

## Scholarship Information Sheet

### General Instructions and check List

The following items must be submitted to FUNADEC Scholarships Committee in order for you to be considered for a scholarship award by FUNADEC for the academic year.

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### FUNADEC Scholarship Application

#### Transcripts

- **High School Seniors** — Submit a current high school transcript
- **High School Graduates** — Submit a high school transcript with all school work completed
- **Transfer College Students** — Submit a copy of official transcript(s) of all college work

#### References

- The enclosed confidential evaluation forms must be given to the two individuals you listed as references. These individuals are to send the completed forms directly to FUNADEC
- At least one of these confidential evaluation forms should be submitted by a teacher, counsel, or administrator connected with the school where you currently are or have been enrolled during the past two years.
- For students who have not been enrolled in a school for a period of two years, references should be from an employer, minister, superior, etc.
- DO NOT SUBMIT REFERENCES FROM RELATIVES OR NEIGHBORS

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### General Information

- You must be a high school graduate or have earned a GED
- You must have a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.5 to be considered
- You or one of your parents must be Nicaraguan (submit proof such as copy of Nicaraguan passport, etc.)
- Application Deadline is June 30
- It is the students responsibility to make sure that FUNADEC has a complete application on file including reference letters and transcripts
- This scholarship is need based and requires proof of approved financial aid
- Awarding of yearly scholarship will take place during July
- Completed applications and reference letters should be submitted to

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2700 Day Area Blvd / MC 05

Financial Aid Office / FUNADEC Scholarship

Houston, Texas 77058-1098

# Scholarship Application for Academic Year \_\_\_\_\_

Personal Information \_\_\_\_\_ Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ Mrs. \_\_\_\_\_

Last Name

First Name /Middle Name

Current Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address or PO Box

City

State

Zip Code

Phone No. \_\_\_\_\_ (W) \_\_\_\_\_ (M) Social Security No. \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a single Parent \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

## Academic Information

Are you a \_\_\_\_\_ H.S. Senior \_\_\_\_\_ College Freshman \_\_\_\_\_ College Sophomore \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

Declared Major \_\_\_\_\_

(SCHOLARSHIPS WILL NOT BE PROCESSED WITHOUT A DECLARED MAJOR)

Name and Location of High School

Cumulative Grade Point Average

Name and Location of College

Cumulative Grade Point Average

## Academic Honors / Awards / Achievements

List all accomplishments, positions of leadership, and membership organizations in which you participated during high school and college

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## Other Curricular Activities and Achievements

List all accomplishments, positions of leadership, and membership organizations in which you participate or have participated in your community.



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**Signature of Applicant**

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**Date**



3. In selecting recipients for a FUNADEC scholarship, consideration will be given to the following attributes and achievements of the applicants. Please rate the applicant in respect to each trait listed below by writing 1 through 6 or X on the designated line to indicate his/her relative standing among other students with whom you have had contact.

<b>Rating Scale</b>	
Ranks with the very best students (Top 5%).....	1
Superior.....	2
Outstanding.....	3
Above average.....	4
Average.....	5
Below average.....	6
Inadequate opportunity to observe.....	X

1	95%
2	90%
3	75%
4	60%
5	40%
6	0-40%

- \_\_\_\_\_ Academic record and achievements
  - \_\_\_\_\_ Initiative and motivation
  - \_\_\_\_\_ Integrity, honesty, and dependability
  - \_\_\_\_\_ Special talents and abilities
  - \_\_\_\_\_ Participation in extracurricular activities
  - \_\_\_\_\_ Other (Specify)
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- \_\_\_\_\_ Potential contributions to society upon graduation
- \_\_\_\_\_ Ability and interpersonal skills
- \_\_\_\_\_ Organizational and analytical ability
- \_\_\_\_\_ Your overall ranking of applicant among his/her peers (enter appropriate number based upon above qualities and rating scale).

4. Please use the space below for a general evaluation and comments on specific strengths, special talents, abilities, and weaknesses of the applicant. Please provide as many specific examples as possible to support your general evaluation and comments.

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**Signature of Reference**

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**Date**

Please, return promptly to:  
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