

Placer Community Foundation 2017 Scholarships

Scholarship	Description	High Schools	Awards Available	Award Amount	Application	Due Date
Ken and Janice Forbes Geil Scholarship Fund	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> For students attending a vocational/trade school, community college or 4 year college or university. Priority given to economically disadvantaged students and/or students with special needs. May be recurring up to four years based upon the student's successful completion and continued enrollment in a post-secondary institution. 	Placer High School	1	\$2,500	Smarter Select	3/24/2017 by noon
Larry D. Mitchell Memorial Scholarship	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Academic preparation sufficient for successful entry into a 4 year college course of study, with a minimum 3.5 GPA. Possesses strong motivation to complete a college degree. Completion of UC "a-g" course requirements. Minimum of two (2) varsity athletic letters awarded in different sports. Examples of extracurricular activities/community based efforts. 	Placer High School	1	\$1,000	Paper application available at Placer High School	Late March 2017
Ben Parra Scholarship	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Student must be of Latino heritage. Student must be pursuing further education and enrolling full time in a college or university setting. Student must be entering first year of college or university. There is no age restriction on applicants. Priority will be given to students who are attending or have graduated from Lincoln High School. 	Public high schools operated by W. Placer Unified School District	1	\$4,000	Smarter Select	3/24/2017 by noon
Richard and Doris Family Sayles Scholarship	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Must have attended Newcastle Elementary School (Newcastle, CA) for at least 5 years and have not been a past recipient of the Richard and Doris Sayles Family Scholarship. High school graduate, enrollment in the equivalent of 12 semester units of college credit, or full-time in one semester of vocational education program. Minimum grade point average: "C" (2.0) verified by a certified copy of applicant's transcripts (high school, college, or vocational education, whichever is applicable). 	Any, as long as student attended Newcastle Elementary	1	\$1,000	Smarter Select	3/25/2016 by noon

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John G. and Lillian M. Walsh Family Scholarship	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. A high school senior from Placer, Del Oro, Foresthill or Colfax High School or a returning or transfer student at Sierra College who resides in the Auburn area. 2. Pursuing a degree or certificate at Sierra College in the following: Mechatronics, Drafting & Engineering Support, Engineering, Welding, Construction & Energy Technology, or Applied Art & Design. 3. Enrolled in a minimum of 3 semester units of college credit at Sierra College. 4. Priority will be given to full-time students enrolled in 12 or more units. 	Placer, Del Oro, Foresthill or Colfax High School	13	Up to \$2,000, depending on how many credits are left until graduation	Sierra College's online system	3/31/2017
Carmen Wilson Scholarship	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Student must have attended Placer High School. 2. Student must have an exceptional ability and talent in the area of Art, Music or English. 3. Student must be pursuing further education and enrolling full time in a college or university. 4. Student must be entering first year of college or university. 5. There is no age restriction on applicants. 	Placer High School	2	\$4,000	Smarter Select	3/23/2017 by noon