

2011-2012 RCCD Scholarship Information and Reminders

If you applied for RCCD Scholarships by the *December 8, 2010* deadline for the **2011-2012** academic year, please read below for information and reminders as to what will happen next.

- For students awarded a **continuing** scholarship, the fall 2011 semester portion of the scholarship was mailed near the end of August 2011 after we verified your enrollment at any college in the Riverside Community College District for the fall 2011 semester (most scholarships require full-time enrollment). Your scholarship funds were mailed to the address on file with the RCCD Admissions & Records Office. Enrollment was verified in mid-August 2011. If a student enrolled after this time, the scholarship check was mailed in late- September 2011.
- For students awarded a **transferring** scholarship, the funds were sent directly to the recipient's four-year institution in August, 2011. The Transfer School Notification form included in your scholarship disbursement information letter needed to be returned so that we have record of where to send the scholarship funds. If you do not enroll in at least 6 units at the transfer university, the scholarship funds will be returned to Riverside Community College District and awarded to an alternate recipient.
- If you were awarded a scholarship but have not yet received your scholarship funds, there may be a problem that needs to be resolved before disbursement. Please contact the Student Financial Services office at your home college.
- The spring 2012 semester portion of your scholarship will be mailed in mid-February 2012 after we verify the following
 - You completed the GPA and number of units required by your scholarship during the fall 2010 semester
 - You are enrolled in the number of units required by your scholarship at any college in the Riverside Community College District for the spring 2012 semester.

Enrollment will be verified in early-February 2012 (If a student enrolls full-time after this date, their scholarship check will be mailed in late-March 2012)

- If you do not complete the number of units and/or GPA required by your scholarship during the fall 2011 semester, your scholarship may be awarded to an alternate. However, you will be sent a letter in February 2012 with the chance to explain why you did not meet the requirements and the possibility of appealing the decision. The letter will contain a scholarship appeal form for you to complete and submit to the Student Financial Services office at any RCCD college. However, please know that submitting the appeal form does not *guarantee* you will receive the spring portion of your scholarship. You will be notified by mail of the results of the scholarship appeal.