

Seniors: Financial Aid & Scholarships

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Mentoring the First Generation
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Success So Far!

100% of PreCollegiate Seniors have been accepted to a Four-Year College!!!

¡100% de nuestros Seniors han sido aceptados a universidades de 4 años!

So far, the 44 PreCollegiate Seniors have received over 120 acceptance letters!!!

¡Entre los 44 Seniors de PreCollegiate han recibido mas de 120 cartas de admision!

How do I Pay for My Child's Education?

¿Cómo Pagaré por la Educación de mi Hijo?



Federal Aid (FAFSA)

State Aid (COF)

Institutional Aid

Gift Aid (FREE money)

● Scholarships

● Grants

Self-help

● Employment

● Loans (must be paid back)

Ayuda Federal (FAFSA)

Ayuda Estatal (COF)

Ayuda de la Universidad

Ayuda Regalada (dinero GRATIS)

● Becas

● Donación

Ayuda Propia


● Empleo

● Préstamos (tienen que ser pagados)

Dear

Congratulations on your admission to College! On behalf of the University, I am pleased to offer you financial assistance for the 2012-2013 academic year.

Your award is as follows:

Source:	Fall	Spring	Total
College Grant	11,750	11,750	23,500
College Scholarship	3,500	3,500	7,000
Federal Perkins Loan	500	500	1,000
Federal Direct Subsidized Stafford Loan	1,750	1,750	3,500
Fed. Direct Unsubsidized Stafford Loan	1,000	1,000	2,000
Fed. Work Study Opportunity	1,000	1,000	2,000
 Total Awards:	19,500	19,500	39,000

Please note that you will need to provide the following documents to our office as soon as possible in order to finalize your award:

Award Acceptance Agreement (enclosed) Student
Statement of Non-filing
Parent IRS transcript

Your financial aid offer is based on your reporting that other members of your family will be attending undergraduate or graduate school at least half time during 2012-2013. You may be required to provide document his/her enrollment. Please notify our office of any changes in enrollment plans.

Financial Aid Template

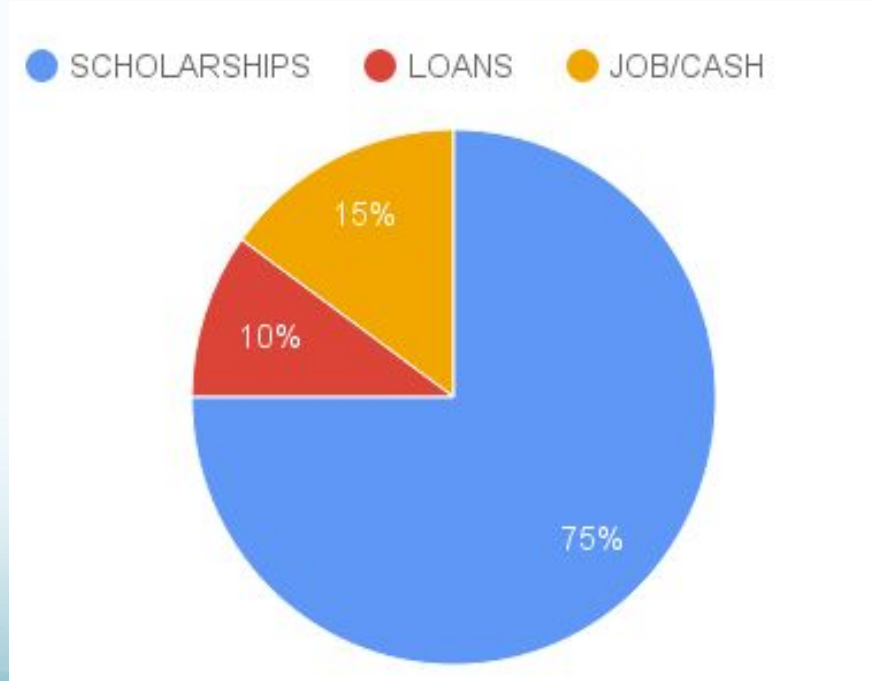
Explicación de Finanzas Estudiantiles

COLLEGE COSTS	Trinity	Mesa
Tuition	39560	6797
Room/Board	12754	9996
Books (est.)	1000	1560
Trans (est.)	1400	1404
Personal	1300	1300
Cost of Attendance	56014	21057
EFC	8,000	8000
Total NEED	48,014	13,057
FINANCIAL AID		
Grant (from college)	14235	0
Merit (from college)	24500	6797
Work Study	0	0
Pell	0	0
TOTAL AID	43,735	11,797
TOTAL GAP	9,279	6,260
<u>Scholarships (local)</u>	<u>5000</u>	<u>5000</u>
LOANS		
Subsidized Loan (+Perkins)	0	0
Unsubsidized Loan	0	0
STUDENT DEBT	0	0
FINAL COST	4,279	1,260

COA-EFC=NEED

NEED-AID=GAP

GAP=





What is a Scholarship?

¿Que es una Beca?

- **Scholarships are monetary gifts given to a student to help pay for his or her education.**
 - **Scholarships are not required to be repaid, like a loan is, but may have requirements to maintain eligibility, such as keeping a certain GPA, meeting with an advisor, or delivering a report or project.**
 - **There are thousands of scholarships with very different award criteria and may be based on specific academic achievement (merit-based), due to financial circumstances (need based) or based on personal interests or achievement.**
 - **Scholarships are hugely important—it is like getting FREE money for your education!**
- **Becas son regalos en forma de dinero que son dados a estudiantes para ayudarles a pagar por su educación.**
 - **Su estudiante no tiene que regresar el dinero a quienes se lo regalaron, como los préstamos. Pero si podrá ver requisitos para mantener la beca como tener un cierto promedio, estar en contacto con el donador, o hacerles proyectos o reportes.**
 - **Hay miles de becas y todas son para diferentes tipos de estudiantes. Hay becas basadas en calificaciones, dificultades financieras, o intereses personales o carreras de interés para su estudiante.**
 - **Las becas son sumamente importantes! Es dinero GRATIS para la universidad!**



Scholarship Requirements

Requisitos para Becas

- Community Service
 - GPA
 - Major specific
 - Fundraising events (e.g. golf tournaments, silent auctions, dinners, etc.)
 - Transcripts every semester/year
 - FAFSA
 - Thank you letters
 - Reapplying
- Servicio a la comunidad
 - GPA (promedio)
 - Carrera específica
 - Eventos de recaudación de fondos (e.g. torneos de golf, subastas, cenas, etc.)
 - Boleta de calificaciones cada semestre/año
 - FAFSA
 - Cartas de agradecimiento
 - Volver a aplicar

How do I find Scholarships?

¿Como puedo encontrar Becas?

- Internet research
- High School Counseling office/website
- PreCollegiate Resources
- Talk to organizations or activities you are involved with



- Investigación en la red
- La oficina de la consejera de cada preparatoria o sus paginas de web
- Recursos de PreCollegiate
- Conversar con organizaciones/actividades en cuales esté involucrado su estudiante



Glenwood Springs High School:

- Counselors
- General Application
- Check Scholarship Box
- Check Green Wall

Roaring Fork High School:

- Counselors
- Futures Page
- General Application

Basalt High School:

- College Counselor
- Online General Application

Glenwood Springs High School:

- Consejeras
- Aplicación General
- Revisar la caja de Becas
- Revisar la Hoja Verde

Roaring Fork High School:

- Consejeras
- Pagina de web: “Futures Page”
- Aplicación General

Basalt High School:

- Consejera de Universidades
- Aplicación General en la Red

Online Scholarship Resources

Recursos en la Red

- 
- **Big Future (College Board)**
 - **College in Colorado**
 - **Fast Web**
 - **Federal Student Aid**
 - **Scholar Snapp**
 - **Find Tuition**
 - **Scholarship Monkey**
 - **Scholly**

Do Not Trust!

¡No Confies!



- Request any sort of Fee
- Credit Card Number
- Contests Requesting Personal Information
- Sweepstakes Scholarships—you won't be awarded a scholarship you didn't apply for

- Piden cualquier tipo de Cuota
- Numeros de Targeta de Credito
- Concursos pidiendo Información Personal
- Sorteos de Becas—Su estudiante no ganara becas a cuales no aplico

Local/Locales

- **Trashmasters**
- **L.S. Wood Charitable Trust**
- **Hot Springs Pool**
- **Rotary Club**
- **Aspen Thrift Shop**
- **Colorado Masons**
- **Alpine Bank**
- **Aspen Community Foundation**
- **Valley View Hospital**
- **Association of Realtors**
- **Aspen Orthopaedic Associates**
- **Buddy Program**

State/Estatales

- **LAEF (Denver)**
- **Boettcher Foundation**
- **The Denver Foundation**
- **Colorado Women's Education Foundation Scholarship**
- **Daniels Fund**
- **Greenhouse Scholars**
- **CESDA**



After the First Year

Después Del Primer Año

- **Many local scholarships are not “renewable”:** meaning that they are only good for one year.
 - **Once on campus in the FALL,** students should locate the school’s scholarship office, and speak with their academic advisor about scholarship opportunities within their major or do internet research connected to their personal and academic interests.
 - **Students should also reach out to their old high school counselor or to PreCollegiate to talk about other opportunities or for renewable scholarships.**
 - **Remember: HAVE A PLAN! All scholarships have DEADLINES and many may be early!**
- **Muchas becas locales son solamente para un año**
 - **Al llegar a la universidad en el otoño los estudiantes deberían ir con la consejera académica sobre oportunidades para becas dentro del programa de estudio o interés de su estudiante.**
 - **Los estudiantes también deberían contactar a sus consejeros de la high school o a PreCollegiate para platicar sobre oportunidades de becas que puedan renovar para otro año.**
 - **Recuerda: ¡Ten un plan! ¡Todas las becas tienen fecha de entrega, y muchas pueden ser tempranas!**



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Thank you!
¡Gracias!