



Assistance League® of Greater San Diego is an all-volunteer nonprofit organization dedicated to providing community-based philanthropic programs to serve individuals in need.

**UPPER DIVISION SCHOLARSHIPS
CRITERIA AND GUIDELINES
NO AWARD LESS THAN
\$3,000.00**

Criteria

- **Community College students transferring, as a junior, to an accredited college or university in the United States or continuing as a junior in a community college baccalaureate program.**
- **Resident of greater San Diego, California.**
- **Financial need or special circumstances.**
- **Minimum grade point average of 3.0.**
- **Community involvement, school activities, employment.**

APPLICATION DEADLINE: April 25, 2017

Find the downloadable PDF application form at:

https://www.assistanceleaguegreatersandiego.org/images/Community_College_scholarship_app_fillable.pdf

Important note: Save the application form to your computer and open it using Adobe Acrobat Reader (if necessary, download the reader from Adobe.com/reader). Fill in the application and save it as a PDF. To submit, follow instructions in the application.



Guidelines and Procedures

In order to be considered, applications must contain the following:

- A complete and correctly filled out application form.
- An official transcript of grades.
- Two letters of recommendation: (1) one from an individual associated with the college (faculty member, advisor, etc.), and (2) one from an individual NOT associated with the college (employer, coach, community member, pastor etc.).

Criteria for receiving the scholarship:

- Will be considered: Financial need, GPA and scholastic achievement; recommendations, community involvement, job and school activities; special considerations, and special talents.
- Personal Interviews: All semi-finalists will be interviewed by the Scholarship Committee. At that time, applicants must fully disclose all other financial aid, including scholarships, grants, tuition waivers, etc., which they have applied for or received. Nondisclosure could result in forfeiture. Other awards will not disqualify applicants from this scholarship.

Evaluation of all applications and selection of award recipients will be done by members of Assistance League of Greater San Diego's Scholarship Committee.

Criteria for Retaining the Scholarship:

- Recipient must maintain at least a 3.0 GPA during the period of this scholarship.
- Recipient must maintain full-time status during the period of this scholarship award by completing a minimum of 12 units each term.
- Recipient must communicate once each semester with their mentor to verify student status and GPA.



Upper Division Scholarship Application Guidelines & Procedures

Assistance League of Greater San Diego shall provide funding for scholarship, to be paid directly to the university or college to help cover tuition, books, and supplies. A recipient must be a full-time student, remain in school to complete the term following receipt of the scholarship payment, and maintain an overall minimum grade point average of 3.0 during the period covered by the scholarship.

REQUIREMENTS FOR APPLICATION:

- 1. Must be a current community college student completing final term and transferring to an accredited four-year college or university in the United States, or continuing as a junior at a community college.**
- 2. Must be a resident of Greater San Diego, California.**
- 3. Must submit a complete application, containing all required parts. Incomplete applications CANNOT be considered.**
- 4. Application must be received on or before April 25, 2017. Late applications CANNOT be considered.**
- 5. Must not be a Chapter member or the relative of a Chapter member of Assistance League of Greater San Diego or National Assistance League.**

SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS WILL BE NOTIFIED BY JUNE 1, 2017.

Recipients may apply for one additional year of funding if they meet all the criteria.