



CORE PHILLY SCHOLARSHIP COLLEGE
ADVISER'S TIP SHEET

- ⌚ **The Scholarship is only available for Philadelphia residents receiving a high school diploma in 2007.**
- ⌚ **An applicant must complete a 2007 – 2008 FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) to eligible for a CORE Philly Scholarship** – The applicant does not have to be eligible for a Pell grant or PHEAA state in order to receive a CORE Philly Scholarship. Every applicant that attends one of the CORE Philly colleges or universities will receive a CORE Philly Scholarship. The EFC generated from completing the FAFSA will determine the amount of the scholarship. (A students that would classify as “undocumented” will not be eligible for a CORE Philly Scholarship)
- ⌚ **Applicants will be notified by email primarily, therefore it strongly encouraged that students have a working and frequently checked email account.** Most of CORE Philly’s contacts will come after high school graduation. Therefore it strongly encouraged that students have their own email accounts, as well as username and password information that will be regarded in filling out the online CORE Philly application. It is highly recommended that if someone else is completing the CORE Philly application on behalf of an applicant, they should give the applicant the registered username and password. And be sure to give a correct-working email account.

For those advising applicants that attend parochial and private schools:

- ⌚ **If the applicant is under 18 years of age and do not have a PA Drivers License have the applicant apply for a PA Non-Drivers License.**
(http://www.dot4.state.pa.us/new_residents/driver_license.shtml)
- ⌚ **If the applicant is 18 years of age encourage them to apply for a Voter’s Registration Card.** (<http://www.phillyelection.com>)
- ⌚ **An applicant and parent should send their proof of residence directly to:**
The Philadelphia Education Fund
Attn: CORE Philly
7 Ben Franklin Parkway, Suite 700
Philadelphia, PA 19103
(Fax – (215) 665-0475)

Applicants are allowed to submit their proof of residency after the June 1st deadline.
(Questions regarding the CORE Philly application processing call 215-665-1400, x3346)

Please contact me if you have any questions or concerns at:
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