

## Poetry for Life \$1,000 Scholarship Application. Please Print and Mail

The publishers of *How to Read a Poem* are committed to helping people experience “poetry for life.” Poetry may already be part of your life, and if it is, this scholarship might suit you: a one-time award of \$1,000, you can use to pursue any major. Apply up through your sophomore year in college. Deadline for submission is November 30, 2017. Scholarship winner will be announced in the spring of 2018. Your entry, whether or not it becomes the winning entry, may be featured on [howtoreadapoem.com](http://howtoreadapoem.com) or at [tweetspeakpoetry.com](http://tweetspeakpoetry.com). The winner may also be asked to share a few further thoughts, which may be published at [tweetspeakpoetry.com](http://tweetspeakpoetry.com) and shared in regional press releases to news outlets.

1. Name:

2. Address:

3. Your email address (PLEASE PRINT very clearly. If we cannot read your email address, your application will be discarded.)

4. Intended or current major:

5. Current year in high school or college:

6. List your current or most recent English teacher, English teacher’s email, English teacher’s school or college address (PLEASE PRINT very clearly. If we cannot read your English teacher’s name, email address, and school address, your application will be discarded.)

7. Attach four original poems of any length

8. Attach one short piece describing how you came to be involved with poetry, about 50-250 words, using any voice and writing style

9. Attach one short piece describing your “poetry writing process”, about 50-250 words, using any voice and writing style

10. We value the time you’ve taken to apply, and while everyone can’t be the winner, we’d like to make sure you receive something that honors your time and effort. Select any of the following, if you have an interest:

Free poetry newsletter (weekly inbox delivery)

Free digital copy of *Inspired: 8 Ways to Write Poems You Can Love*

Please send your application to  
T. S. Poetry Press, 21 Belleview Avenue, Ossining, NY 10562 by **November 30, 2017.**