



AAUW Sacramento Scholarship Program

Four scholarships in the amount of \$2,000 each for 2017-2018 are available for women 25 years of age and older who are seeking their first baccalaureate degree. Applicants must be Sacramento County residents and enrolled at one of the following colleges:

- American River College
- Consumnes River College
- Folsom Lake College
- Sacramento City College
- California State University, Sacramento

To obtain a scholarship application, contact:

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or visit

<http://sacramento-ca.aauw.net/programs/scholarships>

Applications must be postmarked no later than

March 6, 2017.



2017-18 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

What is AAUW?

(American Association of University Women)

MISSION STATEMENT: AAUW advances equity for women and girls through advocacy, education, philanthropy and research.

DIVERSITY STATEMENT: AAUW values and seeks a diverse membership. There shall be no barriers to full participation in this organization on the basis of gender, race, creed, age, sexual orientation, national origin, disability or class.

AAUW SACRAMENTO MISSION STATEMENT: AAUW Sacramento supports opportunities for the personal and intellectual growth of women and girls through fellowship, collaboration and shared contribution in our community.

QUALIFICATIONS

Awarding scholarships to women is one way in which AAUW Sacramento encourages women to pursue a higher education. An applicant must meet all of the following qualifications:

- 1) Be a woman 25 years of age or older by September 1, 2017
- 2) Be a resident of Sacramento County and be enrolled at one of the following colleges:
 - American River College
 - Folsom Lake College
 - Consumnes River College
 - Sacramento City College
 - California State University, Sacramento
- 3) Be scheduled to take at least six (6) units in Fall 2017 at one of the above five colleges
- 4) Be scheduled to graduate no earlier than May 2018
- 5) Have completed at least twelve (12) units of credit from an accredited college or university with a Grade Point Average of 3.0 or higher in college level classes (not remedial and/or ESL)
- 6) Be in pursuit of her first baccalaureate degree
- 7) Have clearly defined educational goals
- 8) Demonstrate evidence of financial need
- 9) Be able and willing to attend one AAUW Sacramento Branch meeting to speak briefly about her course of study and career goals



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GENERAL INFORMATION

Name *(please print)* _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip Code _____

Phone _____ Date of Birth *(Must be 25 years old by 9/1/17)* _____

Email address _____

Where will you be enrolled in Fall 2017? ARC _____ CRC _____ FLC _____ SCC _____ CSUS _____

Expected Graduation date (baccalaureate degree): _____

Baccalaureate Major: _____

How did you hear about the AAUW Scholarship Program? _____

Explain why a scholarship is needed.



FINANCIAL INFORMATION

What household members are you responsible for supporting?

Self _____ Number of dependent children(if any) _____

Other dependents (spouse, siblings, parents) _____

Monthly Expenses:	Rent or mortgage payment	\$ _____
	Cell and/or home telephone and internet	\$ _____
	Utilities	\$ _____
	Transportation: car payment, insurance, and gas or public transportation cost	\$ _____
	Food and household supplies	\$ _____
	Health/dental insurance/costs	\$ _____
	Childcare	\$ _____
	Other (describe) _____	\$ _____
	Total monthly expenses	\$ _____

Monthly Income:	Employment (_____ hours per week)	\$ _____
	Contribution by other household members	\$ _____
	Other (describe): _____	\$ _____
	Total monthly income	\$ _____

Education expenses:	Annual tuition	\$ _____
	Estimated annual books and other supplies	\$ _____
	Other annual costs (describe): _____	\$ _____
	Total annual education expenses	\$ _____

List other expected educational scholarships and grants:

_____	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____

All statements on this application are true to the best of my knowledge:

Signature _____

Date _____



PERSONAL STATEMENT

Describe your personal goals, achievements, and career objective. Include relevant biographical information. The statement should be at least one page, but no more than two.



PERSONAL STATEMENT CONT.



APPLICATION DOCUMENTS TO SUBMIT:

- (1) Complete, signed application.
- (2) Unofficial transcripts from at least one accredited college or university that confirm completion of at least 12 or more units of college level courses and cumulative GPA.
- (3) Proof of Spring 2017 semester enrollment in at least six units of college level courses. Official transcripts and proof of Fall 2017 enrollment will be required before the award is paid.
- (4) Two letters of recommendation from individuals such as teachers, professors, counselors or employers who can attest to your potential for success. At least one letter must be from a college or university instructor. Letters may report the applicant's participation in volunteer work or employment history, notable skills, work habits, integrity, leadership skills or other abilities. Submit only two letters.

Applications must be emailed or postmarked no later than March 6, 2017
INCOMPLETE OR LATE APPLICATIONS MAY BE DISQUALIFIED

Your completed application and supporting documents should be mailed or emailed to:

AAUW Sacramento Scholarship Committee
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Sacramento, CA 95820

Email: mikeandamo@gmail.com