

Colorado County Clerks Association

Scholarships Information Sheet

The Colorado County Clerks Association has established a scholarship fund to aid outstanding seniors who are residents of Colorado in furthering their education at any university, college, junior college, or technical institution.

- Selection will be based on the following:
 - Completed application
 - 3.25 GPA Minimum
 - Community involvement with an interest in government, business or political science.
 - Financial need/hardship
- The Colorado County Clerks Association will grant regional one-time awards in the amount of **\$1000** to seniors graduating from Colorado high schools.
- Financial aid awarded by the association will be remitted to the institution of attendance and will be credited to the student's account. The scholarship monies are to be used for tuition, books, and room and board expenses.
- Each applicant must furnish three complete copies of the application to their local county clerk by **March 15th**. (Applications postmarked, but not received by March 15th, will not be considered.) Photos and folders/binders are not required.
- Each district will select a finalist and forward their selection to the Executive Board by **April 15th**. Members of the Executive Board of the County Clerk's Association will finalize the scholarship awards by May 1st.
- The scholarships will be awarded at graduation.

Return **complete** application packets to:

Rio Grande County Clerk & Recorder

P O Box 160

Del Norte CO 81132

Phone: (719)657-3334

Colorado County Clerks Association Scholarship Application

Name: _____

Mailing Address _____

Residence Address _____

Parent/ Guardian Name _____ Home Phone: _____

Name/ address of school you plan to attend: _____

Have you been accepted at this school? Yes No

If not, explain _____

Type of training and/or major field of study chosen _____

Adjusted gross income from parent's/guardian's tax return for 2011 _____

Number of siblings in household _____

Other scholarships received to-date (list by name and amount) _____

Please attach the following on separate sheets of paper:

1. A copy of your letter of acceptance, if available.
2. A resume listing community service, activities, special recognition, work experience, etc. throughout your high school years.
3. A one-page autobiography, including your educational goals.
4. A copy of your complete high school transcript.
5. Provide short responses (250 words or less) to any three questions listed on the enclosed questionnaire.
6. Three letters of recommendation.
7. No more than one page explaining any special circumstances or hardships.

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Questionnaire

(Please choose any three questions and limit your responses to 250 words or less per question.)

- 1) What do you think is the best contribution you have made to your school?
- 2) What does citizenship mean to you?
- 3) How do you practice good citizenship?
- 4) What do you think is the most important lesson you have learned in life and why?
- 5) Who has been a good role model for you and why?
- 6) What are three things you'd like to accomplish in your first year of school?
- 7) What do you value the most in a friendship?
- 8) If you could make one law, that everyone in the world was to live by, what would that be?
- 9) What is your favorite childhood memory?
- 10) Why do you feel you are a good candidate for this scholarship?