Bright Start Scholarship
Yuma and La Paz Counties High School Students

Eligibility

Student must:
• be enrolled as a student with AWC and register for a dual credit or early college class at their high school for Spring 2020.
• need financial assistance in order to take the course.
• be currently enrolled full-time in a high school in Yuma or La Paz county.
• use scholarship for eligible tuition costs.
• complete cover page and essay before deadline
• respond to the essay prompt in ONE – TWO pages

Prompt

Looking at your past, present and future, how will this scholarship help you attain your personal goals? Please also discuss why starting your college education early is important to you and your family.

Please turn in your TYPED essay to your Counselor @ your high school. Essay will need to be turned in to the counselor at least one week before registration for Spring 2020.

Spring Registration Schedule

January 8, 2020: Yuma Catholic High School
January 13, 2020: Parker High School
January 21, 2020: Antelope High School
January 22, 2020: Yuma High School
January 23, 2020: Gila Ridge High School
February 4, 2020: Kofa High School
February 5, 2020: Cibola High School
February 6, 2020: San Luis High School
February 10, 2020: Vista High School

Scholarship can be used for only one class per student. If required, books and course fees will not be included within the scholarship.

*For More Information Contact Tiffany Tipton-Pavey @ tiffany.tipton-pavey@azwestern.edu
2019/2020 Bright Start Scholarship Opportunities

Yuma and La Paz County High School Student Application

Name: __________________________________________  Address: _________________________________________________

AWC ID#: ________________________________________  Email: ___________________________________________________

Date of Birth: _____________________________________  Phone Number: _________________________________________

High School: ______________________________________  AWC Class: ___________________________________________

High School ID#: ___________________________________  Semester: ___________________________________________

How would you like us to contact you (please check one)?  How many live in your household (please circle one)?

☐ Mailing Address    ☐ Email Address

1  2  3  4  5  6  Other: ______

What is your household income (please check one)?

☐ 0-10K    ☐ 10-20k    ☐ 20-30k    ☐ 30-40k    ☐ 40-50k    ☐ 50-60k    ☐ 60-70k    ☐ >70k

Requested AWC contribution: ________________________  Personal Contribution: _____________________________

I understand that completion of this scholarship application does not guarantee any award of funds. As the parent, student, and/or legal
guardian, I further understand that if sponsored billing does not cover any or all charges, I will be held responsible for any balance on the
student’s account. Applicants, who are awarded the scholarship, will be accepted based on financial need and the completion of entire
scholarship application. Applications are due ONE week before registration. PLEASE SEE ESSAY PROMPT FOR SUBMISSION DEADLINE.

Parent/Guardian Signature: ____________________________  Student Signature: __________________________

THIS BOX TO BE FILLED IN BY COLLEGE OFFICIAL

Date received: ______________  Counselor’s Approval: ______________  Processed Date: ______________

Approved ☐  Denied ☐  Amount: ____________________________  Contacted Date: ______________

*Please attach your 1-2 page essay to coversheet and turn in to your CTE/Head Counselor at your high school or email it to Tiffany Tipton-Pavey
at tiffany.tipton-pavey@azwestern.edu. You will be notified in 5-10 business days if you receive the scholarship.