

2012-2013 RCCD Scholarships for High School Seniors

Below is a listing of scholarships offered by RCCD available for High School seniors. Read each one to decide which scholarships you may be eligible for. You will be considered for every scholarship for which you meet the criteria. Please pay special attention to those scholarships that require extra effort for eligibility. To assist you with understanding the eligibility requirements for each scholarship please read the following:

Scholarship Name:	Scholarships are often named after the donor or group offering the scholarship. Many times scholarships are offered in memory of a loved one who has passed away. Scholarships may also be named for a group or type of student who will benefit from the scholarship.
Major:	This is the major or course of study required by the donor. Some scholarships will say "None Required." In that case, any major is acceptable.
CGPA:	This is the minimum cumulative GPA as listed on your high school transcripts that is required to apply for each scholarship.
Financial Need:	If there is a "Yes" in this column, the donor requires that applicants for this scholarship have financial need as determined by completion of the 2011-2012 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). The FAFSA is available on-line at www.fafsa.ed.gov . The Title IV Code for MVC is 041735, for NC it is 041761 and for RCC it is 001270. Students that have not completed the FAFSA will not be considered for any need-based scholarships.
Other Criteria:	This is a variety of requirements determined by the donor as eligibility for each scholarship. Please pay close attention to this section. Some of the items may require extra effort on your part to be eligible. Or, the specific scholarship may require that your recommendation letters are from specific individuals.
Amount:	Some scholarship amounts will be listed as "varies" because the award amount can change from year to year. You will be notified of the exact amount in your congratulation award letter and/or your disbursement information letter if you are chosen as a scholarship recipient.

Scholarship Name	Major	CGPA	Financial Need?	Other Criteria	Amount
ASRCC Incoming Freshman Scholarship	None required	2.5	No	Awarded to students who have shown commitment to extra-curricular involvement. One of the Evaluation Forms must be from a teacher or counselor.	Varies
Berkeley Douglas Powell Quasi Endowed Scholarship	Photography	3.6	No	None	Varies
Brodie James Smith Memorial Scholarship	Arts or Humanities	2.5	No	Awarded to a graduate of Norco High School.	\$300
Chrystine Parker Memorial Scholarship	Music	2.5	No	None	\$100
Coach Don Birren Endowed Scholarship	None required	2.0	Yes	For Riverside City College student athletes only	Varies

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Creative Writing Scholarship	None required	3.0	No	Awarded to a student with demonstrated interest in creative writing. Either a short story of up to 10 pages or 3 - 5 poems must be included with the application. All writing samples must be typed, double-spaced, and without the applicant's name on any page.	Varies
Dell Roberts Endowed Scholarship	None required	2.5	Yes	Awarded to a graduate of a local Riverside city high school. Extracurricular activities are very important in the selection of the recipients.	Varies
Dr. Ellen Kinnear Scholarship	Education	3.0	No	Awarded to a graduate from Jurupa USD High School with a career goal in education. For students who plan to attend Riverside City College only.	Varies
Hawkins-Newstead Endowed Scholarship	Business	3.3	No	Preference will be given to Business Education majors, preferably an accounting student.	Varies
Riverside Community College Dance Scholarship	Dance	2.0	No	Awarded to a student taking a minimum of four units of RCC Dance classes during the Fall and Spring semesters. One of the Evaluation Forms must be from a dance teacher/advisor. Applicant must also submit a typewritten essay entitled "What are my future plans, hopes, and dreams?" and participate in an audition and interview. Please contact Sofia Carreras at the RCC Dance Department at (951) 222-8118 for additional information.	Varies
Riverside Sunrise Rotary Warren D. Pepiot Memorial Endowed Scholarship	None required	2.5	Yes	Awarded to a graduate of a local Riverside High School involved in school or community activities.	Varies
Roy L. & Maureen Haglund & Martha Haglund Waite & Ernest K. Waite Endowed Scholarship	None required	3.0	Yes	Awarded to a full-time (12 units) student with good citizenship. Financial aid is the highest priority.	Varies