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## Centro de Amistad/ Toyota Latino Scholarship

The purpose for establishing the Centro de Amistad/Toyota Latino Scholarship is to promote and foster educational opportunities for Latino students who have a desire to continue their higher education at an accredited area colleges and universities. The goal is to provide ten (10) scholarships, worth \$1,000 each, to deserving students for the 2005-06 academic year.

### Eligibility Requirements

In order to be considered for the Centro de Amistad/Toyota Latino Scholarship, students must:

1. Be of Latino/Latin American origin,
2. Have applied and been accepted at an area college or university,
3. Have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale in high school/college (or 3.5 on a 5.0 scale), or GED standard average score of 650

### Selection Criteria

1. Personal Statement. Please include a two page essay addressing Latino heritage background, academic achievements, and personal qualities such as motivation, leadership and potential for future success and contributions to the community
2. Two letters of recommendation from high school teachers, community leaders or college professors
3. Please include complete transcript (s)

### Application Requirement

Student must:

1. Complete the Centro de Amistad/Toyota Latino Scholarship application
2. Submit an official high school/college/GED transcript
3. Submit two letters of recommendation
4. Submit a two page, personal statement
5. **Deadline is February 1, 2006**

### Renewal Scholarship

Student must:

1. Reapply and meet the same criteria as listed above

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