



## FACTS

Honored in 2007 with the prestigious STAR Award by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board (THECB), and selected as a finalist in the 2008 Excelencia in Education Award, the LULAC Parent/Child Scholarship Program seeks to ensure the **educational success of two generations**. The program provides support, assistance and incentives for PARENTS to successfully complete their educational objectives at an Alamo College. The parent earns a TWO YEAR SCHOLARSHIP for their CHILD to attend an Alamo College upon high school graduation, when the parent completes their stated educational objective.

## BENEFITS

- The **parent** receives **\$250 per semester** during four consecutive semesters (fall and spring only) if enrolled at an Alamo College starting Fall 2012 (*must meet Good Academic Standing and program requirements*).
- The **child** is eligible to claim a **two year tuition and fee scholarship** to attend any Alamo College after their high school graduation, when the parent completes an educational goal: certificate, associate degree or university transfer.

## REQUIREMENTS

- Be the parent of ONLY ONE CHILD, age six or younger
- Commit to completing an educational goal at an Alamo College- certificate, associate degree or transfer program- within four years of selection for the scholarship
- Have no more than 30 college level earned hours (*remedial courses do not count*)
- A minimum 2.5 cumulative GPA
- Four clock hours of parenting completed at a community site or in high school (*attach proof*)
- Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) form submitted before MAY 1<sup>st</sup>, 2012 for priority processing.
- Enroll in Fall 2012 at one of the Alamo Colleges: Northeast Lakeview College, Northwest Vista College, Palo Alto College, San Antonio College or St. Philip's College
- Interview with the scholarship committee, if considered for the scholarship

## APPLICATION SUBMISSION

Submit your COMPLETE scholarship application form, the required essay and letter of recommendation by MAIL, FAX, EMAIL or HAND DELIVER:

By mail: **PARENT/CHILD SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**  
San Antonio College Women's Center  
1300 San Pedro  
San Antonio, TX 78212

Fax: 210-486-9266 OR Email: Bertha Castellanos [bcastellanos6@alamo.edu](mailto:bcastellanos6@alamo.edu)

Hand deliver: **SAC Empowerment Center, 703 Howard San Antonio, TX 78212**

**PRIORITY DEADLINE: May 28, 2012**

**FINAL DEADLINE: June 15, 2012**

Contact us for questions or more information: 210-486-0458 or 486-0455  
<http://www.alamo.edu/sac/SWANS/>

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2012-2013 LULAC PARENT/CHILD SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

APPLICATION

I. Please print or type and complete all sections.

Student's Name: Banner or SSN:

Address: City: State: Zip:

Home Phone: Cell Phone: Email:

Female Male High School Graduate or GED Graduate

Most recent school attended: Earned College Hrs: GPA :

(If attending high school, provide official transcript)

Has anyone in your family graduated from college? yes no

If yes, who?

Your Child's name: Female Male

Child's SSN: Child's Birth date (day, month, year):

Is this your ONLY child? Childcare provided by:

Emergency contact: Relationship: Phone:

II. To be completed before applying:

A parenting course in high school or at least four hours of parenting classes \*

\* Attach transcript or parenting class letter/certificate as proof

A Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) form \*\*

\*\* MUST be submitted before May 1st, 2012 for priority processing: www.fafsa.ed.gov

Alamo College attending or planning to attend in Fall 2012:

Your educational goal is:

Northeast Lakeview College

Certificate

Northwest Vista College

Associate of Arts

Palo Alto College

Associate of Science

San Antonio College

Associate of Applied Science

St. Philip's College

Transfer to a University

III. On a separate sheet of paper, TYPE a minimum one-page ESSAY addressing the following:

- A) Tell us about your professional aspirations and career goals
B) What are some of your current personal challenges?
C) How will this scholarship help you and your child?

**IV. Recommendation letter**

A **counselor or instructor** should complete and sign the attached recommendation form. Recommendations from relatives or friends will not be considered.

**V. Application checklist:**

Complete application form

- Official high school transcript (*only for students currently attending high school*)
- College transcript (*only required if transferring from outside the Alamo Colleges*)
- Proof of Parenting (*high school transcript or certificate from parenting program*)
- FAFSA completed and submitted
- Essay
- Recommendation letter

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The information submitted on this application is true to the best of my knowledge. I understand that any false information given may disqualify me from consideration for and participation in this program.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Mail complete application to:

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Comments \_\_\_\_\_

Complete application Y/N? \_\_\_\_\_ Recommender: \_\_\_\_\_

Received by: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



PARENT/CHILD SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM  
RECOMMENDATION FORM

STUDENT'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

The person named above is applying for our scholarship program. This evaluation is a critical component in our selection process and we appreciate your reply. Please feel free to attach an additional page, if needed. Thank you!

1) In your perception, how motivated is this student to pursue a college education?

\_\_\_\_\_

2) Based on your experience, will this student commit to completing an educational goal? Explain.

\_\_\_\_\_

3) In your opinion, has this student demonstrated determination and leadership?

\_\_\_\_\_

4) What do you consider this student's strongest academic attributes?

\_\_\_\_\_

5) Are there any additional comments you would like to make about this student?

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Recommender's name and title: \_\_\_\_\_

College or Institution affiliated with: \_\_\_\_\_

College or Institution's address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

How long have you known this student? \_\_\_\_\_ In what capacity? \_\_\_\_\_

Recommender's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

**Note:** The student is responsible for submitting this letter with a complete application packet.

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