



## Cesar E. Chavez Legacy & Educational Fund Scholarship Application

*Deadline: Must be received via email by midnight on Fri., March 22nd, 2019*

### Eligibility

- Graduating High School Senior attending school in Bexar County, Texas
- Awards must be used for Fall 2019 Semester or Spring 2020 Semester

### Award Criteria

- Completed application form
- Copy of High School Transcript
- Acceptance letter to an accredited Community College or University
- Letter of Recommendation
- Awards will be based on financial need, academic achievement, leadership, service to community and essay/poem.

### Student Profile

Full Legal Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Class ranking: I am Ranked # \_\_\_\_\_ out of \_\_\_\_\_ students

GPA : \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_ Male \_\_\_\_\_ Female \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

### Family Information

Father's/Guardian's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's/Guardian's/Applicant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Total family income (Please Check One)

Less than \$25,000

\$25,001 to \$35,000

\$35,001 to \$50,000

Over \$50,000

Total number of people in your household \_\_\_\_ (Including parents, siblings, children,)

How many household members currently attend college? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a first-generation college-bound student? \_\_\_\_\_

**PART II: Letter of Recommendation:** It must be a past or present academic instructor, mentor, pastor, coach or teacher who writes the letter of recommendation. It is requested that it be one 8 ½ x11 page in length, on institutional letterhead, typed and double-spaced bearing the applicant's full name. It should include the applicant's current academic ability or status, service to society, challenges overcome, leadership skills and community/school activity participation.

**PART III. Essay or Poem:** On 8 ½" x11" paper, typed and double-spaced bearing your **full legal name and high school**, you may choose to submit an essay or poem. Specifics are listed below:

- **ESSAY:** Pick an area of special interest relating to the San Antonio community and provide insight on where you think that we as a community should be making progress. Share your own ambitions and how you plan to include the aspirations and needs of others in your life in the future. Limit 2 pages.
- **POEM:** Create an original poem inspired by the life and legacy of Cesar E. Chavez. Poem must be at least 150 but no more than 250 words. Poem can be in English, Spanish or both. Limit 2 pages.

#### **AFFIRMATION**

The information provided in this scholarship application is true and correct. I understand that the scholarship will only be awarded if I plan to attend a community college, college or university. Applications will be evaluated by the CECLEF Scholarship Committee. The CECLEF Scholarship Award will be credited directly to the institution you have chosen.

I understand that if chosen, I will be asked to attend an event in April to be recognized as a scholarship winner. Materials submitted and my picture may be used by the foundation to further the scholarship fund.

**Signature of Student**

**Date**

#### **SUBMISSION**

**Please email the entire completed packet to:** CECLEF Scholarship Chair, Irene Chavez at [info@ceclef.org](mailto:info@ceclef.org)

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