

**Cerritos College Foundation  
Spring 2026 Scholarships**

**Application deadline: Sunday, February 22, 2026 @ 11:59 p.m.**

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**Anil and Sonal Desai Family Endowed Scholarship for Engineering Students**

Two (2), \$500 awards

- Minimum GPA of 2.5
- Completed at least 12 units at Cerritos College
- Engineering Major

**Anil and Sonal Desai Family Endowed Scholarship for STEM and CTE Students**

Two (2), \$500 awards

- Minimum GPA of 2.5
- Completed at least 12 units at Cerritos College
- Must be one of the following majors:
  - Architectural Studies
  - Automotive Technology
  - Computer & Information Sciences
  - Dental Assisting
  - Dental Hygiene
  - Engineering Design Technology
  - Machine Tool Technology
  - Medical Assistant
  - Nursing
  - Pharmacy Technology
  - Physical Therapist Assistant
  - Plastics/Composites Manufacturing
  - Welding
  - Woodworking Manufacturing Technology

**Ben Pendleton Student Veterans Memorial Scholarship**

One (1), \$500 award

- Minimum GPA of 2.0
- Must be a military veteran with an honorable discharge
- Currently enrolled in at least 6 units
- Completed at least 12 units at Cerritos College
- Must have volunteered time to serve and/or give back to the community

**Bob Arthur Family Softball Scholarship**

One (1), \$500 award

- Must be an active Cerritos College softball player
- Enrolled in at least 12 units

**Cerritos College Dental Assisting Scholarship**

Two (2), \$500 awards

- Dental Assisting Major
- Minimum GPA of 3.0

**Cerritos College "Well Done" Scholarship**

One (1), \$500 award

- Child Development Major
- Enrolled in at least 12 units
- Completed at least 12 units
- Minimum GPA of 3.0

### **Coach Robert Foerster Memorial Scholarship**

Two (2), \$700 awards

- Must be a women's or men's basketball player
- Cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher
- Plans to transfer to a four-year college or university

### **Damaris Gradin Child Development Scholarship**

One (1), \$500 award

- Child Development Major
- Enrolled in at least 6 units
- Minimum GPA of 2.0
- Utilizes services offered through Student Accessibility Services (SAS)
- Student parents encouraged to apply

### **Darleene Gomez Memorial Scholarship for Disabled Students**

One (1), \$500 award

- Receiving services offered through Student Accessibility Services (formerly Disabled Student Programs and Services - DSPS)
- Minimum GPA of 2.5
- Enrolled in at least 6 units
- Completed at least 16 units at Cerritos College

### **Dr. Philip C. Rodriguez Memorial Scholarship**

Two (2), \$1,000 awards

- Must be majoring in Chicano Studies, English, History, Paralegal, Political Science, or Sociology
- Completed at least 12 units at Cerritos College (not including units currently enrolled)
- Minimum GPA of 2.5
- Full-time student (currently enrolled in 12 units or more)

### **Dr. Robert Hughlett DSPS Scholarship**

One (1), \$1,000 award

- Utilizes services offered through Student Accessibility Services (SAS), formerly Disabled Student Programs and Services (DSPS)
- Part-time student (enrolled in 6 units or more)
- Completed at least 30 units
- Minimum GPA of 2.0

### **Dream Here, Go Anywhere Scholarship**

One (1), \$500 award

- AB540/Dreamer
- Minimum GPA of 2.75
- Must have plans on transferring to a four-year college or university in the Fall 2026 quarter/semester

### **Edison Green Jobs Scholarship**

Six (6), \$1,600 awards

- Must be receiving the California College Promise Grant (CCPG)
- Enrolled in a minimum of 6 units
- Completed at least 24 units
- Career goals align with research or development related to the use of green technologies (i.e. solar, renewal energies, electric vehicles, environmental sciences, architecture, LEED, Lean Manufacturing, etc.)

### **Edison Scholar (STEM) Scholarship**

Six (6), \$1,600 awards

- Must be a specific STEM Major
  - BCOM/BCOT (Business Communication Office Technology-Business Computerized Office Technologies)
  - Biotechnology
  - Chemistry
  - Computer & Information Sciences
  - Computer Science
  - Engineering Design Technology
  - Engineering Technology
  - Geology
  - Mathematics
  - Physics
- Minimum GPA of 3.5
- Completed at least 12 units at Cerritos College

### **Elizabeth O'Donnell Hamman Scholarship**

One (1), \$600 award

- Math major
- Minimum GPA of 3.0
- Completed at least 6 units at Cerritos College

### **Ford ASSET Scholarship for Student Support**

Four (4), \$1,000 awards

- Enrolled in at least 6 units
- Manufacturer Specialty Automotive ASSET Major
- At least 24 units completed
- Minimum GPA of 3.0

### **Fulton & Garrett Family Culinary Scholarship**

One (1), \$500 award

- Culinary Arts Major
- Minimum GPA of 3.0
- Plan on transferring to a four-year college or university

### **Gary and Steven Hormel Family Endowed Scholarship**

Two (2), \$500 awards

- Minimum GPA of 2.75
- Completed 15 units at Cerritos College
- Must complete the Gary and Steven Hormel Family Endowed Scholarship personal statement

### **Harry Moshenrose Chemistry Scholarship**

Two (2), \$500 awards

- Chemistry or Chemical Engineering Major
- Plans to transfer to a four-year college or university
- Minimum GPA of 3.0
- Completed at least 24 units at Cerritos College
- Enrolled in at least 12 units

### **HAB Business Scholarship**

One (1), \$1,000 award

- Minimum GPA of 3.0
- Business Major
- Completed 12 units

### **HCVT Scholarship**

Two (2), \$2,000 awards

- Must be Accounting major or equivalent (economics major, business administration major, accounting minor or emphasis)
- Minimum GPA of 3.0
- Enrolled in at least 9 units
- Completed at least 12 units at Cerritos College (not including units currently enrolled)
- Plans to transfer to a four-year college or university
- Additional HCVT Personal Statement, Agreement, and Requirements

### **Harbor Dental Society Dental Hygiene Scholarship**

One (1), \$1,000 award

- Dental Hygiene major

### **Harper's Intertwining Hands Scholarship**

One (1), \$500 award

- Minimum GPA of 3.0
- Must know or have studied American Sign Language (ASL)
- Enrolled in at least 12 units
- Completed at least 24 units at Cerritos College

### **Hurtado Family EOPS Scholarship**

One (1), \$500 award

- Must be a member of EOPS Program that is in good standing
- Minimum GPA of 3.25
- Enrolled in a minimum of 12 units
- Plans to transfer to a College/University no later than Fall 2026
- AB 540/Dreamer Students Encouraged to apply

### **I Don't Wanna Stop Scholarship**

One (1), \$500 award

- Minimum GPA of 2.5
- Completed at least 24 units at Cerritos College
- Must have plans on transferring in Fall 2026

### **James D. Woolever CIS Scholarship**

Two (2), \$500 awards

- Computer & Information Sciences Major
- Enrolled in at least 12 units
- Minimum GPA of 3.0

**John Pelloni Scholarship**

One (1), \$500 award

- Cosmetology Major
- Minimum GPA of 3.0

**John R. Jackson & Daniel J. Family CTE Scholarship**

One (1), \$2,000 award

- Career Technical Education Majoring in any of the following:
  - Auto Collision Repair
  - Automotive Technology
  - Culinary Arts
  - Engineering Technology
  - New Product Development
  - Photography
  - Plastics/Composites Manufacturing
  - Welding
  - Woodworking Manufacturing Technology
- Minimum GPA of 3.0
- Plans to transfer by Fall 2026

**Johnson Family Outstanding Accounting Student Scholarship**

One (1), \$1,000 award

- Full-time student (currently enrolled in 12 units or more)
- Completed at least 24 units at Cerritos College
- Business Major with a focus in accounting or finance
- Minimum 3.0 GPA

**Julie Bathke PTA Scholarship**

One (1), \$2,000 award

- Enrolled in Physical Therapy Assistant program
- Minimum 3.0 GPA
- Completed at least 8 units

**Juntilla SHP Scholarship**

Two (2), \$500 awards

- Graduate from the Scholars Honors Program this 2025-2026 academic year
- Minimum GPA of 3.5
- Plans to transfer by Fall 2025

**Kumud Parikh Family Scholarship**

One (1), \$1,000

- Minimum GPA of 2.5
- Must be enrolled in at least 6 units
- Completed at least 12 units
- Must have an unmet need

**La Palma-Cerritos Branch AAUW Scholarship**

Two (2), \$500 awards

- Must be involved in Community Service and/or Volunteer Work
- Minimum GPA of 3.5
- Completed at least 30 units at Cerritos College
- Full-time student (Currently enrolled in at least 12 units)
- Plans to transfer to a 4-year College/University in the Fall 2026 semester/quarter
- Re-Entry Students Encouraged to Apply

### **Martha & Joey Rushing Memorial Scholarship**

One (1), \$500 award

- Minimum GPA of 2.5
- Must be at least 30 years of age
- Must have an unmet need, determined by Financial Aid

### **Max Freifield Leadership & Community Service Scholarship**

One (1), \$500 award

- Minimum GPA of 3.5
- Community Service and/or Volunteer Work
- Enrolled in at least 6 units
- Completed at least 12 units at Cerritos College
- Exhibits leadership in student government or clubs/organizations

### **McKay Family Scholarship**

One (1), \$500 award

- Minimum GPA of 2.5
- Enrolled in at least 5 units
- Completed French 101, 102, 2021, or 202 with a grade of B or better

### **Mildred Ikemoto Nursing Scholarship**

One (1), \$1,000 award

- Nursing Major
- Minimum GPA of 3.0
- Completed between 36 - 72 units at Cerritos College
- Final semester of the Nursing program

### **Moshenrose-McHatton Educators Scholarship**

Two (2), \$500 awards

- Minimum GPA of 3.0
- Enrolled in at least 12 units
- Completed at least 12 units at Cerritos College
- Plans to pursue a teaching credential

### **Nazih and Paska Yehya Family Scholarship**

One (1), \$500 award

- Minimum GPA of 2.0
- Must be enrolled in 12 units or more
- Must have completed at least 12 units
- Must have plans on transferring to a four-year college or university
- Must be a first-generation college student (parents did not attend college/university)

### **Norwalk Women's Club Re-Entry Scholarship**

Two (2), \$500 awards

- Must be enrolled in at least 6 units
- Minimum GPA of 3.0
- Current or former foster youth

### **Omar Ruiz Memorial Scholarship**

One (1), \$500 award

- Child Development Major
- Minimum 3.0 GPA
- Part-Time or Full-Time Student (enrolled in at least 6 units)
- Completed at least 12 units at Cerritos College

### **Osher Scholarship**

Six (6), \$1,600 awards

- Must be receiving the California College Promise Grant
- Enrolled in at least 6 units
- Completed at least 24 degree-applicable units at Cerritos College
- Must be US Citizen, Legal Resident, or AB540

### **Perez-Medrano Health Scholarship**

Two (2), \$500 awards

- Minimum GPA of 2.5
- Enrolled in at least 6 units
- Must be one of the following majors:
  - Dental Hygiene
  - Nursing
  - Pharmacy Technology
  - Philosophy
  - Physical Therapist Assistant
  - Public Health Science

### **Perez-Medrano STEM Scholarship**

Two (2), \$500 awards

- Minimum GPA of 2.5
- Enrolled in at least 6 units
- Must be one of the following majors:
  - Biology
  - Chemistry
  - Computer & Information Sciences
  - Computer Science
  - Engineering (Aerospace & Mechanical Specialty, Electrical, Engineering, etc.)
  - Geology
  - Microbiology
  - Natural Science
  - Physics
  - Zoology

### **Project HOPE Promising Student Scholarship**

One (1), \$600 award

- Must be a full-time student (currently enrolled in 12 units or more)

- Completed at least 30 units
- Plans to transfer to a four-year college or university
- Transferring in Fall 2027 or Spring 2028
- Transfer into a health-related or science-related program
- Additional Project HOPE essay and scholarship questions

### **Project HOPE Transfer Student Scholarship**

One (1), up to \$2,000 award

- Enrolled in at least 6 units
- Plans to transfer to a 4-year College/University
- Transferring into a health-related or science-related program
- Additional Project HOPE essay and scholarship questions

### **Rotary Club of Bellflower Vocational Scholarship**

Three (3), \$1,500 awards

- Full-time student (currently enrolled in 12 units or more)
- Minimum GPA of 2.5
- Vocational Student Major (Accounting, Auto, Business, Computer Sciences, Cosmetology, Culinary Arts, Dental, Engineering, Medical, Nursing, Pharmacy, etc.)
- Volunteered or performed community service

### **Sharon M. Reichle, AA/RN Scholarship**

One (1), \$1,000 award

- Nursing Major
- Part-time student (enrolled in 6 to 11.5 units)
- Completed at least 24 units
- Minimum GPA of 3.0
- Must be a single parent
- Must be working part-time or full-time
- Must have a financial need

### **Southeast District Bar Association Scholarship**

Two (2), \$750 awards

- Minimum GPA of 2.0
- Must have completed 12 units at Cerritos College
- Must be pursuing a career in the legal field
- Must be one of the following majors:
  - Administration of Justice
  - Paralegal
  - Political Science

### **Start Here, Go Anywhere Scholarship**

Four (4), \$500 awards

- Minimum GPA of 2.75
- Plans to transfer to 4-year College or University by Fall 2025

### **Sterling Math Scholarship**

One (1), \$4,000 award

- Math Major
- Minimum GPA of 3.0

- Enrolled in at least 12 units

### **Steve & Judy Kroll Scholarship**

One (1), \$1,000 award

- Accounting or Business Administration Major
- Minimum GPA of 3.0
- Completed at least 12 units
- Enrolled in at least 6 units
- Completion of Accounting 100 and Accounting 101 with an “A” or “B” grade

### **Susan and Ronald Crowell, MD Scholarship**

One (1), \$750 award

- Must be one of the following majors:
  - Biology
  - Chemistry
  - Health Education
  - Medical Assistant
- Minimum GPA of 3.0
- Pursuing a career in the medical field (non-nursing)
- Enrolled in at least 12 units
- Completed at least 24 units at Cerritos College

### **Susan Bennion-Boyle Memorial Scholarship**

One (1), \$1,000

- Minimum GPA of 3.5
- Full-time student (enrolled in at least 12 units)
- Completed at least 24 units
- Must be a re-entry/returning student. (Re-entry students are 23 years or older, who are new to college or returning after a break of three or more years.)
- U.S. Citizen

### **Tilden Coil Athletic Scholarship**

One (1), \$1,000 award

- Minimum GPA of 3.0
- Student Athlete who is currently competing or has completed at least one (1) season at Cerritos College

### **The Cerritos College APIDA Impact & Inquiry Scholarship**

Two (2), \$500 awards

- Minimum GPA of 2.8
- Must be involved in Community Service and/or Volunteer Work
- Must answer 3 additional personal statement questions on involvement and understanding with the Asian Pacific Islander Desi American (APIDA) community

### **Tom & Marie Jackson Alpha Gamma Sigma/Phi Theta Kappa Scholarship**

Two (2), \$2,000 awards and One (1), \$500

- Transferring Fall 2026
- Member of Alpha Gamma Sigma or Phi Theta Kappa with leadership role and/or experiences

### **Transfer Academy Scholarship**

Two (2), \$1,000 awards

- Active Transfer Academy Student
- Minimum GPA of 3.0
- Plan on transferring in Fall 2026
- Completed at least 24 units at Cerritos College

**UndocuScholars Scholarship**

Four (4), \$500 awards

- Undocumented/Dreamer/AB 540 student
- Minimum GPA of 2.0

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