Dear Returning Recipient:

Congratulations on your continued success in postsecondary education!

If you have received funds from FYEF in the 2023-2024 academic year, then you are eligible to fill out the returning scholar form attached.

Please send the following by the deadline:

- Completed returning recipient application.
- Current transcripts. Copies will be accepted.
- Acceptance letter if you have transferred to another school or college.

While we do not specify the amount you may apply for, applicants should be aware our average amount awarded ranges from $500-$2,500.

All applications must be postmarked by August 1, 2024

NOTE: You may only apply once per academic year for FYEF educational grant funding.

If you have any questions or need help with the completion of your application please contact FYEF at Scholarships@fyef.org. You may also text or call 916-335-5485. Congratulations on your achievements and good luck!

Sincerely,

[Signature]

Virginia Williams
FYEF Scholarship Chair
Foster Youth Education Fund
RETURNING RECIPIENT GRANT APPLICATION GUIDELINES

Application must be postmarked by August 1st, 2024.

You may email your COMPLETED application to: Scholarships@fyef.org

Mail or email your completed application to:

Foster Youth Education Fund
2443 Fair Oaks Blvd. # 392
Sacramento, CA 95825 (This is a PO Box not FYEF location)

The postmark is important; however, it is not necessary to go to the expense of sending overnight or other expensive mail methods.

Scholarship Questions or Submissions? Email: Scholarships@fyef.org

EDUCATIONAL GRANT AWARD REQUIREMENTS
In the event that you are awarded a scholarship, you will receive a scholarship award letter.

Prior to release of grant money, each recipient must submit proof of enrollment for the most current semester available in the academic year in which you are applying for. In the event that your scholarship award indicates that it is an award being dispersed over multiple semesters, you will need to provide proof of enrollment each semester prior to distribution of allocated award amount for that semester.

Example: If you are applying for the 2024-2025 Academic year and receive a scholarship award letter in August, you will need to submit proof of enrollment for the Fall 2024 semester.

Recipients of the FYEF grant may be encouraged to participate in activities such as:

● Attending or appearing in our annual Foster Youth Fashion Show.
● Meeting with FYEF volunteers and donors.
● Providing written testimonials.
● Assisting with community outreach.
● Participation in follow-up surveys.
● Foster Youth Program
● Participation in the Social Justice Committee

Eligibility for educational grant is without regard to race, gender, ethnicity, religion, sexual orientation or political affiliation.

FYEF Application 2024-2025
# Foster Youth Education Fund 2024-2025 Grant Application for Returning Recipients

## APPLICANT INFORMATION

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County you will/have aged out of care from/are still a non-minor dependent of:

## EDUCATIONAL AND ASSISTANCE INFORMATION

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**Must include College / Vocational transcripts with application.**

**Note:** The amount of the scholarship may be determined based upon academic standing.

Planning to attend (if different than above)

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<td>Have you been accepted?</td>
<td>YES ☐</td>
<td>NO ☐</td>
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Please give us a brief update on your academic progress, any changes in your educational goals or timeline.

**FUNDING**

Are you part of any of the following assistance programs?

- ☐ The Foster Youth Services
- ☐ Extended Opportunity Programs & Services (EOPS)
- ☐ The Foster Youth Initiative
- ☐ Cooperative Agencies Resources for Education (CARE)
- ☐ Guardian Scholars
- ☐ Other:

**ESTIMATE OF NEED**

List the approximate amount of funding that would assist with costs for one full school year that will not be paid for by current personal savings, employment, other scholarships and student financial aid:

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**LAPTOP**

If available, are you in need of a computer or laptop to assist with school?  YES ☐  NO ☐

**CELLPHONE**

If available, are you in need of a cell phone or the use of a cell phone as a mobile hotspot in order to access the internet to assist with school?  YES ☐  NO ☐

*NOTE: Cellphone/mobile hotspots are provided via a California Public Utilities Commission pilot and are in no way affiliated with the Foster Youth Education Fund*

**OFFICE HOURS REQUIREMENT**

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Have you completed an intake meeting with our FYEF Outreach Coordinator? YES ☐ NO ☐
Contact Christine (Outreach Coordinator) at outreach@fyef.org to complete the requirement.

Please Note:
You do not need to complete this requirement more than once. If you have already completed this requirement for a past application you should mark YES for COMPLETE.

TRANSCRIPT SUBMISSION
Did you submit your Transcripts for the last scholarship round? YES ☐ NO ☐

INFORMATIONAL CAMPAIGNS
Are you interested in being featured in upcoming FYEF informational campaigns (ex: Big Day of Giving): YES ☐ NO ☐

Your Privacy Is Protected

This information is used to determine if our efforts are reaching all segments of the population. Your voluntary responses are treated in a highly confidential manner. Your responses are not released to the panel rating the applications, to anyone else who can affect your application, or to the public. This is vital information not available from any other source. We can only get it directly from you. Thank you for helping us.

Gender:
☐ Male ☐ Female
☐ Not Listed Above ____________________

Race/Ethnicity
☐ Black or African American
☐ Hispanic or Latino
☐ White
☐ American Indian or Alaska Native
☐ Asian
☐ Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander
☐ Not Listed Above: ____________________