

APPLICATION PACKAGE

Mendez Scholarships Non-Profit

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Complete This Application If You Are:

- A continuing undergraduate student at an accredited university
- A continuing graduate student at an accredited university

And You Are Interested In:

Merit or Need-based Scholarships

Accredited students who file this completed and signed application will be considered for academic merit-only scholarships. Students who also file the *Free Application for Federal Student Aid* (FAFSA) will be considered for academic merit and need-based scholarships. Awarding criteria are subject to change each year, but in general, the cumulative GPA; a 200 to 350 word essay that indicates long-term professional leadership abilities and skills, understanding of cultural differences in your chosen field, and that shows effective academic teams-building styles and techniques will be used to determine eligibility (we try to keep it simple).

Special-Eligibility Considerations

If you have any Special-Eligibility considerations, you must complete and return this application and refer to your Special-Eligibilities in a separate statement. Accredited students must be enrolled full time to receive Mendez Scholarships.

Mendez Scholarships Non-Profit is a 501(c) (3)

- Academic Merit-based Scholarships** (FAFSA not required.)
- Academic Need-based Scholarships** (FAFSA is required).
- Special-Eligibility Scholarships** (FAFSA recommended).

REMEMBER to list requested scholarships on your application. Keep this page for your records.

Scholarships Awarded on a rolling deadline

Essay Requirement

Please attach a 200 to 350 word essay as outlined above. You may incorporate significant experiences, community involvement, and the qualities of character and leadership important to achieving your goals. Highlight those academic accomplishments and achievements that have given you considerable satisfaction and helped to form your character. Be sure to comment on your aspirations in terms of your educational and career goals. Finally, explain the difference receiving a scholarship would mean in your life. Essays are used by the scholarship committee to select recipients. Be sure to put your name.

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STUDENT INFORMATION					
Last Name	First	M.I.	Date		
Address			Apartment #		
City	State		P.O. Box		
ZIP	University				
Major	Social Security.		Graduation Date		
Scholarship Applied					
United States citizen?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>	Authorized to study in the U.S.?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
Applied before?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>	If so, when?		
Convicted of a felony?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>	If yes, explain		

EDUCATION					
High School		Address			
From	To	Graduate?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>	Degree
College		Address			
From	To	Graduate?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>	Degree
Other		Address			
From	To	Graduate?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>	Degree

REFERENCES	
<i>Please list two academic and/or professional references.</i>	
Full Name	Relationship
	Phone ()
Address	
Full Name	Relationship
	Phone ()
Address	



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MILITARY SERVICE	
Branch	From To
Rank at Discharge	Type of Discharge
If other than honorable, explain	

DISCLAIMER AND SIGNATURE	
I certify that my scholarship application answers are true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that Mendez Scholarships Non-Profit is a 5013c and if this application leads to awarding of a scholarship, I understand that false or misleading information in my application may result in my having to make restitution.	
Student's signature	Date

FOR USE BY UNIVERSITY REGISTRAR OFFICE

FORM MUST BE SIGNED BELOW BY UNIVERISTY REGISTRAR

For office use only:

Student Applicant's Name on Record: _____ GPA _____

Please stamp University Registrar's seal below:

Registrar Signature and Telephone: _____

