



2021
H.V. LATINO SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Application Postmark Deadline: **Friday, April 9, 2021**

Eligibility Requirements:

To be eligible for this scholarship you must:

- Be of Hispanic Origin (Latino)
- Be a high school senior in Dutchess, Orange, or Ulster Counties
- **Attach a copy of your college acceptance letter - Required**

Selection Criteria

Applicants will be evaluated on the following criteria:

- **Academic Achievements and Community Service**
- **Completed Essay**
- GPA Score
- Letters of recommendation from teacher or school official

Application Preparation

- 1) Complete the Personal Information, High School Information, and College Information section.
- 2) Attach a copy of your most recent high school transcript.
- 3) Complete the Personal Statement Form and sign it.
- 4) Have a teacher or guidance counselor review application and complete the Recommendation Form.
- 5) Place all materials in one envelope and postmark by **Friday April 9, 2021.**



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LATINO HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY AND LEGIBLY

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Applicant Name: _____

Address: _____ **Apt. #** _____

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip:** _____

Telephone: _____ **E-mail:** _____

Date of birth: (mm/dd/yyyy) ____/____/____

Parent / Guardian: _____

Check the box below that best identifies the place of your heritage:

- Cuba Dominican Republic Mexico Puerto Rico
- **Other** _____

HIGH SCHOOL INFORMATION

High School Name: _____

Graduation Year: _____ **Major/Course of Study:** _____

GPA: _____

List any honors or special awards you received during high school.

List all COMMUNITY service activities (including Latino events, school, religious organizations, together with start/end dates and a brief description of your involvement (i.e.: offices held, projects, etc.) Use additional pages, if needed.

COLLEGE INFORMATION

() I will be attending _____ in the fall of 2021.
(College Name)

Declared Major/Course of Study: _____

Career Goal: _____

Anticipated date of College graduation: _____

PERSONAL STATEMENT (ESSAY)

Choose **ONE** of the following topics and on a separate sheet of paper, tell the Scholarship Committee:

___ Why you wish to be considered for this Latino Scholarship Award. You may include a specific attribute, quality, or skill that distinguishes you from others.

___ What you have gained or learned from your **cultural** community service experience.

Your typed essay should not exceed two pages in length. Please sign your essay.

How did you hear about this Scholarship and where did you obtain an application?

Upon submission of this application, I authorize the R&M Scholarship Committee to review copies of my high school transcript for purposes of academic evaluation. I hereby state that all information given is accurate, complete, and true. I understand that should I fail to register to attend college in the fall of 2021, my award will be rescinded.

Selected recipients MUST attend the award ceremony/banquet on Thursday, April 29, 2021 (PENDING DUE TO COVID-19) at the Ramada Inn and Conference Center located at 1289 Route 300 in Newburgh, NY. From 6pm to 9pm. Business attire is required!

Applicant's Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Return completed application and required transcripts by **April 9, 2021**.
Mail to: HV Latino Scholarship • 11 Marino Road • Poughkeepsie, NY 12601

If you have any questions, please contact us by email: nrami55@gmail.com
or call 845.430.7686. **Incomplete submissions will not be considered.**

LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION

Name of Applicant: _____

To the applicant: Give this form to a teacher or guidance counselor who knows you well.

To the teacher or guidance counselor: Please complete this form and return it to the student. You may attach your own letter of recommendation if you wish.

- 1) In what capacity and for how long have you known this student?

- 2) How would you describe this student?

- 3) What unique qualities does this student have that may not be indicated by his/her transcript?

Name _____ Title _____

School _____ Phone: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____