

SAN DIEGO MESA COLLEGE

LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER (LRC) SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship fund was established by faculty and staff of San Diego Mesa College's Learning Resource Center to recognize and provide financial assistance to deserving students who have achieved outstanding scholarship and leadership.

TO BE ELIGIBLE STUDENTS MUST MEET THE FOLLOWING CRITERIA:

- Completed at least 12 units at Mesa College
- Demonstrated a GPA of at least 3.0
- Currently enrolled in at least 6 units at Mesa College
- Have a declared academic goal

APPLICATION DEADLINE FEBRUARY 29, 2012

Completed applications and all required supporting documents must be received by 5:00 p.m. on February 29, 2012. Late or incomplete applications will not be considered.

SELECTION PROCESS AND CRITERIA

All completed applications that meet eligibility requirements will be reviewed by a committee composed of faculty, classified staff, student government, and administration.

APPLICATIONS WILL BE RATED AS FOLLOWS:

Biographical Questionnaire	15 points maximum
GPA of 3.0	20 points maximum
Essay	35 points maximum
Letters of recommendation (2)	10 points maximum
Leadership/Community Service	20 points maximum

RECIPIENT NOTIFICATION AND RELEASE OF SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

Recipients will be notified by mid-April. Awards will be presented on Friday, April 27, 2012 at the Annual Scholarship Awards Banquet. Recipients will be honored as special guests and will receive one complimentary dinner ticket. Attendance at the Scholarship Banquet is strongly encouraged so that your achievements can be celebrated and the generosity of the donors publicly acknowledged.

APPLICATION CHECKLIST

Applicants are requested to submit the following documentation:

1. Submit a fully completed biographical questionnaire. All information requested must be provided.
2. Submit **unofficial** transcripts.
3. Submit two current letters of recommendation on official letterhead:
 - One (1) from a Mesa faculty member outlining your accomplishments and/or progress in your planned educational program
 - One (1) from a person who can provide information and verification of your community/volunteer service.
4. Submit an original essay on the following topic: Describe the impact of the Learning Resource Center (LRC) on your academic accomplishments and on student life at Mesa College. Essay should be no more than two pages double-spaced with one-inch margins. **Please note that your essay needs to be “on topic”.**

RETURN OR MAIL TO:

San Diego Mesa College
Student Affairs Office
ATTN: Scholarship Committee
7250 Mesa College Drive, H-500
San Diego, CA 92111

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