



CHANDLER-GILBERT COMMUNITY COLLEGE

HONORS PROGRAM

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Chandler, AZ 85225

We are pleased that you are interested in attending Chandler-Gilbert Community College.

As you make plans for your future educational goals, we hope you will participate in the CGCC Honors Program as a Presidents' Scholar. The Presidents' Scholarship pays your in-county tuition and registration fee (a dollar amount equal to 15 credit hours) for up to 4 consecutive fall and spring semesters of MCCCDC course work, excluding summers.

INTERESTED? HERE'S HOW TO QUALIFY: (You must be a recent high school graduate).

Class Ranking:

Rank in the top 15% at the end of the 6th, 7th, or 8th semester.

Achieve the following scores on the ACCUPLACER, ASSET, or COMPASS placement tests in all three areas:

Pres. Scholarship ACCUPLACER	Pres. Scholarship ASSET	Pres. Scholarship COMPASS
Sentence Skills 92+	Writing Skills 51-54	Writing Skills 97-100
Reading Comp. 92-116	Reading Skills 47-53	Reading Skills 91-100
Algebra 50-119	Elem. Alg. 41-55	Algebra 41-100
College Level 23-119	Inter. Alg. 29-55 College Alg. 29-55	College Alg. 51-100

Once the application has been received and your eligibility has been verified, all new Presidents' Scholars will receive a confirmation letter containing important information. Please read and follow the directions in the letter carefully. Your first semester, you must enroll in one of the special designated honors courses for new Presidents' Scholars. These classes will be listed along with a brief description in the confirmation letter. You will also be required to attend a mandatory Honors Program orientation during which you will receive an Honors Program Handbook outlining all requirements and policies.

HOW SCHOLARSHIPS ARE DISPERSED:

After being accepted into the Honors Program, and registering for classes, Presidents' Scholars will have their fee due date on the billing statement extended/deferred until the first week of class. At that time, the Honors Office will verify the student's eligibility and enrollment, and the scholarship amount will be applied to the student's account. Students must pay any fees over the scholarship amount by the due date on the billing statement.

Please feel free to contact us if you have any questions.

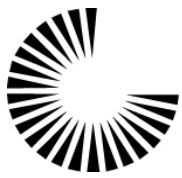
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Presidents' Scholarship Application Form

Deadline: August 8, 2009 for fall;

January 9, 2010 for spring

Personal Information

Student Name

Phone Number

CGCC Student ID Number

D.O.B (Month/Day/Year)

Address

City

State

Zip Code

Email Address (For Honors use only).

**If qualifying through testing, high school information does not need to be filled out.

Name of High School

Address

Date of Graduation

Current Class Rank

Out of

Ranking Percentage

Student's Signature

Date

High School Counselor/Registrar

Date

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

Qualify:

_____ HS _____ Test Scores

Test Score

Test Taken (Circle one)

Reading _____ Accuplacer Asset Compass

English _____ Accuplacer Asset Compass

Math _____ Accuplacer Asset Compass

Received By: _____

Date Received: _____



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Honors Program Presidents' Scholarship

Informational Guideline/Agreement for 2009 High School Graduates

The Presidents' Scholarship is a tuition waiver that covers in-county tuition and fees up to 15 credit hours for four consecutive semesters, fall and spring only. It DOES NOT cover books, private instruction/ music classes, summer classes, or classes below the 100 level (remedial classes) and is subject to MCCD approval should a tuition increase occur for the 2009-2010 academic year.

Please note: State law now requires that a person who is not a citizen or legal resident of the United States or who is without lawful immigration status is not entitled to classification as an in-state student pursuant to A.R.S. Section 15-1802 or entitled to classification as a county resident pursuant to A.R.S. 15-1902-01. According to state law, a person who is not a citizen of the United States, who is without lawful immigration status, and who is enrolled at any community college under the jurisdiction of an Arizona community college district is not entitled to tuition waivers, fee waivers, grants, scholarship assistance, financial aid, tuition assistance or any other type of financial assistance that is subsidized or paid in whole or in part with state monies.

Acceptance (Students must meet all of the following eligibility requirements to receive the Presidents' Scholarship):

- *Have a complete Chandler-Gilbert Community College Presidents' Scholarship Application on file with the Honors Program.
- *Be a citizen or legal resident of the United States.
- *Graduate from a Maricopa County high school.
- *Verify rank in the top 15% of his/her NCA accredited Maricopa County high school class in the 6th, 7th, or 8th semester OR achieve appropriate scores on placement test. Placement test qualification applies to graduates from NCA accredited high schools whose class standing falls below the 15th percentile and to students who complete secondary educational programs not accredited by NCA (home school, charter, and private schools). GED graduates are eligible by placement test scores only in the GED is completed and enrollment at MCCD begins before the individual's 19th birthday. Students must also provide proof of graduation from a high school located in Maricopa County or evidence of secondary school program completion/GED completion.
- *Upon graduation from high school, submit an official high school transcript directly to the Honors Program. Transcript must include graduation date, rank in class, final GPA, and school seal.
- * Enroll at CGCC within one academic year following high school graduation without having attended another college or university before enrolling in a Maricopa Community College.

Renewal and Retention:

In order for the Presidents' Scholarships to be automatically renewed each semester, the student must meet all of the following requirements:

- *Must complete 12 or more credit hours of 100 level or above per semester. Consortium Agreements are available with any of the Maricopa Community Colleges.
- *Must be enrolled in 3 or more Honors credit hours each semester at CGCC.
- *No Pass/Fail classes will be counted toward required hours (except students enrolled in a program that requires Pass/Fail classes).
- * Maintain a cumulative grade point average of 3.25 or higher each semester. All MCCD coursework completed (including Dual Enrollment) is included in the cumulative GPA.
- * Must complete 24 credits by the end of the academic year.
- * Must receive a "C" or higher in your Honors class each semester.

Honors Program Graduation:

- * Complete a minimum of 15 Honors credits (Pass/Fail excluded).
- * Maintain a cumulative GPA of 3.5 or higher.
- *Petition for Graduation in the Advisement Department.

Important Notes:

Periodically during the semester, the student's enrollment is reviewed. If the student is enrolled in less than 12 credit hours or not in an Honors class, the scholarship is cancelled and the student is responsible for all fees. Honors Program students should not withdraw from courses without first consulting with the Honors Department.

Students have the option of applying for a deferment that can defer the Presidents' Scholarship for up to twenty-four months. See the Honors Program website for more information.

I have read and understand the above information:

Name (Please print): _____ CGCC Student ID: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Email Address (Honors use only): _____

(Please keep email address current with CGCC and make sure you check it often)