



Taos Community Foundation
First Generation College Student Scholarship Application
2019

Personal Information

Full Name: _____

Parent(s) or Guardian(s) Name(s): _____

Mailing Address: _____

Student E-Mail: _____ Parent E-Mail _____

Home Phone #: _____ Cell Phone # _____

Educational Information:

High School Attended _____ Class Rank/Size: _____

Cumulative GPA: _____ and /or SAT Score: _____

ACT Score: _____ Expected Graduation Date: _____

Name of schools that you have applied to: _____

Name of school you hope to attend and why: _____

Anticipated enrollment date: _____

Possible Major(s) / Field of Study:

Employment/Internship History: _____

Community Involvement: _____

Volunteer Involvement (please indicate if this was required for school, church, a class, etc.):

Honors or Awards: _____

Essay: This is intended to be an open, reflective essay where you can tell us a little bit about yourself. The following questions may be topics of exploration. This is an opportunity for you to share your writing and reflective abilities - they are not listed as specific questions to answer! What life experiences have shaped who you are today? What are your academic and career goals and your plans to achieve them? Have you had particular challenges as a learner that you have overcome? Is there a particular leadership experience you had that you valued and could share how it impacted/affected you? In what areas of your life are you most proud of? As a guideline, your essay should be typed and in the 250-500 word (1-2 page) range.

Attachments

Please include one copy of each of the following:

- A personal resume
- An Unofficial Copy of your High School transcript that documents grades and class rank
- An Unofficial Copy of SAT and/or ACT scores
- A Letter of Recommendation from one Instructor (Advanced Placement/Dual Credit preferred).
(Please provide your instructor with a **First Generation Scholar Recommendation Request Form**, and note that they may elect to email or mail in their Letter of Recommendation.)
 - Please DO NOT include copies of Personal Recommendations or Reference Letters
 - Please do not staple documents. Attach with a paper clip.
 - Please be sure your application is complete!

Application Deadline: Wednesday, April 11, 2019 by 5:00 PM. Applications may be hand delivered or mailed. Mailed applications must be postmarked by April 11, 2019 for consideration.

Applicants will be notified of committee decisions by mail.

**Helen Forte, Director of Community Outreach
Taos Community Foundation,
Physical Address: 115 La Posta Road, Suite A, Taos, NM 87571
Mailing Address: P.O. Box 1925 Taos, NM 87571**

(575) 737-9300

hforte@taoscf.org