



Welcome to the 2017 Windsor Educational (WE) Foundation Scholarship Application Process

Scholarships to apply for through the Windsor Educational (WE) Foundation:

- **Mentorship Scholarship** (Available to all students. We seek students that might not otherwise apply or qualify for a scholarship. Up to \$1000)
- **Jeanne Ericsson Photography Scholarship** (Available to student with an interest in photography) (\$1000)
- **Tomas Acuña Scholarship** (Available to past Cali students on the reduced or free lunch program who have a desire to become a teacher. (\$1000)

What you need to do:

Follow the sample Resume, Essay guidelines, Request and Focus attached. Try to keep your essay at one page, but it is OK to be longer.

Scholarship Application Timeline

- Scholarship Application Opens: January 1, 2017
- Scholarship Application Period Ends: February 28, 2017, check website for details or changes in dates. www.windsowe.org
- Review of applications: March 2017
- Notify Recipients of Award: First Week of April 2017. We will call or email if you are awarded a scholarship
- Presentation of Award: May 2017 exact date TBD

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We look forward to receiving your application.

Karen Alves
Windsor Educational Foundation Vice President

WE FOR YOU!!!

Sample Resume

- *NAME:
- *EMAIL:
- *PHONE:
- *ADDRESS:
- *City/State/Zip:

PARENT/GUARDIAN:

PHONE:

*Required

State which scholarship(s) you are applying for:

Amount Requested:

(Re: Mentorship Scholarship (up to \$1000) , Jeneanne Ericsson Photography Scholarship for \$1000, and/or the Tomas Acuña Scholarship for \$1000)

You may apply for more than one.

School related Activities:

- Sports
- Clubs
- Band/Music

Community Related Activities

- Volunteer Work
- Civic Groups
- Etc.

Extra-curricular Activities

- Family sport
- Art/Music/travel
- Etc.

Work Experience:

- Job description
- Responsibilities
- How long on the job

References (required, choose one)

- Counselor

- Core Instructor
- Job, Employer/Manager/Foreman

SAMPLE: WE Foundation Scholarship Essay (200-word cap per section)

1) Introduction

Who are you?

What do you value?

How will this scholarship help your educational goals?

How can you benefit your community?

Tell us about your Senior Project

2) Goals

Where do you see yourself in 5 years?

3) Obstacles or challenges that might keep you from attending college or career school

Why did your particular situation seem to be an obstacle or challenge?

Examples:

Family dynamics

Personal growth throughout high school?

What lifelong challenges have you overcome?

REQUEST and FOCUS

Briefly describe (One page or less)

- Which scholarship(s) are you applying for from the WE Foundation?
- Have you applied for any other scholarships? Have any been awarded to you?
- What are your current educational goals? What degree/certification are you pursuing?
- How would funds if awarded be used?
- How would the WE Scholarship make a difference in your educational goals?
- If applying for the WE Foundation Mentorship Scholarship: How would you feel about having a mentor to follow up after the scholarship award? How could a mentor be helpful in achieving your educational goals?