



**LEAGUE OF UNITED LATIN AMERICAN CITIZENS  
OKC EDUCATION COUNCIL #19002  
2005-2006 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

**Background and Purpose**

LULAC OKC Education Council #19002 is proud to announce the release of the Scholarship Applications for the 2005-2006 Academic Year to better serve the growing Oklahoma Hispanic/Latino community through their commitment to higher education. LULAC's mission is to advance the economic condition, educational attainment, political influence, health and civil rights of the Hispanic population of the United States, and compliments the OKC Education Council's goal to assist Oklahoma's Hispanic/Latino-American students in completing their higher education efforts. Furthermore, through recognition and reward of academically superior performance, achievements, leadership and community involvement, these scholarships provide hope and positive role models for generations of emerging Latino students.

**Eligibility Requirements**

Scholarships are available on a competitive basis to full-time undergraduate, graduate, and students in professional degree programs.

Applicants for the **LULAC Oklahoma Scholarships** must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents of Hispanic/Latino background. Students must complete at least twenty-four (24) credit hours of college work prior to applying for consideration as an Academic Scholar, be currently enrolled as a fulltime college student, and have a minimum 3.00 combined cumulative GPA on a 4.0 scale. A full-time undergraduate student must be carrying a minimum of twelve credits, and a full-time graduate student must be carrying a minimum of nine credits. Applicants must be currently attending a university or college in Oklahoma.

**Are you applying for the:**

**LULAC Oklahoma Scholarship**

**OR**

**LULAC Community Scholarship**

Applicants for the **LULAC Community Scholarships** must graduate from an Oklahoma high school (or possess a GED equivalency) by June 10, 2005; have been enrolled in an Oklahoma high school for at least two years, or be eligible for in-state tuition under Oklahoma Statute 70-3242; and have a minimum high school GPA of 2.75 on a 4.0 scale. Applicants should submit copies of correspondence indicating acceptance at an Oklahoma college or University for the academic term beginning Fall 2005 as soon as it is received. Award of the Scholarship funds will be contingent on full-time enrollment. A person attending vocational or trade school is not eligible. No Legacy scholarships are available at this time (applicant is related to a member of the scholarship committee). Other scholarships, grants, or loans received are considered, but do not exclude applicants from eligibility.

**Award and Selection Process**

The Scholarship award consists of \$500.00 from LULAC with some colleges/universities matching this amount for a potential total award of \$1000. The award will be distributed by the institution for Oklahoma Scholars or LULAC for Community Scholars during the 2005-2006 academic year. LULAC Scholarships are recommended for selection by a review committee, which evaluates applicants on the following criteria:

- ◆ Academic Achievement
- ◆ Personal Qualities and Strengths
- ◆ Financial Need
- ◆ Hispanic/Latino Community Contributions
- ◆ Recommendation Letters

**Application Period and Deadlines**

All applications must be postmarked by March 31, 2005. Facsimile transmissions are not accepted. Successful candidates will be notified of their selection no later than April 30, 2005. No prior acknowledgements are made to applicants and selections are final and irrevocable.

**Instructions**

It is the applicant's responsibility to assure that this application is complete and all materials sent on time. Leave no blanks. If an item does not apply, indicate with "N/A". Incomplete applications, resumes and information not requested will not be processed. Please make sure to have your full name on each document you submit.

**Assemble and Mail the Application package in the following order:**

**2005 LULAC Oklahoma Scholarship**

1. Application form
2. Official Transcript
3. Current Attendance Verification
4. Personal Statement
5. Two Letters of Recommendation
6. 2005-2006 Financial Aid Award Letter (copy)

**2005 LULAC Community Scholarship**

1. Application form
2. Official Transcript or GED Documentation
3. Personal Statement
4. Two Letters of Recommendation

**Mail Application To:  
LULAC Education Committee  
P.O. Box 10841  
Midwest City, OK 73140**



**Recommendation**

No more than two letters of recommendation, addressed to LULAC Selection Committee, are to be submitted regarding your academic, community service, personal achievements and potential for future success. It would be helpful if letters addressed qualities such as maturity, motivation, self-confidence, leadership and commitment. Letters should be sent with the application, or, if mailed separately, be postmarked no later than **March 31, 2005**.

Name of person or entity from which you received this application: \_\_\_\_\_

**Certification**

- ◆ I certify that all information on this form is true and complete to the best of my knowledge.
- ◆ I hereby give LULAC permission to share biographical information, including GPA, contained in my application package for public relations purposes.
- ◆ I certify that I am enrolled as a full-time high school or college student for the current academic year.
- ◆ I understand that application materials become the property of LULAC and cannot be returned.
- ◆ If selected, I understand that I am required to attend the awards banquet to be held in late April or May.
- ◆ I hereby certify that I have read this application and this Certification, and I accept all conditions specified.

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Signature

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Date

***Applicant must go online to [www.finaid.org/calculators/finaidestimate.phtml](http://www.finaid.org/calculators/finaidestimate.phtml) and complete the Financial Need Calculator using your 2003 Tax Return.***

**The following information will be required:**

**Parent Financial Information from 2003 Federal Tax Return:**

(Parents should include only those figures that were reported on their income tax return.)

Adjusted Gross Income  
Federal Tax Paid  
Earned Income (Father/Stepfather)  
Earned Income (Mother/Stepmother)  
Worksheet A (Untaxed Benefits)  
Worksheet B (Tax-deferred & Untaxed Income)  
Worksheet C (StudentAid included in AGI)  
Liquid Assets (Cash, Savings, Checking)  
Net Home Equity  
Net Worth Business or Farm  
Other Investments

**Estimated School Costs:**

Information about school costs and standard “student budgets” can be obtained from financial aid and admissions brochures and catalogs provided by college or university or by consulting college cost references such as those published by Peterson’s. Please enter the costs for a *single* year.

	School	School	School
	#1	#2	#3
Tuition			
Fees			
Room & Board			
Books & Supplies			
Transportation			
Health Insurance			
Incidental Expenses			

**Student Financial Information**

If you filed a 2003 Federal Tax Return, you should include only those figures that were reported on the income tax return.

State of Legal Residence  
Student Age  
Adjusted Gross Income  
Federal Tax Paid  
Earned Income (Student)  
Earned Income (Student’s Spouse)  
Worksheet A (Untaxed Benefits)  
Worksheet B (Tax-deferred & Untaxed)  
Worksheet C (Student Aid included in AGI)  
Liquid Assets (Cash, Savings, Checking)  
Net Home Equity  
Net Worth Business or Farm  
Other Investments

Enter “***Remaining Financial Need***” from website calculator:

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