



## **GOLDEN WEST COLLEGE HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIPS**

### **CRITERIA**

#### **General High School Scholarship Criteria:**

1. Applicant must be a member of the 2015 graduating senior class and complete the Golden West College High School Scholarship Application.
2. Applicant must have a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.5.  
**(Must have attached an unofficial copy of high school transcripts for verification. If transcripts are not attached application will not be considered.)**
3. Applicant MUST enroll in at least 12 units at Golden West College in the Fall 2015 semester in order to receive scholarship.
4. Scholarship is not transferable. It is good for students attending Golden West College.
5. Scholarship allocation will be sent to GWC Admissions and Records to pay for the first semester of college. No cash award will be given to students.

**NOTE:** \*ASGWC High School Leadership Scholarship requires an additional paragraph on service, involvement or leadership to school or community such as: student government, clubs, athletic teams, school publications, music, drama, volunteer work, honorary memberships, etc.  
(MUST serve in the Associated Students during the fall semester. Funds for this scholarship will not be allocated until ASGWC application has been filed out and student has met with Student Services Coordinator.)

### **AVAILABLE HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIPS**

***Dr. Americo Lopez-Rodriguez High School Scholarship (Awarded at Parent Conference)***

***ASGWC High School Leadership Scholarships\****

***GWC Community Services Scholarships***

***Martin Yan Scholarship***

***Patrons High School Scholarships***

***Steve Allen Memorial Performing Arts Scholarship***

***Student Equity Scholarships***

***Waltmar Foundation Scholarships***

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| <b>More than 25 scholarships are available from this list!</b> |
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### **DEADLINE – MONDAY, MAY 4, 2015 AT 12 NOON**

Must be **postmarked** Saturday, May 2, 2015 if mailed to:

Golden West College Scholarship Office, c/o Valerie Venegas

15744 Golden West Street • Huntington Beach, CA 92647

714-892-7711 extension 55117 FAX: 714-895-8989

In person drop-off at Golden West College at the Health Science Building Room 103, inside Foyer of Public Safety



Scholarship Name \_\_\_\_\_

## SCHOLARSHIP OFFICE

### HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION DEADLINE – MONDAY, MAY 4, 2015 AT 12 NOON

**\*\*\*PLEASE PRINT THIS FORM AFTER COMPLETING TO OBTAIN SIGNATURES\*\*\***

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#### HIGH SCHOOL

School Name \_\_\_\_\_ Graduation Date: (MM/Year) \_\_\_\_\_

#### STUDENT

Name: Last: \_\_\_\_\_ First: \_\_\_\_\_ MI: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Apt#: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth (MM/DD/YYYY): \_\_\_\_\_

#### ACADEMIC STATEMENT

College Major: \_\_\_\_\_

**CAREER GOALS AFTER COLLEGE: (PRINT NEATLY OR TYPE ON SEPARATE PAPER.)**

#### HIGH SCHOOL ACTIVITIES AT SCHOOL OR IN THE COMMUNITY: USE SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY.

**Student government, clubs, athletic teams, school publications, music, drama, volunteer, honorary memberships, etc. List only those that were NOT part of a class requirement or assignment.**

For verification of service, complete the information below and obtain advisor's signature.

1. Organization \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_  
Office or committee \_\_\_\_\_  
Average hours per week spent on project \_\_\_\_\_  
Advisor's signature \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

2. Organization \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_  
Office or committee \_\_\_\_\_  
Average hours per week spent on project \_\_\_\_\_  
Advisor's signature \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

**INSTRUCTOR RECOMMENDATIONS: MUST HAVE A LEAST TWO SIGNATURES.**

I have had this applicant as a student in one of my classes and I recommend that he/she receive consideration for a Golden West College Scholarship.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Instructor's Signature)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Academic Subject)

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\_\_\_\_\_  
(Instructor's Signature)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Academic Subject)

**STUDENT STATEMENT: (PRINT NEATLY OR TYPE ON SEPARATE PAPER.)**

Please write a short statement explaining how a GWC Scholarship will affect your educational and career goals. (Use the space below or attach a separate page.)

**PLEASE READ BEFORE SIGNING:**

In accepting a scholarship, I agree to observe the rules and regulations governing all Golden West College scholarships. I certify that the above information is correct and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. I make this statement to Golden West College with knowledge that any false or misleading statement or omission of material may be sufficient cause to disqualify my application. I understand that receiving this scholarship is contingent to my attendance to Golden West College, is not transferable and will not be distributed until the second week of the fall 2015 semester.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*\*PLEASE PRINT AND SIGN\*\*\***

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## **High School Scholarships available from Golden West College**

### **Scholarship: ASGWC High School Leadership Scholarship**

**Financial Need Required:** No

**Criteria:** Must participate in the Associated Students at Golden West College in either Student Senate or Student Council for the Fall semester; must attend one leadership conference for student leaders; obtain the College Services Sticker for the Fall semester in which this scholarship applies.

**Background:** The Associated Students established this scholarship in order to encourage high school students to continue their leadership desires for the future. The Associated Students feel that the incoming students can make a difference in the college environment and community. This is their opportunity to make it happen.

### **Scholarship: Martin Yan Scholarship**

**Financial Need Required:** Yes

**Criteria:** High School scholarship - full time student; 2.5 GPA

**Background:** Martin Yan is an internationally known cooking show host, master chef, and distinguished teacher and author. Martin attended GWC in 1967-68 and was installed as an outstanding Alumni Pillar of Achievement in 1992.

### **Scholarship: Patrons High School Scholarship**

**Financial Need Required:** No

**Criteria:** High school senior; must enroll in 9 units at Golden West College

**Background:** The Patrons established this scholarship to encourage high school seniors to continue their education at Golden West College.

### **Scholarship: Steve Allen Memorial Performing Arts Scholarship**

**Financial Need Required:** No

**Criteria:** Music, Theater or Dance student completing HS senior year; evidence of satisfactory participation in high school performance group (students of non-band instruments may be waived the above requirement); minimum GPA 2.5 and must be maintained at GWC; must enroll in appropriate GWC performance group or class each semester.

**Background:** Steve Allen, comedian, movie star, author, humanitarian, and most of all, prolific composer of songs, was a true friend of Golden West College. Over the years, Steve Allen visited the college during jazz week and performed in concert for the students and staff with instructor/musician Tom Kubis. Steve Allen visited music classes and shared his experiences in the entertainment/music industry with music students giving them words of encouragement. The GWC Foundation Board of Directors and David Anthony, GWC Music Instructor and former Dean of Creative Arts, established this scholarship for students who are interested in music, theater, or dance.

### **Scholarship: Student Equity Scholarship**

**Financial Need Required:** Yes

**Criteria:** Designated for under-represented high school students entering GWC. It is designed to assist low income or academically challenged students. Candidates are identified and referred by high school counselors. (The Student Equity Policy for California community colleges defines under-represented in higher education as students from ethnic groups under-represented in higher education vis-à-vis the community as well as women and the disabled.)

**Background:** This scholarship was initiated and established by GWC staff and students to assist under-represented students in entering and succeeding in higher education.

### **Scholarship: Waltmar Foundation Scholarship**

**Financial Need Required:** No

**Criteria:** High School scholarship - full time student; 2.5 GPA

**Background:** The Waltmar Foundation was established by the late Walter and Margaret Schmid with the goal of improving the lives of citizens throughout Orange County. With roots in Orange County since the arrival of its founder Walter Schmid in 1911, the Waltmar Foundation is proud to be able to continue the Schmid family's long history of giving students an opportunity to succeed.

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