

PURPOSE: The intent of the Coronado Promise scholarship is to encourage Coronado High School students to continue their education beyond high school and enhance their career opportunities.

SCHOLARSHIP: The award of up to \$5,000 over a two-year period gives students the ability to attend one of the ten <u>Maricopa Community Colleges</u> or an Arizona certificate-granting, regionally accredited technical training/trade school for two years at \$2,500 per year paid at up to \$1,250 per semester directly to the school for tuition and fees.

ELIGIBILITY:

Student must:

- Be a graduating senior at Coronado High School and have been enrolled at Coronado High School for at least one year at the time of application.
- Intend to enroll at one of the ten Maricopa Community Colleges or at an Arizona certificate granting, regionally accredited technical training/trade school for the year following graduation from Coronado High School.
- Have a 2.5 grade point average or higher in high school (based on the 7th semester)
- Complete the Coronado Promise Scholarship Application form, including:
 - A resume (including school activities, community activities and work history)
 - An unofficial transcript through December 2023
 - A letter of recommendation supporting you receiving the scholarship from a teacher, coach, supervisor or community leader.
- Sign a Coronado Promise Acceptance Form if you are awarded a scholarship.
- Attend an initial meeting with Coronado Foundation for the Future (CFFF) coaches before graduation.
- Enroll in school before graduation.

TO MAINTAIN THE SCHOLARSHIP:

Student must:

- Maintain a 2.5, or higher, grade point average
- Make regular progress toward a degree (AA) or certification as defined by the Maricopa Community College or trade/technical school.
- Maintain contact with your CFFF coach and respond to requests from your coach.
- Before June 30 for your first semester and at the end of each semester provide your coach with the following:
 - Name of school you will be attending in the next semester (if not a Maricopa Community College

 you must also include the address where tuition checks should be sent)
 - o Class registration for the next semester/billing statement
 - o Unofficial transcript for the completed semester
 - Any changes to your contact information.
- Failure to provide the above information by June 30 for Fall terms and December 31 for spring terms may result in a delay of your scholarship payment.

IF FOR ANY REASON THE SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT FAILS TO MAKE REGULAR PROGRESS TOWARD COMPLETION OF AN AA DEGREE OR VOCATIONAL CERTIFICATION OR FAILS TO MAINTAIN CONTACT WITH THE FOUNDATION, ANY UNUSED SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS ALLOCATED ON BEHALF OF THAT

STUDENT WILL REMAIN WITH THE CORONADO FOUNDATION FOR THE FUTURE PROMISE SCHOLARSHIP FUND.

* NOTE: We understand the need for some students to work more than is advisable to take a full-time academic load. Since our priority is to have you be successful in your studies, we can stretch your scholarship over additional semesters.



2024 Scholarship Application

Turn application in to Coronado High School GEAR UP Office by 3:00 pm on March 1, 2024.

APPLICANT INFORMATION Full Legal Name: First M.I. Last Nickname: Address: Street Address Apartment/Unit # State Emai Phone: Date Submitted: Which Maricopa Community College or Arizona technical/trade school are you planning to attend after Coronado High School? Ν YΕ Have you submitted a FASFA YES 0 S NO Have you applied for free/reduced application? lunch in 2023-2024? YΕ S NO Do you give permission for CHS guidance to attach an unofficial transcript with grades through December 2023? YΕ NO S Have you attached your resume detailing activities at school and in the community, plus work history, if any?

ESSAY QUESTIONS

Please insert essays into this document below the question. Please do not attached separate documents.

In 100 to 200 words, describe your plans for the future and how this scholarship will help you achieve your desired career.

Questions 2-5:

Select two (2) and provide answers in essay of 100 to 200 words.

- 2. What teacher, class, person, or book changed the way you look at the world? Explain how your views changed.
- 3. How did you choose your path to the future described in question 1? Have you explored employment options in that field?
- 4. Describe a meaningful school or life experience that you have had and how it changed you?
- 5. What have you liked and disliked about school (K-12)? What could be done to make something you disliked better for the students who are behind you?

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