

CSLEA Provides Scholarships

Are you interested in obtaining a scholarship to further your educational pursuits in 2010/2011?

CSLEA would like to recognize and reward those graduating high school seniors, college students and graduate students who have achieved excellence in their academic endeavors.

All qualified applicants have an opportunity to win scholarships. The Scholarship Application Review Committee will review all applications and select the scholarship recipients.

For additional information, please contact the CSLEA Office. Remember: The deadline for the entire applications package is May 15, 2010.

See page 2 for eligibility guidelines

Scholarship Application Form

Applicant's Name _____ Phone () _____

Street Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

CSLEA Member's Name _____ Phone () _____

Social Security # _____

Street Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Work Phone _____ Department _____

Classification _____ Affiliate _____

Academic Achievements:

Community Activities:

College _____ Major _____

I hereby certify this information to be true and correct.

Applicant's Signature _____

Please mail all information to:

ATTN: Scholarship Fund
CSLEA Office
2029 H Street, Sacramento, CA 95814

The CSLEA Scholarship Fund does not discriminate on the basis of sex, race, color, or national/ethnic origin when selecting applicants for the scholarships.

Candidate Guidelines for the CSLEA Scholarship Fund

The CSLEA Foundation is privileged to provide educational scholarships to deserving recipients. The following information outlines the guidelines to qualify for these scholarships.

Purpose:

The CSLEA Scholarship Fund was established to help provide CSLEA members and their dependants the opportunity to attend a college or university.

Eligibility Requirements:

The applicant must be a member of California Statewide Law Enforcement Association (CSLEA), the spouse of a member or a dependant of a member (Continuous CSLEA membership of at least one year before submitting application.) Dependant is a child or step child.

Note: Nonmember fee payers and retirees or their families are not eligible.

Qualifications:

1. The applicant shall have a minimum grade point average of 3.0. Transcripts shall be submitted with the application.
2. The applicant shall have an application pending or be enrolled in a college or university. In the event an applicant does not enter a college or university in the year the scholarship is awarded, he or she will reimburse the award to the CSLEA Scholarship Fund.
3. Each applicant must submit a one page typed autobiography describing his or her future life and educational goals and explaining why he or she is deserving of a scholarship.
4. The applicant shall submit two letters of recommendation from a teacher, professor or school counselor.
5. The applicant will submit a photograph (size 2 inches by 2 inches) with his or her application.

Scholarship Application Review Committee:

The CSLEA President will appoint five individuals to act as a committee to review the applications.

The term of the appointment will be for one year from January 1 through December 31 of each calendar year. The CSLEA President will select one person of the five appointed to act as chairperson

Selection of Scholarship Recipients:

A. An application packet will be prepared for each applicant. Each packet will contain a cover sheet or essay noting academic achievements, grade point average, community activities and background biography.

B. Each application will be assigned a random case number.

C. Upon review of the application packets, each committee member will complete an "Application Assessment Sheet." A score of one to 10 points(10 is the highest) will be granted for: (1) academic achievements, (2) community activities and (3) merit. The assessment sheets will be totaled, and the highest scores will be awarded scholarships. The dollar amount and the number of scholarships awarded will depend on the money raised and donated to the scholarship fund during the fiscal year.

D. An application that does not meet all of the minimum qualifications will be rejected.

Submit Applications to:

CSLEA Foundation Scholarship Fund
2029 H Street
Sacramento, CA 95814

Applications and supporting documents must be post-marked by May 15 of each calendar year to be considered. Scholarship awards will be distributed by August 30 of each calendar year. (The CSLEA Foundation scholarship does not discriminate on the basis of sex, race, color, national or ethnic origin when selecting applicants.)