



The ASU Parents Association First Generation Scholarship Awards Spring 2006

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Through the generous support of ASU parents, the Parents Association has established a fund to make multiple one-time awards of \$2,000 each for the Spring 2006 semester to students who are the first generation in their family planning to graduate from a four-year college program. This fund is intended to help first generation students achieve success in their ASU program. All awards will be based on financial need and demonstrated evidence of strong commitment to academic success and achievement of personal and educational goals.

Eligibility

Applicant must:

- Be a full time undergraduate student in good academic standing enrolled at any of the ASU campuses
- Be a first generation undergraduate student (defined as a student whose parents did not graduate from a four-year college or university)
- Have a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) on file with the ASU Office of Student Financial Assistance.
- Show evidence of commitment to intellectual and personal growth through a broad, well-rounded educational experience.

Application

All applications materials are to be typed. The complete application package must contain the following:

- Completed application form
- Academic budget form (pages 4-5 of application form)
- Official copies of ASU transcripts
- One letter of recommendation from ASU faculty, staff or advisors who is familiar with your post-secondary educational experience
- Personal statement: No more than two pages in length (see specific instructions)

Application Deadline: Wednesday, November 16, 2005

Recipients will be notified on or before January 5, 2006

**Deliver your application to: Office of Annual Giving, 777 S College Ave, Ste # 204
(Across from the College Street Deli above CUPZ and Port of Subs)**

Or

Mail your application to: ASU Parents Association, PO Box 2260, Tempe, AZ 85280-2260.

ASU Parents Association First Generation Scholarship Application Spring 2006

Please type all information.

Personal Information:

Name: _____

ASU ID _____ SS #: _____

ASU Residence Hall/Room (if applicable): _____

Local Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Local phone number: _____ E-mail: _____

Permanent Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Academic Information

Major 1 _____ Major 2 _____

Other Areas of Interest _____

Anticipated Graduation Date _____

ASU Hours Completed _____

of hours enrolled (fall 2005): _____ Anticipated spring 2006 hours _____

Educational and Career Goals *(Please list. Attach additional sheet if necessary.)*

Extracurricular Activities *(Please list. Attach additional sheet as necessary.)*

Community Service *(Please list. Attach additional sheet as necessary.)*

What difficulties have you encountered as a first generation college student?

(Attach additional sheet if necessary.)

***Please complete attached Academic Budget Form.**

PLEASE ATTACH A PERSONAL STATEMENT AT THE END OF YOUR APPLICATION PACKET. The Scholarship Committee will strongly weigh this statement in determining scholarship recipients. Your statement should be typed, double-spaced and representative of your best writing. Statements should be no more than two pages in length. Consider including the following information:

- What are your current and future career goals?
- How have you been involved in your community? What civic, church or school/college organizations have you, or are you an active member of? How have you been an active member?
- What leadership roles have you had in these organizations?
- What work experiences or internship experiences have you had and how have these impacted your long-term goals?
- What honors or awards have you received?
- How will this scholarship help you meet your academic and career goals?
- Are there any extraordinary situations you wish the Scholarship Committee to consider?

Scholarship Agreement:

- *I give my permission for the release of academic, financial, and/or other necessary information requested by the appropriate scholarship selection committee. Further, if a scholarship is awarded to me, my consent is hereby given for the release of academic, financial, or other necessary information requested by the scholarship donor.*
- *I certify that the information throughout this application is accurate, and I understand that misrepresentation of any facts or details could result in ineligibility.*
- *I hereby agree upon the acceptance of any scholarship to the specified terms. I understand the scholarship will be revoked if I no longer meet any of the eligibility criteria.*

Signature: _____

Date: _____



ACADEMIC BUDGET FORM

Spring 2006

(Please estimate expenses and revenue for Spring 2006 semester)

EXPENSES

Tuition and Fees:	Amount	Subtotal
In-State Tuition & Fees	_____	
Out-of-State Tuition	_____	
Books & Supplies	_____	_____
Transportation:		
Vehicle Maintenance Costs	_____	
Payments	_____	
Insurance	_____	
Bus Fare	_____	_____
Room & Board:		
Dormitory	_____	
Food	_____	
Rent	_____	
Utilities	_____	
Telephone	_____	_____
Personal Expenses:		
Clothing	_____	
Laundry	_____	
Health Insurance	_____	
Other Insurance	_____	
Recreational	_____	
Organizational Dues	_____	
Other Monthly Costs	_____	_____
Define	_____	_____
TOTAL EXPENSES		_____

FINANCIAL RESOURCES

Available Income for Academic Year:	Amount	Subtotal
Bank or Private Education Loans	_____	
Grants (Pell, SSIG, SEOG, etc.)	_____	
Personal Earnings (including summer income)	_____	
Parental Support	_____	_____
Scholarships Received:		
Name:		
1. _____	_____	
2. _____	_____	
3. _____	_____	_____
Federal Benefits (if any):		
G.I. Bill	_____	
Social Security	_____	
Welfare	_____	
Other Income _____	_____	_____
Define		
TOTAL FINANCIAL RESOURCES		_____

Describe any unusual personal expenses or income situations that make it difficult for you and your family to contribute to the cost of your education:

FINANCIAL SUMMARY

Total Expenses	_____
<u>Less</u> Total Financial Resources	_____
Unmet Financial Need	_____