarship Committee to consider your qualifications for the Park Scholarship and you fall within the parameters listed above, **please submit the application materials (in hard copy) below. Emailed applications will not be accepted.**

All materials are due to Counselor Mrs. Davidson **by 2:30pm on Wednesday, 9/12/2018. Please submit materials in the order outlined below.**

### **NCSU Park Scholarship Preliminary Information**

The GMHS Scholarship Committee will review the applications and Counselor Stacy Davidson will e-mail you at your **WCPSS student email address** with the committee's recommendations.

**Please submit your application in the following order to Counselor Mrs. Davidson by 2:30pm on 9/12/18. Applications must be submitted in hard copy, no emailed applications will be accepted.**

1. **CHARACTER – One Page Only** – Write a short (no more than one page, double-spaced) essay on the following topic. Include your name at the top of the page.
  - a. Introduce yourself to the scholarship committee and explain the qualities that make up your character.
2. **LEADERSHIP - One Page Only** - Write a short (no more than one page, double-spaced) essay on the following topic. Include your name at the top of the page.
  - a. What sets you apart as a leader in your school or community? You may consider a range of experiences as a whole or select one experience.
3. **SERVICE - One Page Only** - Submit a list of your activities that attests to your service roles in school and community activities. Include a list of all of your volunteer activities in the community and school. Include your name at the top of the page.
4. **SCHOLARSHIP –** Submit a copy of all of your SAT scores. You may print this out from your College Board account. Include your name at the top of each page.
  - a. A copy of your ACT scores (if taken at GMHS as a junior) and your transcript will be submitted to the scholarship committee on your behalf.
  - b. It is the student's responsibility to submit any additional ACT scores.