

Contreras Scholarship Foundation
Scholarship Selection Criteria
2026

Objective: To provide a one-time award offering educational assistance for graduating high school seniors.

Consideration will be given to the following during participant selection:

- Commitment to pursuing either a two-year associate degree or a four-year academic degree at an accredited college or university.
- Academic record with Grade Point Average (no lower than 2.5 GPA)
- Financial need (low income)
- Teacher or Counselor's recommendations

Guidelines:

1. Complete Application (type or print)
2. Transcript (unofficial)
3. Letter(s) of Recommendation/Appraisal from teacher(s) or counselor of choice
4. Written Essay, 1 page, Write an essay about your background and origins, any cultural or historical details that are important to your identity. Finally, explain your goals for the future and your aspirations."
5. Picture attached to application

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5. Picture attached to application

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION IS FRIDAY, APRIL 10, 2026

All of the above information is required in order to be considered for this scholarship. *Funds will be awarded only after proof of enrollment as a full-time (12 or more credit hours) student at an accredited college or university.*

CONTRERAS SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION
APPLICATION

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HIGH SCHOOL _____ DATE _____

NAME _____ Email _____

Family information:

Parent/Guardian Name(s) _____

Father's Occupation _____

Mother's Occupation _____

Please list all children living at home:

Name:	Age	Name:	Age
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

How many of the above will be in college next year, including you? _____

School Activities: List 3 high school activities (clubs, class offices, awards, etc.)

Other Plans for financing your college education: _____

College Plans:

Major: _____

College of 1st choice _____

College of 2nd choice _____

Attach your 1 page Essay