

NEW Scholarships as of December 6, 2018

The below scholarships are offered by the Sacramento Region Community Foundation. Students must apply through their website at <http://www.sacregcf.org/students/>

BENNY GOODMAN FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP

Deadline: March 8, 2019

Benny Goodman was a clarinetist, composer, and bandleader driven by his talent and love of music. The Benny Goodman Foundation scholarship was established to support musical talent by awarding a scholarship to a student who is majoring in Jazz or Classical music with an emphasis in the Clarinet. The Benny Goodman Foundation was designed to identify deserving students who best exemplify his passion, drive, and love for music. The selection committee will look for students who have a genuine passion for music, and who use their musical gifts and talents to enrich and inspire the lives of others and who will succeed in a career in music.

Eligibility Requirements

- Be a current student attending any University of California or California State University
- Have a grade point average of 3.0 in music classes
- Be majoring in music with an emphasis in jazz or classical (preference will be given to the clarinet musician)
- Have a genuine passion and talent for music and plan to pursue a career in music.

Award

\$1,000 to \$3,500

Visit www.sacregcf.academicworks.com to apply!

CALIFORNIA CAPITAL AIRSHOW SCHOLARSHIP

Deadline: March 8, 2019

The California Capital Airshow Scholarship was established to invest in future leaders by awarding scholarships to graduating high school seniors planning to pursue a degree in one of the following areas: Aviation, Aeronautics, Airport Management, Aerospace, Science, Technology, Engineering or Math.

Eligibility Requirements

- Be a high school senior in Sacramento, **El Dorado**, Yolo, Placer, Yuba or Sutter counties planning to attend a two (2) or four (4) year college or university in the fall
- Be pursuing a college degree in the following areas of study: Aviation, Aeronautics, Airport Management, Aerospace, Science, Technology, Engineering or Math
- Have a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.5
- Demonstrate financial need
- Be enrolled full time in at least 12 academic units or equivalent per quarter/semester in the fall

Scholarship award may be used for tuition, fees and books.

Award

\$500 - \$1,000 for 2-year college & \$1,000 - \$8,000 for 4-year college or university

Visit www.sacregcf.academicworks.com to apply!

EUGENE AND THORA CHIN SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Deadline: March 8, 2019

The Eugene and Thora Chin Scholarship Fund was established by the generosity of Eugene and Thora Chin, who were great supporters of education, established schools in China, and wished to continue their passion through this scholarship by providing financial assistance for college bound students of Asian/ Pacific Islander heritage.

Eligibility Requirements

- Be of Asian/Pacific Islander heritage
- Plan to attend an accredited two or four year college, university or graduate school
- Have a minimum cumulative GPA of 4.0 in high school or 3.5 in college
- Preference will be given to students with high financial need and high academic merit

Award

\$1,000 to \$6,000

Visit www.sacregcf.academicworks.com to apply!

ERIN AABERG GIVANS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Deadline: March 8, 2019

The Children's Specialty Care Coalition together with the Givans family has established this scholarship fund to honor its founding executive director, Erin Aaberg Givans, who committed her career to advocating for quality health care on behalf of children and youth in California. The \$5,000 scholarship will be available to full-time female students pursuing a Master's degree in public policy, public administration or public health at a California University, who plan to pursue a career in the field of children's health policy/ health advocacy in California. Scholarship recipients will share Ms. Aaberg Givans' unwavering dedication and passion for ensuring access to quality health care for children and youth.

In addition to the financial support, there will be a future opportunity for scholarship recipients to visit Sacramento for a day of mentoring. The Children's Specialty Care Coalition held the first mentoring day for scholarship recipients in August of 2018. Recipients visited CSCC's offices, participated in a roundtable lunch with professional children's advocates, and enjoyed an afternoon of one-on-one job shadowing. They also toured the State Capitol and had the opportunity to meet Senate President Pro Tem Toni Atkins, California's first female Senate

leader. More information about previous scholarship recipients can be found [here](#).

Eligibility Requirements

- Be a female student attending a graduate institution/ program in California in the upcoming academic year.
- Be pursuing a Master's degree in public policy, public administration or public health with a career goal of working in the field of children's health policy or children's health advocacy.
- Have a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 in college (preference will go to 3.5 or better) Demonstrate financial need (preference will go to students whose expected family contribution EFC is less than \$10,000).
- Must be enrolled full time (12 units or more or equivalent).

The scholarship is renewable up to two (2) years. Applicants must reapply to be considered for a renewal award. Scholarship award may be used for tuition and fees

Award

\$5,000

Visit www.sacregcf.academicworks.com to apply!

DIANE DAWSON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Deadline: March 8, 2019

The Diane Dawson Memorial Scholarship was established in 2003 in memory of Gail Diane Dawson. The scholarship will provide financial assistance for young men and women who have a parent or legal guardian with terminal cancer or other terminal illness, or who have lost a parent to a terminal disease during their tenure in high school. The Diane Dawson Memorial Scholarship will assist those in the greater Denver and Sacramento areas. Through efforts of family and friends, Diane's love of life, community and dedication to education lives on.

Eligibility Requirements

- Be a graduating senior at a high school in the greater Sacramento or Denver area
- Have a parent or legal guardian with terminal cancer or other terminal illness, or have lost a parent to a terminal disease during their tenure in high school
- Have a cumulative GPA of at least 2.5
- Renewal awards may be received up to one year. Applicants must reapply for a renewal award.

Award

\$1,000 to \$3,000

Visit www.sacregcf.academicworks.com to apply!

THE KRISTI KARACOFF MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Deadline: March 8, 2019

During her 16 years of life, Kristi Karacoff dedicated herself to her family, her studies, and the well-being of others. The Kristi Karacoff Memorial Scholarship Fund was developed as a legacy to carry on the values she held important in life. A devoted student, Kristi strove for academic excellence at every level in school. Never was there a time when she did not put her studies first. Even during a lengthy battle with liver disease, Kristi completed her school courses through a home hospital program. Managing to stay at grade level and achieving a 4.17 GPA with deteriorating health, she always kept her eye on the prize of a college education. Kristi's fondest desire was to become a pediatrician in order to help those she cared so much about: babies and children. Because of this incredible depth of character and dignity in strength, her legacy of learning and caring will continue. This scholarship fund will honor students, like Kristi, who fight battles with illness and other medical challenges while trying to reach their goals of higher education.

Eligibility Requirements

- Be a graduating senior at a high school in Sacramento, Placer, El Dorado or Yolo Counties or be a currently enrolled college student who graduated from a high school in these counties.
- Have a cumulative GPA of at least 3.0.
- Demonstrate a chronic or life-threatening illness, with a doctor's certification of your medical condition.

Renewal awards may be received. Applicants must reapply for a renewal award.

Award

\$500 to \$1,500

Visit www.sacregcf.academicworks.com to apply!

THE MAX AND NADINE DIMICK SCHOLARSHIP

Deadline: march 8, 2019

The Max and Nadine Dimick Scholarship was established to provide financial assistance for a student attending a Community College in the Sacramento Region, have a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher, and demonstrate financial need.

Eligibility Requirements

- Be attending a Community College in the Sacramento Region (Sacramento, Eldorado, Yolo, Placer) in the fall.
- Have a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher.
- Demonstrate financial need.

Award

\$500 - \$1,000

Visit www.sacregcf.academicworks.com to apply!

THE NADINE DIMICK NURSING SCHOLARSHIP

Deadline: March 8, 2019

The Nadine Dimick Nursing Scholarship was established to provide financial assistance for a nursing student attending a 2-year college or 4-year university in the Sacramento region.

Eligibility Requirements

- Be enrolled in the nursing program at a 2-year college or 4-year university in the Sacramento region (Sacramento, Placer, Eldorado, Yolo).
- Have a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher.
- Demonstrate financial need.

Award

\$1,000

Visit www.sacregcf.academicworks.com to apply!

THE OUTSTANDING YOUTH COLLEGE FUND SCHOLARSHIP

Deadline: March 8, 2019

The Outstanding Youth College Fund scholarship program was established to provide financial assistance to current and former foster youth who are determined to pursue a college education or job skills training in order to become financially self supporting. This award is a “last dollar grant” and is intended to address any unmet need left after a student has received his or her financial aid package. Preference will be given to students who have successfully completed one to two semesters of college. However, high school students with a strong academic record and clear academic and professional goals will also be considered.

Eligibility Requirements

- Be a current or emancipated foster youth
- Be an undergraduate student accepted or planning to attend a 2 year or 4 year College/University, Vocational, Trade or Technical school in the Sacramento region in the fall.
- Preference will be given to those who have successfully completed 24 college credits.
- Have a minimum 2.5 cumulative GPA.
- Enroll in and complete a minimum of 12 units per semester.
- Plan to work a minimum of 10 hours per week while attending college.

Renewal award may be received up to four years based upon meeting required conditions of the scholarship.

Award

\$500 to \$3,000

Visit www.sacregcf.academicworks.com to apply!

The two scholarships below are NOT part of the Sacramento Region Community Foundation. See links below scholarships to apply.

CABRILLO CIVIC CLUB #5 SCHOLARSHIP

Deadline: March 15, 2019

Eligible for ALL High School Seniors!

Amount: \$500- Over 125 scholarships will be awarded in California.

Criteria: Be of Portuguese descent and have at least a 3.50 GPA, and participate in 3 extracurricular activities.

Submit application with: Transcript and three letters of recommendation.

Print out an application at <http://www.cabrilocivicclubs.org/scholarship.asp>

OR pick one up in the College & Career Center.

WASH (Watercolor Artists of Sacramento, Horizons, Inc.) SCHOLARSHIP

Deadline: May 1, 2019

The Watercolor Artists of Sacramento, Horizons (WASH) will award a \$1000 scholarship for a high school senior or a college art major. This scholarship is designed to help students starting a college education in art with an emphasis in watercolor media. The award will be given upon documentation of enrollment in a college.

The scholarship will be presented at the June WASH regular membership meeting and have his/her art featured on display during June in the entry hall at the Sacramento Fine Arts Center in Carmichael. This award will be determined based on artistic ability in the medium of watercolor, service to the art community, and academic achievement in art classes.

Applicants are asked to submit an artist's statement, a digital art portfolio, letters of recommendation and relevant documentation. Deadline for submission is May 1, 2019. We understand that acceptance letters from colleges may not have been received by this date.

Print out an application at

<http://www.sacfinearts.org/WASH/Scholarship/WASH%20Scholarship%202019.pdf>

OR pick one up in the College & Career Center.