

"To Strengthen our Community Through Education"

College/University Scholarship Application LO BELLO WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

The Lo Bello Women's Association Scholarship Program is intended to assist and encourage students in completing and advancing their college education. Thank you for applying for the Lo Bello Women's Association Scholarship Program. We are looking forward to working with each student that is awarded a scholarship during the upcoming year from our organization. The Lo Bello Women's Association will review the scholarship applications and will determine the scholarship awardees.

TERMS: The Lo Bello Women's Association will award a scholarship to qualified students who is enrolled or planning to enroll at a college or university of their choice. The award will be divided into two (2) equal disbursements by **August 15** and **January 31** of the calendar year.

Scholarship awards will be sent directly to the recipient's college or university and deposited in the recipient's name. The funds will be allocated towards the payments of tuition, academic fees, the purchase of required educational materials and books. The college or university is the custodian of the funds and will disburse the award as directed and consistent with the purpose and policies of this program. Any expenses for items that are not listed above will be considered the student's responsibility.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS: Applicants must meet the following criteria to be considered for a scholarship:

• High School Senior pending graduation

• Must be a student pursuing full-time studies leading to a bachelor's degree at a college or university of their choice

- Entering freshmen, must have a grade point average of at least 2.65 on a 4.0 scale equivalent
- Must maintain a college grade point average of at least 2.65 on a 4.0 grade scale or equivalent
- All applicants must be a U.S. Citizens
- Not over funded from total scholarships and grants awarded

APPLICATION PROCESS: Applicants must complete and submit the following:

NEW APPLICANTS: • Complete Sections A through F

• Submit **OFFICIAL** High School or college transcript with an authorized signature, seal or stamp mailed to <u>LO BELLO WOMENS ASSOCIATION</u>, PO BOX 782163, San Antonio, Texas 78278-0163 on or before June 30th of the calendar year.

• Submit an acceptance letter of the college/university you plan on attending in the Fall

Three (3) letters of recommendation from adults addressed to Lo Bello Women's Association,
P.O. Box 782163, San Antonio, Texas 78278-0163. Include a complete name, telephone number and mailing address for each reference. (1) Teacher, (2) Employer or Parent of applicant, (3)
Neighbor or Family Friend. Possible inquiry might be needed for processing scholarship application.
Answer all questions to the best of your ability. Please do NOT leave any questions unanswered. If question is not applicable, explain omission with DOES NOT APPLY

A. APPLICANT'S PERSONAL INFORMATION:

	Name:	Birth Date:			
	Address:				
	City & State:	Zip Code:			
	Email address:				
	Social Security #:	U.S. Citizen: Yes_	NO		
	Place of Birth:				
	Number of Dependents: Ages:				
	Year Graduated: C. APPLICANT'S EMPLOYMENT DATA Are you emp				
	below: Employer:	• •			
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C.	Employer: W	age	per		
	Will you be living at your parent's home while attending college? If away from home, how will you pay for it?				
	Will your family provide financial support to you while attending college? If no, how will				

you support yourself while attending college full-time?

D. ACTIVITIES DATA Please list all Civic or Club Membership and School Activities, Include Community Services, Church, Boy or Girl Scouts, etc. Please attach a separate sheet if needed.

E. CHARACTER REFERENCES: List three (3) personal character references:

Name of Reference	Occupation	Phone	Relationship

F. COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY CHOICE: List full name and address of college or university you will be attending or plan to attend: Name:_____

		_ City:	
State:Zip	Code:	-	

Have you been accepted to the above institution? Yes_____ No _____

RETURNING RECIPIENTS:

• After completion of each semester, returning awardees seeking scholarship for the following semester must submit an OFFICIAL transcript of their ending semester grades which reflect at least a cumulative grade point of 2.65 or above on 4.0 grade scale or equivalent along with a class schedule of the next semester.

DISBURSEMENT OF FUNDS: Awarded monies will be distributed as follows:

• First half of the Lo Bello Women's Association Scholarship Fund will be disbursed by August 15 for the fall of the awarded year to the college/university

• Second half of the Lo Bello Women's Association Scholarship Fund will be disbursed by January 31 for the in the spring of the awarded year to the college/university.

• Student must provide a class schedule verifying full-time status of at least 12 hours for the Spring semester to receive the second disbursement of the Lo Bello Women's Association Scholarship. The transcript must be physical and mailed to the Lo Bello PO BOX

PLEASE ATTACH:

D. Class Schedule * Sealed Official Transcript *Headshot picture in JPG format with knowledge that this picture will be used for Lo Bello magazine and event program purposes.
 Mail to Lo Bello Women's Association,
 PO BOX 782163
 San Antonio, Texas 78278-0163

APPLICATION DEADLINE:

Fall semester: June 30th of the calendar year, funded by August 15 Spring semester: January 10th of the calendar year, funded by January 31st

LO BELLO WILL ONLY ACCEPT (PAPER) OFFICIAL AND SEALED TRANSCRIPTS. Lo Bello no longer accepts e-transcripts.