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Scholarship Information

The Ministry of Children, Youth and Families is soliciting candidates for receiving scholarship aid.

Undergraduate aid: Applicants must be high school seniors or others who plan to continue their formal education in the fall of 2025. Applicants must be an active member of CCSM, have a good academic record and demonstrate interest and involvement in school and community activities as evidenced by the application and letter of recommendation.

To apply:

- Complete the application.
- Submit a letter of recommendation from a teacher with the application.
- Submit materials by **March 15, 2025**. (Early applications are encouraged).
- Commit to attending the scholarship presentation during a Sunday church service.

Graduate School Aid: Applicants must be graduate school students (current or pending) in need of financial aid and in good standing at a recognized university. Applicants must be an active member of CCSM, have a good academic record, have a commitment to and a track record of community service and demonstrate plans to use their education for further service in the world.

To apply:

- Complete the application.
- Demonstrate financial need, as verified by a graduate school budget or simple income/ expense statement.
- Demonstrate a track record of community service.
- Identify plans to use your education for further service in the world, as evidenced by a statement of purpose in your application, supporting evidence and letters of support (maximum 3) or references. Examples of service in the world include the skilled professions of non-profits, social work, health care, etc.
- Be available to participate in an interview in person or with the scholarship committee as appropriate/ feasible.
- Submit materials by **March 15, 2025**. (Early applications are encouraged).
- You may be contacted during the academic year to update the impact of the scholarship.

Completed scholarship applications will be reviewed and recipients selected by the Ministry of Children, Youth and Families. Recipients will be notified in early April.

Please submit completed applications to Warren Long longlake15@sbcglobal.net or contact Warren if you have any questions. Thanks!

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH OF SAN MATEO, UCC

UNDERGRADUATE AID APPLICATION

Application due date: March 15, 2025

PERSONAL INFORMATION:

Attach a small photo of yourself.

Name: Date of Birth:

Address:

City: Zip Code:

Phone (home): (mobile):

Email address:

Member of the CCSM? How long have you been involved with the CCSM?

Parents' Name(s)

Address (If different) _____ City _____ Zip _____

Phone: email:

EDUCATION:

High School Expected Graduation Date:

College / University you plan to attend - **Fall 2025**_____ Accepted? Pending?

About you: ***(Expand appropriately in answer to these questions.)***

1. Describe your involvement in the Congregational Church of San Mateo.

2. Statement of Purpose. (Discuss briefly your academic and personal goals.)

3. Describe school activities in which you have engaged and participated.

4. Describe community activities in which you have participated.

5. Describe volunteer or work experience you have had.

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UNDERGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP RECOMMENDATION

To Whom It May Concern:

Please complete this recommendation for _____,
who is applying for a scholarship from the Congregational Church of San Mateo. We appreciate your insight into his/her academic achievements, involvement in school, engagement in community service, character traits, and any other information that you feel should be considered. Please return this recommendation to the applicant for their submission with their application, **due March 15, 2025**.

Thank you for your cooperation and assistance.

Signature_____ Position: _____ Date_____

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH OF SAN MATEO, UCC

Bullis Graduate School Scholarship Application

Due date: March 15, 2025

PERSONAL INFORMATION:

Attach a small photo of yourself.

Name: Date of Birth:

Address:

City: Zip Code:

Phone (home): (mobile):

Email address:

Member of the CCSM? How long have you been involved with the CCSM?

Describe your involvement in the CCSM community?

Parents' Name(s)

Address (If different):

EDUCATION: **High School** _____ **Year of Graduation** _____

Undergraduate College / University _____ **Degree**_____ **Year of Graduation** _____

Graduate School _____

About you: **(Use separate sheets to elaborate your response to these questions.)**

1. Describe your involvement in the Congregational Church of San Mateo.

2. Describe your involvement in community service in high school, college and graduate school.

3. Statement of purpose. (Share your plans of how your graduate education will be of service to the world.)

4. Evidence of financial need. (e.g. A graduate school budget and/or income / expense statement for the academic year.)

5. Provide further information such as awards or honors relevant to your application.

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Bullis Graduate School Scholarship Application

Letter of support/ Reference

To Whom It May Concern:

(Name) _____, is applying for a Bullis Graduate School Scholarship from the Congregational Church of San Mateo. The intent of the Scholarship is to promote further service in the world by assisting qualifying graduate students with their education.

We appreciate your insight into the applicant's academic achievement, community service, character traits, and any other information of value. **The application deadline is March 15, 2025.**

Please return to applicant or email to longlake15@sbcglobal.net Re: CYF, Bullis Scholarship

Thank you for your cooperation and assistance.

Signature_____ Date_____