



Scholarship Program for Future Scholars

The CSU Scholarship Program for Future Scholars seeks to increase the college participation rate of students who are disadvantaged due to their socioeconomic and educational background. The awards are made to first-time freshman and new transfer students on the basis of their potential to benefit from University-level courses. A \$1,000 (per student) scholarship will be awarded for the academic year and will be disbursed in two payments of \$500.00 per semester contingent upon funding.

The scholarship may be renewed for a year (a maximum of four continuous semesters) based upon the student's satisfactory academic performance and funding.

Eligibility Criteria for First Time Scholarship Applicants:

Scholarship recipients must meet each of the following requirements to receive award:

1. Graduate of a California high school;
2. Admitted at CSU, Sacramento as a new freshman or transfer undergraduate student in the Fall 2021 term;
3. Meet regular CSU admission requirements & maintain satisfactory academic progress as defined by the campus;
4. Be a California resident as determined by the CSU Admission and Records Office;
5. Enrolled on a full-time basis (minimum of 12 units per semester) at CSU, Sacramento during the 2021-22 academic year;
6. Successfully completed 12 units in Fall 2021 term in good standing to be eligible for the Spring 2022 award; and
7. Applied for financial aid and demonstrate financial need in accordance with Federal Guidelines.

Eligibility Criteria for Second Year Scholarship Applicants:

CSU, Sacramento may elect to renew this scholarship on a year-to-year basis contingent on funding. Scholarship recipients must meet each of the following requirements to receive award:

1. Maintain 2.5 or above GPA and satisfactory academic progress as defined by the campus;
2. Must have successfully completed a minimum of 24 semester units in the first academic year;
3. Apply and qualify for financial aid; and
4. Enrolled on a full-time basis (minimum of 12 units per semester).

IMPORTANT:

- If your GPA drops below the required minimum of 2.5 or if you are enrolled for less than 12 units for the semester, you will be disqualified.
- Unless specifically stated, minimum GPA refers to overall cumulative GPA.
- If you do not meet the stated minimum requirements at time of award, you will not be awarded.

Application Process:

Applicants must submit a completed application along with **OFFICIAL** transcript(s) of all college work completed prior to the Spring 2021 term. *A letter of recommendation signed by recommender and a personal statement must also be attached.*

For additional information and application,
visit the Student Academic Success and Educational Equity Programs Website
at https://www.csus.edu/student-affairs/retention-academic-success/_internal/_documents/fss-application.pdf or call (916) 278-6183

Deadline to Apply: Friday, October 15, 2021