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Santiago Canyon College Freshman Scholarships

APPLICATION PACKAGE DUE October 28, 2010

Santiago Canyon College (SCC), as part of the Rancho Santiago Community College District, sponsors a scholarship program which recognizes both academic and specialized achievement among graduating seniors who will be attending SCC as a full-time student* in the Fall 2010 and Spring 2011 semesters. This 2010-2011 application package contains all the information that you will need to apply for the five scholarships listed. All required information **MUST** be included for your application to be considered complete. Please read all instructions carefully.

SCC LEADERSHIP & ACHIEVEMENT SCHOLARSHIP HORACE SCOTT LEADERSHIP & ACHIEVEMENT SCHOLARSHIP

CRITERIA:

Currently enrolled at SCC as a full time student (12 units or more)

GPA: 3.0 and at least one of the following:

Leadership Skills: Participation in high school or college activities and clubs.

Community Involvement: Volunteer public or private.

Employment: Work outside school as well as any jobs held on campus.

Number & Amount of Award: Two \$500 awards.

WALTMAR LEADERSHIP & ACHIEVEMENT SCHOLARSHIP

CRITERIA:

Currently enrolled at SCC as a full time student (12 units or more)

GPA: 3.0

Leadership Skills: Participation in high school activities and clubs.

Community Involvement: Volunteer public or private.

Employment: Work outside school as well as any jobs held on campus.

Number & Amount of Award: Up to Five awards of \$500 each.



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WALTMAR "NEW HAWK" AWARD

CRITERIA:

Currently enrolled at SCC as a full time student (12 units or more)

GPA: 3.0 (High School) **and at least one of the following:**

Leadership Skills: Participated in high school activities and clubs.

Community Involvement: Volunteer public or private.

Employment: Work outside school as well as any jobs held on campus.

Number & Amount of Award: Up to eight \$500 awards

WALTMAR SCC HONORS PROGRAM SCHOLARSHIP

CRITERIA:

(Please see detailed scholarship criteria inside, page 3)

Currently enrolled at SCC as a full time student (12 units or more)

GPA: 3.25 (High School)

Leadership Skills: Participation in high school activities and clubs.

Community Involvement: Volunteer public or private. **MUST BE** currently enrolled in the SCC honors program.

Number & Amount of Award: Up to ten awards of \$500 each.

RSCCD CHANCELLOR'S BALL HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP

CRITERIA:

Currently enrolled at SCC as a full time student (12 units or more)

GPA: 3.0

Leadership Skills: Participation in high school activities and clubs.

Community Involvement: Volunteer public or private.

Employment: Work outside school as well as any jobs held on campus.

Number & Amount of Award: Five \$500 awards.

**Questions? Please call the Scholarship Office at (714) 628-4793
or Email: scholarships@sccollege.edu**

DUE DATE: October 28, 2010

www.sccollege.edu/scholarships



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APPLICATION PROCEDURES

Please Read **ALL** Directions Carefully Before Completing the Attached Application Form.

1. Complete the attached application form, all attachments and biographical statement and return to:

Scholarship Office
Santiago Canyon College
8045 E. Chapman Avenue, A-206-A
Orange, CA 92869

PLEASE NOTE: Located at the top of the following Application Form are check boxes for each scholarship. Be sure to check each of the scholarship(s) for which you meet the minimum requirements. You may check more than one, however, if you do NOT check the box you may not be considered for that scholarship.

2. The following items **MUST** be attached to your application:
 - a. A copy of your high school transcript which includes the Fall 2009 semester of your senior year and your Spring 2010
 - b. One to three letters of recommendation from people who know first-hand of your achievements and your qualifications for the scholarship;
 - c. Your Personal Statement
3. Completed applications are due by 5:00 PM October 28, 2010 to the Scholarship Office (A-206-A) located at:

Santiago Canyon College, 8045 E. Chapman Avenue, Orange, CA 92869
4. Applications are **NOT** considered complete unless necessary items are attached and the application is **SIGNED**. **Incomplete applications will NOT be considered.**



IMPORTANT NOTE:

All scholarships are for students **attending SANTIAGO CANYON COLLEGE as a FULL-TIME student (12 or more units) for the FALL 2010 and SPRING 2011 semesters.**

For further information, contact the SCC Scholarship Office at 628.4793.



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WALTMAR HONORS PROGRAM SCHOLARSHIP

Please review the Waltmar Honors Program Scholarship description and qualifications carefully. All requirements must be met BEFORE semester funds will be disbursed.

DESCRIPTION

The SCC Honors Program Scholarships are designed to recruit entering freshman from local high schools to participate in the SCC Honors Program. Thanks to a donation from the Waltmar Foundation, SCC will offer up to ten \$500 scholarships to be used toward enrollment fees, books, lab fees, and other classroom expenses. **Once all required criteria have been verified by the SCC Scholarship Office & the SCC Honors Program**, the first \$250 will be awarded for the spring semester. The second \$250 will be awarded the following fall semester contingent upon maintaining the minimum requirements for recipients (see below) the first semester.

MINIMUM CRITERIA FOR APPLICANTS

- Entering freshmen • A minimum high school overall GPA of 3.25 • Must become a member of the SCC Honors Program and be enrolled in at least one honors class in fall of 2010 • Two (2) letters of recommendation on letterhead (at least one from a school official) addressing any of the following: academic performance, character, extracurricular/leadership activities, academic goals; • Interview may be required • Financial need may be considered.

ADDITIONAL CRITERIA TO BE CONSIDERED IN EVALUATING APPLICANTS:

- GPA above 3.25; • Depth and breadth of courses taken in high school; • Beyond classroom activities: campus, civic, family activities and service; • Degree goal.

REQUIREMENTS FOR RECIPIENTS

- Must complete a minimum of 3 Honors courses in the first year of enrollment with at least one the first semester and English 101H the first year; • Must be a full-time SCC student (12 units minimum); • Must maintain an overall SCC GPA of 3.0 both semesters; • Must attend the Spring 2010 Scholarship Awards Ceremony.

**REMEMBER: Semester funds will not be disbursed until all requirements have been met.
Funds are not available prior to registration.**



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APPLICATION

From the list below, select the scholarship(s) for which you are applying.
You may select more than one:

- SCC & Horace Scott Leadership & Achievement
- RSCCD Chancellor's Ball
- Waltmar Leadership & Achievement

(Use Black Ink or Type)

Due Date: October 28, 2010

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Last First Student ID

Street Address City/State/Zip

Phone Number Home Date of Birth

Email Address

College Major:

2010 Graduate of: Name of High School

Overall high school GPA: _____. Enclose a copy of your high school transcript, this can be obtained in your high school's Registrar's office.

HOW TO APPLY:

Complete both sides of the application form. Attach your statement, copy of your transcripts and letter(s) of recommendation. All applications must be received at Santiago Canyon College no later than October 28, 2010. All applications **MUST BE SIGNED**. Your application is **NOT** considered complete without your signature. Postmarked application packages **will not be accepted**. Mail your completed Santiago Canyon Freshman Scholarship Application Package to:

Santiago Canyon College Scholarship Office A-206-A
8045 E. Chapman Avenue
Orange, CA 92869



CHECK LIST: Use this check list to make sure that you have included all items necessary to provide us with a complete application package:

- Application Page
- Unofficial Transcripts
- Signed Application
- Personal Statement
- Letters of Recommendation



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NAME: _____ Date of Birth: _____

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES AND WORK EXPERIENCE: Specify what you were involved in, any special roles or functions you performed, and number of years involved. Attach additional sheet if necessary. Volunteer Work and Community Service (unpaid):

School Activities:

Work Experience (paid):

PERSONAL STATEMENT: Write a full page statement about yourself and attach it to your application package. Include your name in the upper right hand corner and limit the length to no more than 2 double-spaced, typed pages. Include any or all of the following topics: 1) Your interest in your intended major, how your interest developed and how it relates to your educational and career goals; 2) Information about your family and work experience that contributed to your personal growth and/or education and career goal; 3) Information about your school activities and involvement in community service that contributed to your personal growth and/or education and career goals; 4) Why it is important for you to receive this scholarship.

RECOMMENDATION LETTERS: One to three letters of recommendation must be included with your application. These letters should be from people who know you first hand or your achievements and your qualifications for the scholarship. For example: an academic recommendation—from a teacher; a leadership recommendation—from a club advisor or community leader; and/or a general recommendation—from a supervisor at work or a mentor.

CERTIFICATION: I am enrolled at Santiago Canyon College for Fall 2010 semester. I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge and I authorize the SCC Scholarship Committee and the donors to review my transcript(s) and all other data pertaining to the application.

X _____
Applicant's Signature—Without a signature, your application is NOT complete and will not be processed.

NOTE: All recipients will be notified by mail, e-mail, or by phone. **DUE DATE: October 28, 2010****