

Boulder County Latina League
2014 - 2015 Scholarship Application
For High School Students and First Time College Applicants
General Information

The mission of the Boulder County Latina League (BCLL) is to offer support to high school graduates seeking a college degree. As part of our mission is provide scholarships and encouragement to enable qualified need-based Latino students to attend colleges and universities.

Application:

A. Application Deadline:

1. All applications must be postmarked NO LATER THAN **March 3rd 2014**.
2. Late or incomplete applications will not be accepted.

B. Eligibility:

1. Applicant must be a Boulder Valley School or St. Vrain Valley School District graduating or graduated student.
2. Applicant must attend a university or college in the state of Colorado for the upcoming academic year.
3. Current college student applicants must have a 2.5 grade point average.
4. Applicant should be enrolled for a minimum of 9 credit hours each semester.

C. Application Requirements:

1. Completed Student Information Form.
2. Completed response to essay questions (must be typed).
3. Current copy of transcript with GPA
4. Two letters of recommendation (either from a counselor, teacher/advisor and a community representative).
5. *Once you have registered for classes, please send Impact on Education proof of your class registration (enrollment), including your Student I.D. and school address. (Can be submitted separately from application). Scholarship funds will be sent directly to the college or university.*

SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS WILL NOT BE MAILED WITHOUT THIS INFORMATION

D. Additional Requirements/Requests

1. All scholarship recipients are expected to attend the Scholarship awards ceremony. Any change to this requirement requires notification and approval of the Latina League.
2. Scholarship can only be used for tuition.

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Student Information Form

A. STUDENT INFORMATION

Student's Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone Number: _____ Cell Number: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Parent(s) Name: _____

Address (if different): _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone Number: _____ E-Mail: _____

High school student: Name of high school and graduation date: _____

What College/University will you attend? _____

Area of study: _____

When do you plan to attend? _____

College student: University currently attending and graduation date: _____

If changing Universities, where do you plan to attend? _____

Area of study: _____

Graduation date: _____ College/University Student ID # _____

B. FINANCIAL AID/OTHER SCHOLARSHIPS

List 2014-15 financial aid and/or scholarships you have received or applied for and specify the amount:

_____ \$ _____

_____ \$ _____

_____ \$ _____

C. FAMILY INFORMATION

Circle your annual family income:

\$0-\$14,999 \$15,000-\$29,999 \$30,000-\$44,999 \$45,000-\$59,999 \$60,000-\$74,999

How many people live in your home: 2 3 4 5 6 7+

What is the highest level of education completed by your parent (s)?

Parent 1 - 1st - 6th Grade 7th - 9th Grade High School diploma College degree Post Graduate degree Other _____

Parent 2 - 1st - 6th Grade 7th - 9th Grade High School diploma College degree Post Graduate degree Other _____

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ESSAY QUESTIONS

Essay Instructions:

1. Include your name and page number in the upper right corner of each page.
2. Total 250 words per essay question.
3. Be specific in your responses.
4. Must be typewritten.

Essay Questions:

For graduating high school students:

1. What are your goals in life? How or why did you choose these goals? How will a college education help you achieve these goals? How many credits do you plan to carry each semester and why? In which classes are you planning to enroll and why?
2. Describe how you participate in the Hispanic Community.
3. Describe any past experiences you think have had an important influence/impact on your decision to attend college.

For Current College Students:

1. What are your goals in life? How will a college education help you achieve these goals? How many credits do you plan to carry each semester and why? In which classes are you planning to enroll and why?
2. Can you describe your interactions within the Hispanic community and other Latina/o students?
3. So that we may mentor other high school students: What high school class/activity was most helpful to you during your first year of college?

DO NOT SUBMIT THIS APPLICATION UNTIL YOU HAVE COMPLETED THE FOLLOWING CHECK LIST OF REQUIREMENTS: (check each)

- Name/Page number on each page _____
- Postmarked no later than **March 3, 2014** _____
- Student information form/FAFSA Form _____
- Essay (TYPED) _____
- Recent Letters of recommendation _____
- Letter of acceptance, transcript or schedule with Student ID from college or university (can be submitted separately from application) _____
- Copies of application, letters for your records _____
- Current copy of transcript with GPA _____

MAIL COMPLETED APPLICATION TO:

Impact on Education 728 Front Street Suite A Louisville, CO 80027

Or

email: Sharon@impactoneducation.org

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Letter of Recommendation Form

APPLICANTS: PRINT THIS PAGE, COMPLETE **SECTION I: APPLICANT INFORMATION** AND PROVIDE IT TO WHOMEVER IS WRITING YOUR LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION

SECTION I: TO THE STUDENT

Applicant Name _____

Please submit your signed letter of recommendation in an envelope and return it to the applicant in the following manner (e.g., in person, by e-mail, by sent mail- if submitted by email, an envelope is not required)

SECTION II: TO THE REFEREE:

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Letter of Recommendation:

In your letter, please include how you know the applicant, how long you have known the applicant, what you know of the student's contributions to the Hispanic Community and why you would support the applicant in attaining a scholarship through the BCLL. Please address your letter to:

Boulder County Latina League
C/o Impact on Education
728 Front Street, Suite A
Louisville, CO 80027
Or

email: Sharon@impactoneducation.org

Please return the letter to the applicant so they may include it in their application packet.