



Scholarship Application

The Rainbow Girls Foundation of New Mexico announces a scholarship for active Rainbow girls in New Mexico who are in good standing or majority members of New Mexico Rainbow Assemblies. The applicant must be perusing a post-secondary education.

CRITERIA

Scholarship recipients will be selected by the Rainbow Girls Foundation of New Mexico Board based on academic potential and merit, involvement in New Mexico Rainbow, financial need, and involvement in school and community.

APPLICATIONS

Applications for the Foundation Scholarship is available from Mother Advisors, the NMIORG website (<https://gonmrainbow.org/foundation-scholarship/>) or by emailing Carley Casey at silverccc@gmail.com.

All applications need to be typed, except for signatures. Digital signatures will be accepted as needed.

DEADLINE

The deadline to submit applications for the Foundation Scholarship is **May 1st**.

AWARDS

The Rainbow Girls Foundation of New Mexico Board will determine the amount to be awarded each year, as well as the recipients. Awardees will be announced at Grand Assembly.

DISBURSEMENT

Recipients will need to provide proof of registration for the upcoming fall semester prior to be money being awarded. The scholarship can be applied to tuition, books, living expenses, and/or other fees associated with attending a post-secondary institution.

HOW TO SUBMIT

All applications must be emailed by 11:59pm of May 1st to Ms. Carley Casey, PGWA.

The application can be emailed to silverccc@gmail.com. Please ensure all items are included in the email.

Completed applications can also be mailed as needed. Email silverccc@gmail.com to obtain the mailing address.

QUESTIONS?

Questions regarding the application should be directed to your Mother Advisor or Carley Casey, PGWA, at silverccc@gmail.com or 575-519-8357 (call or text).

GENERAL ELIGIBILITY GUIDELINES

To be eligible to receive the Foundation Scholarship, applicants need to meet the following:

1. Submit the application **typed** and signed along with letters of recommendation by the deadline.
2. Must be a high school graduating senior or a student enrolled in a post-secondary institution, including certified vocational institutions.
3. Must have exhibited an interest and active participation in New Mexico Rainbow. Members not in good standing will not be considered.
4. Must have exhibited outstanding scholastic and leadership ability through extracurricular activities and/or civic activities.
5. Provide a current GPA. For high school students, this will be your current GPA for the year or anticipated graduating GPA. For currently enrolled students in post-secondary institutions, this will be your overall GPA (all semesters you have taken courses) — please provide an unofficial transcript. *You may be asked by the Scholarship Committee to provide further proof from your school that shows your current GPA.*
6. Provide one (1) letter of recommendation from an Advisory board member of a local assembly or from a Rainbow related individual (i.e., Mother Advisor, Grand Executive, Rainbow Dad, etc.).
7. Provide one (1) letter of recommendation from an academic related individual (i.e., teacher, advisor, principal, professor, etc.)

INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED FOR THE SCHOLARSHIP.

RAINBOW GIRLS FOUNDATION OF NEW MEXICO SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____
Street Address

City State Zip

Phone: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Member/Majority Member of _____ Assembly # _____,

The International Order of the Rainbow for Girls.

Date Initiated into Rainbow: _____ (*include year*)

School Information

Name of College or University You Plan to Attend or are Currently Attending:

School Location: _____
City State

College Major(s): _____

List your anticipated college major(s) if beginning in the fall.

Graduating High School: _____

School Location: _____
City State

Date of High School Graduation: _____

Current GPA: _____

You may be asked to provide further documentation regarding your GPA.

Have you received the Foundation Scholarship previously? _____

If so, provide the years and amounts:

Family Information

Father's Name: _____ Occupation: _____

Mother's Name: _____ Occupation: _____

Number of dependents supported by parents: _____

Number of family members currently enrolled in college and/or vocational school: _____

Family Expenses:

Please describe any family contributions from your family or any major or unusual family expenses such as major medical expenses, financial loses, or other contributing factors for

financial need. If you are a majority member not currently living with your parents or receiving parental support, indicate that here.

Activities & Awards

Scholastic Activities:

List all scholastics organizations you are or have been a member of. Include honors, awards, and leadership/offices held. Provide years involved.

Service-Related Activities:

List all service-related organizations you are or have been a member of. Include honors, awards, and leadership/offices held. Provide years involved.

Rainbow Activities:

Highest office held in Local Assembly: _____

Other offices held:

Current Grand Officer Position and/or Grand Representative Position:

Past Grand Offices held:

Rainbow Honors & Awards received (include years):

Future Plans

Please expand on your future career goals and/or plans. How would this scholarship help you achieve them?

This application must be accompanied by 1 letter of recommendation from a Rainbow affiliated individual and 1 letter from an academic related individual.

The statements and information included in this application are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and give my consent to the Rainbow Girls Foundation of New Mexico Board to release information concerning my academic and/or financial status.

Applicant Signature:

Date: _____

Parent Signature:

Date: _____