

**J.W.NIXON HIGH SCHOOL
LIST OF LOCAL SCHOLARSHIPS FOR 2017**

To The Student:

The following is a tentative list of scholarships for which graduating students may apply. Before applying for any scholarship, you should review the criteria and determine if you qualify. Please **type** all scholarship applications. Turn in all applications with supporting documents to the Guidance Center by **Friday, March 10, 2017**. Folders for each scholarship will be available at the GO Center. You must file your own applications.

PLEASE NOTE: SOME SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA AND AMOUNTS MAY VARY OR MAY BE SUBJECT TO CHANGE.

2017 NIXON TAILGATE	Amount varies
Parents must have attended Nixon all 4 years.	
ALETHEA SOCIETY/SOCORRO GONZALEZ MEMORIAL	\$500
Wishing to major in education, student with "B" average or better, must attend LCC/TAMIU or vocational school.	
ARGUINDEGUI MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP (Rotational)	\$500
Any college, at least 2.5 GPA, education/business/or technical major.	
BORDER COUNSELING	\$1,000
Applicant's parent must be member for the past 3 consecutive years; attend meetings; involved in planning and organizing; only for graduating juniors and seniors; essay 200-300 words; student involvement; full-time student (at least 12 hours); needs transcript.	
CAVAZOS & ASSOCIATES ARCHITECTS	Amount varies
College-bound, good grades; pursuing Architecture or Engineering, --financial need.	
CECI GUERRA ELIZONDO, CPA CLASS OF '79 SCHOLARSHIP	\$500
SAT, or ACT scores or PSAT– National Hispanic Recognition Recipient; and High school transcript.	
DELIA AND CLARISSA PENA (DCP) SCHOLARSHIP	\$250
4 Year athlete in one sport or more, active member of school organizations all 4 yrs.	
DELTA KAPPA CHAPTER SCHOLARSHIPS/ALPHA DELTA KAPPA (Rotational)	\$300
Female going into education, financial need, 87 GPA or higher.	
ELYSIAN SOCIAL CLUB	\$300
Participated as a debutante in the Elysian Black & White, maintain an 80 or more grade point average.	
FRIENDS OF JAIME J. ZAPATA	Amount varies
No drug or criminal records, applying for Nursing or Law Enforcement.	
GEO GROUP	\$1,000
Financial necessity and proof of enrollment to an institution of higher learning.	
HECTOR "TITO" GARCIA PLACE 6	\$500
Medium to low income; scholarship must be used in 2017 - 2018; acceptance letter from college/university.	
ISIDRO R. ALANIZ	\$250
Boys varsity basketball, 85 + GPA.	
JEFFREY RAMIREZ MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND	\$500
Must have GPA of 3.0 or higher; must rank top 10 %; family income less than \$50,000 annually; an essay about career goals and how they intend to achieve them.	
JETT BOWL/NORTH- ROQUE VELA	Amount varies
Football player going to college out of town.	

JUDGE OSCAR LIENDO/PARTNERS IN EDUCATION College-bound, good grades; financial need.	Amount varies
JUDGE TANO TIJERINA 3.0 or higher, must be an athlete	2 x \$250
J.W. NIXON BAND PARENTS ASSOCIATION Graduating band members who are college bound.	Amount varies
J.W. NIXON BASEBALL BOOSTER CLUB Baseball player, good grades, any college/university.	\$150
J.W. NIXON CLASS OF '80 Financial need, attending LCC, must be enrolled.	\$500
J.W. NIXON FOOTBALL BOOSTER CLUB Parent – 4 year volunteer and football player active in season.	Amount varies
J.W. NIXON GOLDEN SPURS PARENTS ASSOCIATION Graduating Golden Spur, 90 GPA or better, good conduct/attendance.	Amount varies
J.W. NIXON NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY Student must be actively involved with the organization and have a minimum of 75 hours community service with the organization for the 2016-2017 school year.	Amount varies
J.W. NIXON ORCHESTRA PARENTS' ASSOCIATION Graduating orchestra members who are college bound.	Amount varies
JORGE & OLGA HAYNES U.S. Citizen; 80 or above GPA; no behavior infractions; participant in extra-curricular activities; financial need.	\$400
JOSEPH W. NIXON MEMORIAL College-bound, good grades.	\$500
JOSEPHINE B. NIXON MEMORIAL College-bound, good grades.	\$500
RACHEL'S SCHOLARSHIP Financial need, community service and academic achievements.	\$500
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS LAREDO COUNCIL NO. 10939/ BLESSED SACRAMENT CHURCH Typed one-page essay (150 –200 words minimum) on the reason you believe you deserve this scholarship, address financial need, include academic, civic, church activities, awards and honors.	\$1,000
L.I.S.D. EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION Student exceeding an 87.5 GPA, adjusted gross income should not exceed \$85,000 a year. Students planning to attend a technical or vocational school will be considered on an individual basis as far as grade point average is concerned. One letter of Recommendation from a teacher, counselor, or employer, etc. Needs transcript; Attendance report (obtain at Attendance Office)	Amount varies
LAREDO COMMUNITY COLLEGE ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE AWARDS Planning to attend LCC, open to all designated majors, top 20% of graduating class, GPA 3.0 or higher, U.S. Citizenship, and enroll full-time.	\$1,000
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LAREDO EDUCATION ASSOCIATION (TSTA) Related to TSTA member and/or interested in becoming a teacher.	Amount varies

LAREDO EVENING LIONS CLUB Scholastic standing and financial need, school involvement.	\$1,000
LAREDO FIREFIGHTERS ASSOCIATION Son/daughter of firefighter.	\$500
LAREDO MASONIC LODGE NO. 547 Student intends to attend LCC or TAMU and pursue any career path of their choice.	\$300
LAREDO NOON OPTIMIST CLUB Needy student, good grades, income under \$25,000.	\$300
LATIN AMERICAN INTERNATIONAL SPORTS HALL OF FAME Must be a U.S. citizen; an athlete, boy or girl; financial need; school involvement and have a 3.0 or higher GPA.	\$500
LAW OFFICES OF KAZEN, MEURER AND PEREZ 10% of their class; attending a 4 year University.	Amount varies
MEADOW ACRES RESIDENTS COUNCIL Must live in Meadow Acres, family participation in resident activities, good grades, college plans. auto-biography, and letter of recommendation.	Amount varies
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF LETTER CARRIERS LOCAL BRANCH 354 Son/daughter of local branch member.	\$500
OFELIA G. HERNANDEZ MEMORIAL/L.I.S.D. FOOD SERVICE Son/Daughter of L.I.S.D. Food Service Employee; college intentions; good grades; not a recipient of another scholarship.	\$400
PRINCESS POCAHONTAS COUNCIL MERIT AWARD Only members of the PPC court eligible.	\$200
RAFAELA BARBERIO BENAVIDES EDUCATIONAL TRUST Education major preferably with a concentration in English or Journalism, other fields such as Math or Science good grades in English, need will be considered.	Amount varies
RAMIRO RANGEL MEMORIAL Male basketball player; financial need; good grades and acceptance letter from college/university.	\$500
RUSSELL TERRACE RESIDENT COUNCIL Must live in Russell Terrace, good grades, college plans, and family participation in resident activities, auto-biography, and letter of recommendation.	Amount varies
UNI-TRADE, FORWARDING, INC. College-bound, good grades.	Amount varies
VIDAL M. & LUCILA TREVINO MEMORIAL GPA 92.5 and 97.5 (scholarship application packet must include verified GPA by your school); SAT score of 1470 all three areas (i.e. Critical Reading, Mathematics and Writing) ; must be selected by senior HS counselor; family income not exceed \$90,000 a year. However, a \$5,000.00 extra allowance will be added for every sibling already in college.	\$1,500