



# Welcome to our Virtual Scholarship Workshop

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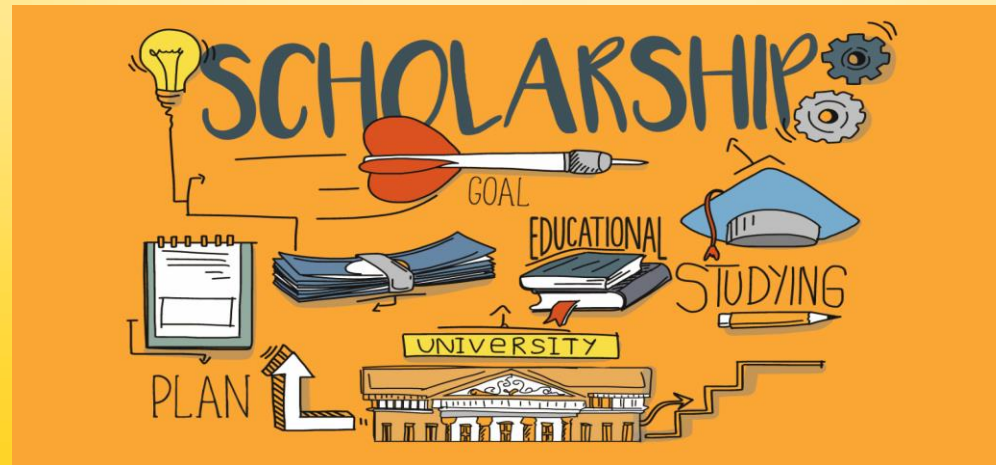
# GCC Scholarship application process step-by-step



# What is a Scholarship?

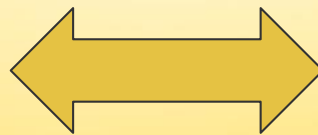
A scholarship is a financial award/gift that helps students who meet specific standards achieve their academic goals.

Scholarship criteria can include academic achievement, community activities, financial need, campus leadership, etc.



# What are the minimum requirements for the GCC Scholarship?

- You must have completed 12 units at GCC
- You must have a GPA of 2.5 or higher
- You must be enrolled in minimum of 3 units



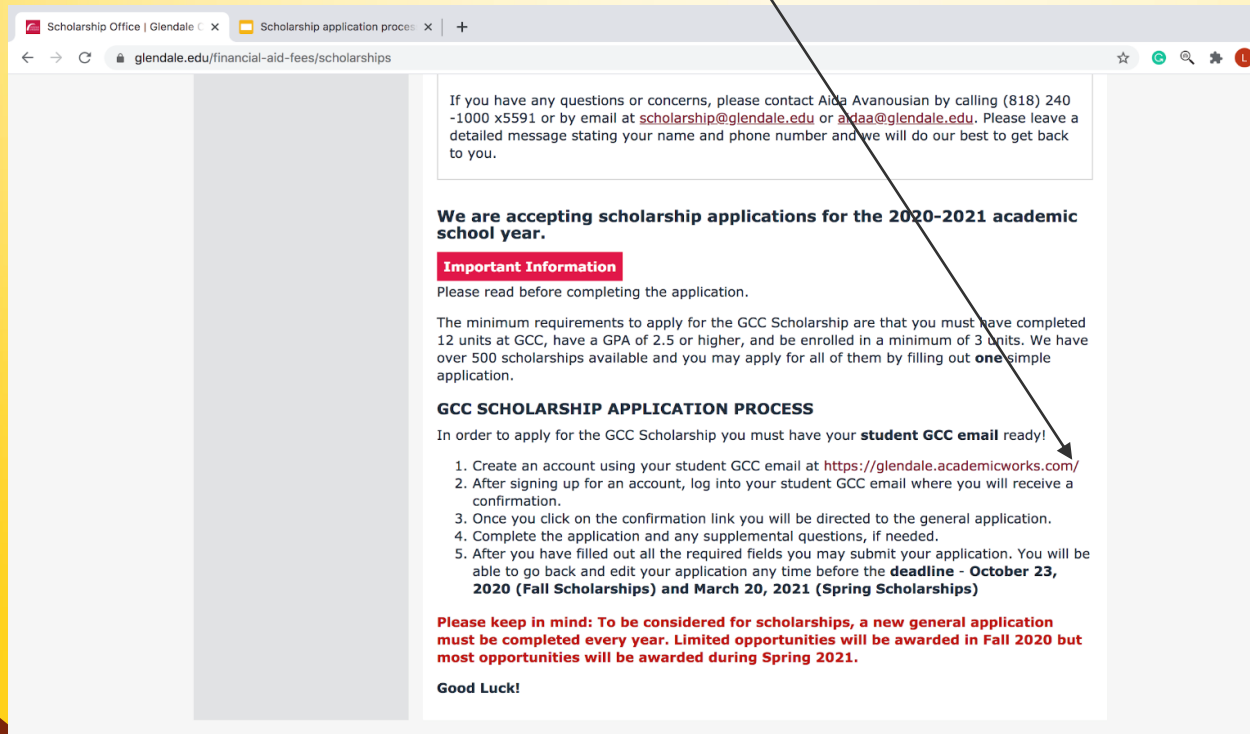
# Deadlines

- The deadline for *Fall semester scholarship consideration*: **October 22**
- The deadline for *Spring semester scholarship consideration*: **March 25**
- Fall semester scholarship recipients are notified in *December*.  
Spring semester they'll be notified in *June*.
- Recipients will be notified through their ***GCC Student Email***
- NOTE: The general application covers all 500+ scholarships in GCC. It's valid until the of spring semester. You must fill out a new application after July 1<sup>st</sup> of each year.



# Where can I find the GCC Scholarship application?

- A helpful guide and instructions for the application is available on the Scholarship webpage. Please read instructions carefully.
- Under GCC Scholarship Application process you will find the following link:  
<https://Glendale.academicworks.com/>
- Click on the link, which will allow you to create an account.



The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL [glendale.edu/financial-aid-fees/scholarships](https://glendale.edu/financial-aid-fees/scholarships). The page content includes:

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Aida Avanosian by calling (818) 240-1000 x5591 or by email at [scholarship@glendale.edu](mailto:scholarship@glendale.edu) or [ajaa@glendale.edu](mailto:ajaa@glendale.edu). Please leave a detailed message stating your name and phone number and we will do our best to get back to you.

**We are accepting scholarship applications for the 2020-2021 academic school year.**

**Important Information**  
Please read before completing the application.

The minimum requirements to apply for the GCC Scholarship are that you must have completed 12 units at GCC, have a GPA of 2.5 or higher, and be enrolled in a minimum of 3 units. We have over 500 scholarships available and you may apply for all of them by filling out **one** simple application.

**GCC SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION PROCESS**  
In order to apply for the GCC Scholarship you must have your **student GCC email** ready!

1. Create an account using your student GCC email at <https://glendale.academicworks.com/>
2. After signing up for an account, log into your student GCC email where you will receive a confirmation.
3. Once you click on the confirmation link you will be directed to the general application.
4. Complete the application and any supplemental questions, if needed.
5. After you have filled out all the required fields you may submit your application. You will be able to go back and edit your application any time before the **deadline - October 23, 2020 (Fall Scholarships) and March 20, 2021 (Spring Scholarships)**

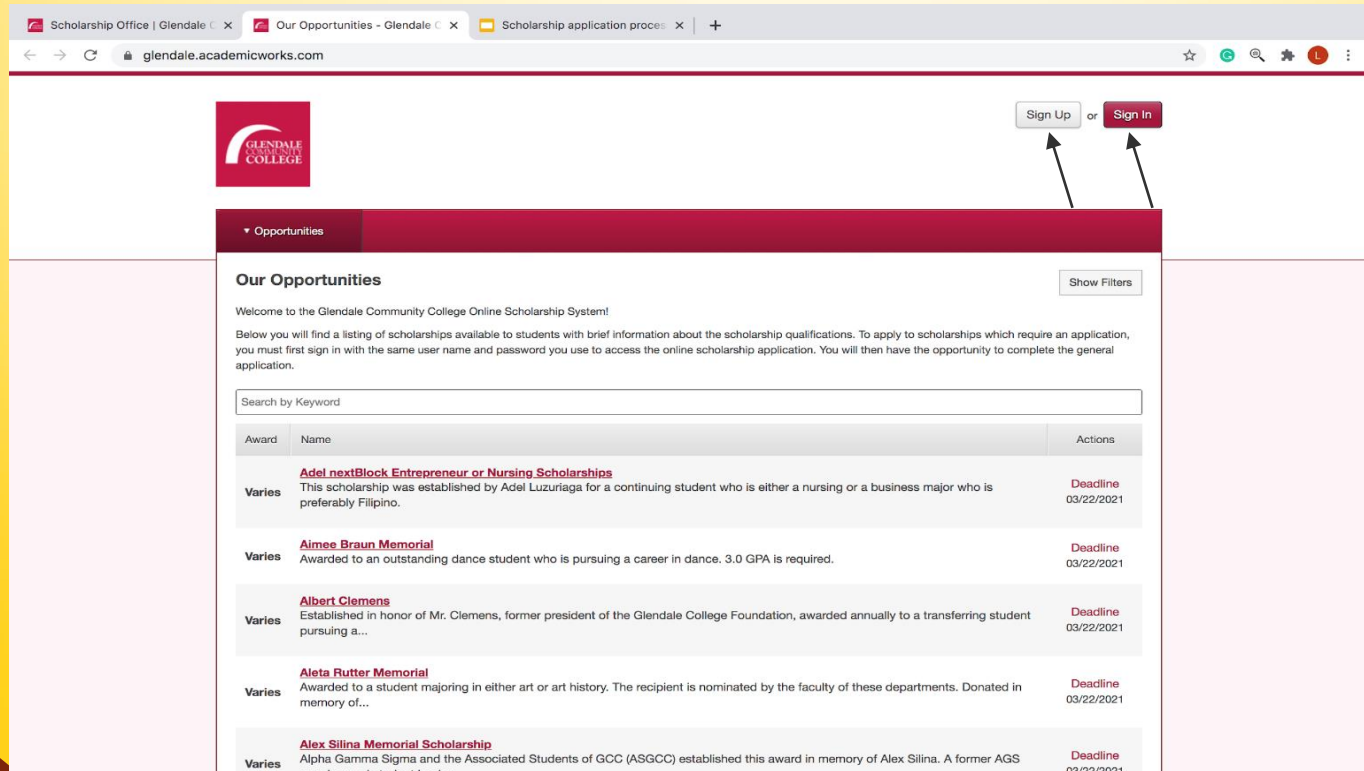
**Please keep in mind: To be considered for scholarships, a new general application must be completed every year. Limited opportunities will be awarded in Fall 2020 but most opportunities will be awarded during Spring 2021.**

**Good Luck!**

An arrow from the text in the third bullet point of the main text points to the link <https://glendale.academicworks.com/> in the screenshot.

# Do I Sign In or Sign Up?

- If this is your first time applying for a GCC Scholarship, you will need to *Sign Up to create an account*.
- *If you already have an account, you will need to Sign In*, and log into your already existing account.



The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL [glendale.academicworks.com](http://glendale.academicworks.com). The page features the Glendale Community College logo and a navigation menu with 'Opportunities' selected. In the top right corner, there are two buttons: 'Sign Up' and 'Sign In', with arrows pointing to them from the text above. The main content area is titled 'Our Opportunities' and includes a 'Show Filters' button. Below this is a search bar labeled 'Search by Keyword'. A table lists several scholarships with columns for 'Award', 'Name', and 'Actions'. The table contains the following entries:

Award	Name	Actions
Varies	<b>Adel nextBlock Entrepreneur or Nursing Scholarships</b> This scholarship was established by Adel Luzuriaga for a continuing student who is either a nursing or a business major who is preferably Filipino.	Deadline 03/22/2021
Varies	<b>Aimee Braun Memorial</b> Awarded to an outstanding dance student who is pursuing a career in dance. 3.0 GPA is required.	Deadline 03/22/2021
Varies	<b>Albert Clemens</b> Established in honor of Mr. Clemens, former president of the Glendale College Foundation, awarded annually to a transferring student pursuing a...	Deadline 03/22/2021
Varies	<b>Aleta Rutter Memorial</b> Awarded to a student majoring in either art or art history. The recipient is nominated by the faculty of these departments. Donated in memory of...	Deadline 03/22/2021
Varies	<b>Alex Silina Memorial Scholarship</b> Alpha Gamma Sigma and the Associated Students of GCC (ASGCC) established this award in memory of Alex Silina. A former AGS...	Deadline 03/22/2021

# How do I sign up?

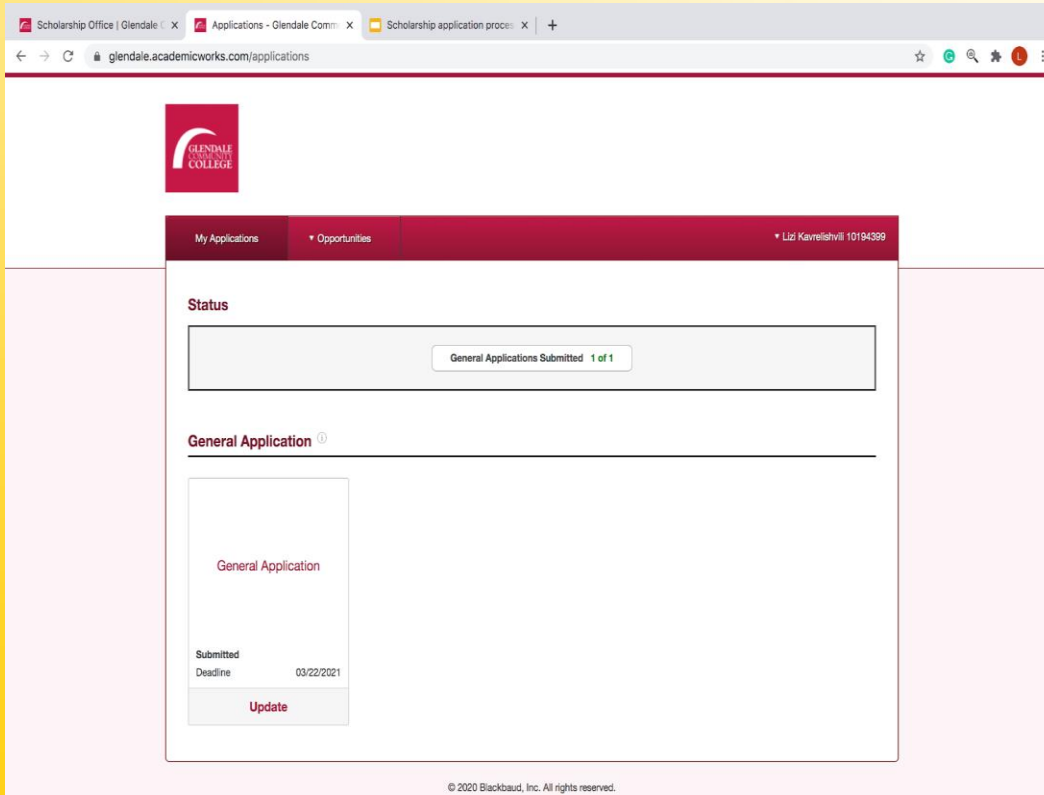
Screenshot of the Glendale Community College Sign Up page. The page features the college logo, a "Sign Up" or "Sign In" button, and a sign-up form with fields for Email Address, Password, and Confirm Your Password. A "Sign Up" button is at the bottom right of the form.

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[Glendale Community College Homepage](#)

1. Use your GCC student email in the tab that asks for your email address.
2. Create a password that consists of 12 characters, including at **least 1 digit, 1 uppercase letter, 1 lowercase letter, and 1 special character.**
3. Confirm your password, and press Sing Up.
4. You will receive a confirmation email to your GCC student email right away. Check your email and click the confirmation link there.



# What do I do after I sign in or sign up?



The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL [glendale.academicworks.com/applications](https://glendale.academicworks.com/applications). The page features the Glendale College logo in the top left corner. A navigation bar includes "My Applications" and "Opportunities" tabs, along with a user profile icon for "Liz Kavreishvili 10194399".

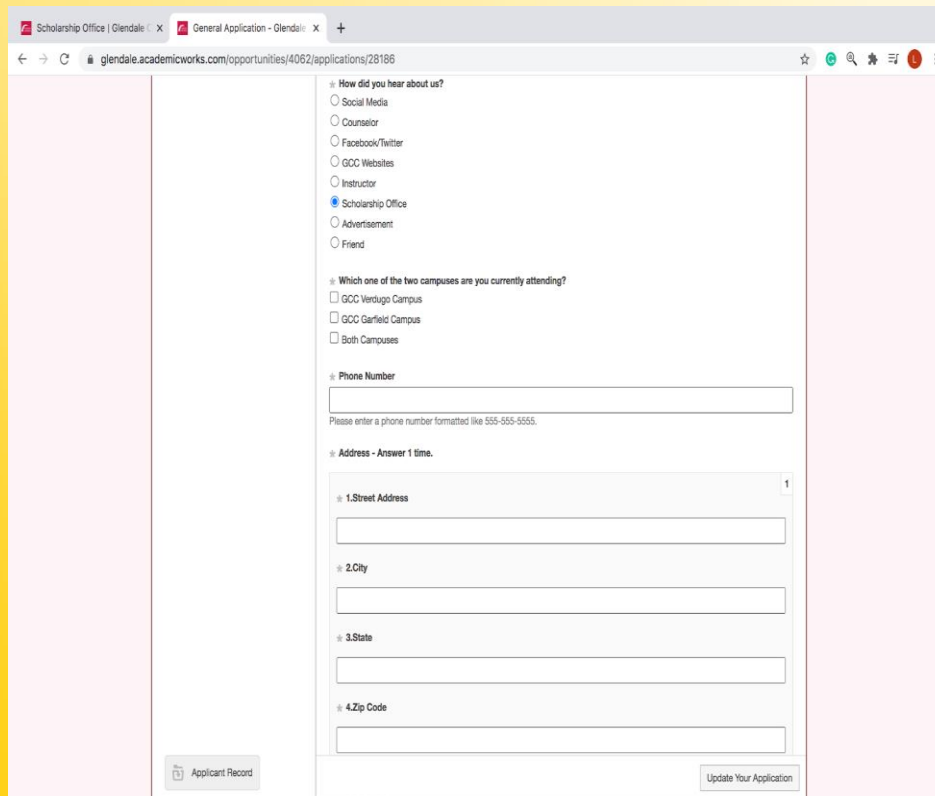
The main content area is titled "Status" and displays a progress bar for "General Applications Submitted 1 of 1". Below this, a section titled "General Application" contains a card with the following details:

Submitted	
Deadline	03/22/2021
<a href="#">Update</a>	

At the bottom of the page, there is a copyright notice: "© 2020 Blackbaud, Inc. All rights reserved."

- After you are in your account, you will start by filling out your personal information

# How to begin?



The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL [glendale.academicworks.com/opportunities/4062/applications/28186](http://glendale.academicworks.com/opportunities/4062/applications/28186). The form is titled "General Application - Glendale" and contains the following sections:

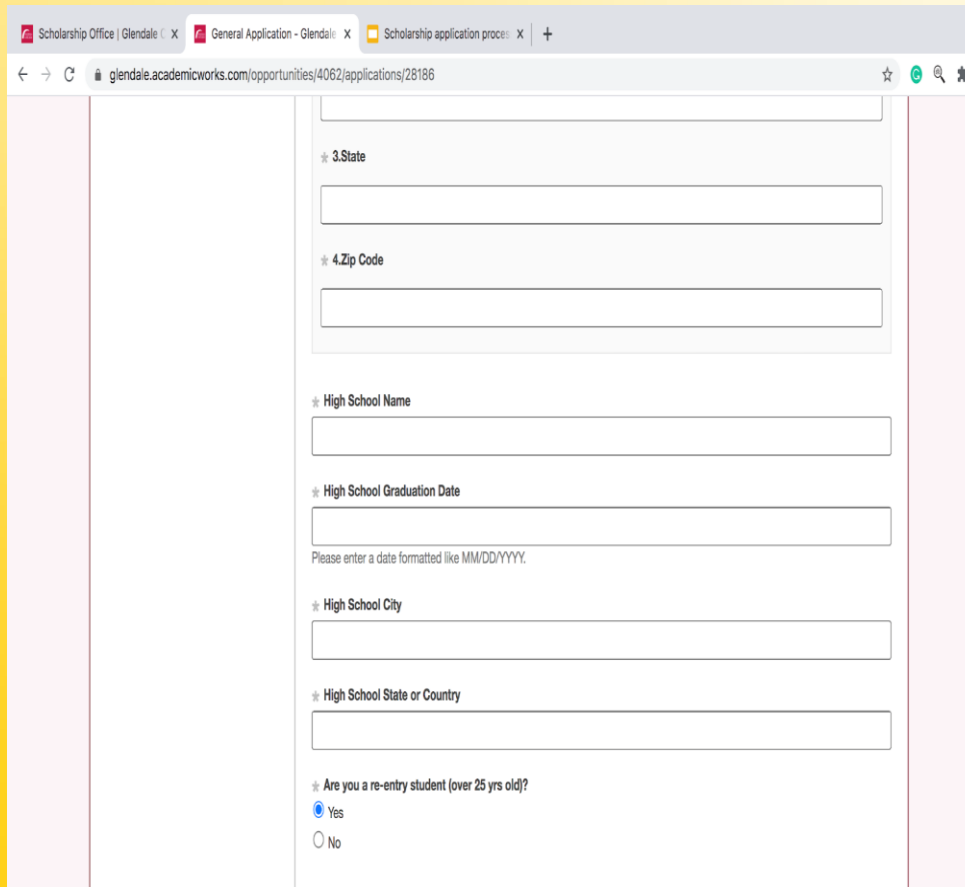
- How did you hear about us?**
  - Social Media
  - Counselor
  - Facebook/Twitter
  - GCC Websites
  - Instructor
  - Scholarship Office
  - Advertisement
  - Friend
- Which one of the two campuses are you currently attending?**
  - GCC Verdugo Campus
  - GCC Garfield Campus
  - Both Campuses
- Phone Number**
  - 
  - Please enter a phone number formatted like 555-555-5555.
- Address - Answer 1 time.**
  - 1. Street Address**
    -
  - 2. City**
    -
  - 3. State**
    -
  - 4. Zip Code**
    -

At the bottom of the form, there are two buttons: "Applicant Record" and "Update Your Application".



- The first part of the GCC Scholarship application is your personal information, (phone number, address, and other critical information)
- ***Please fill out all the required fields.***

# High School information



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- \* 3.State: [Text input field]
- \* 4.Zip Code: [Text input field]
- \* High School Name: [Text input field]
- \* High School Graduation Date: [Text input field]  
Please enter a date formatted like MM/DD/YYYY.
- \* High School City: [Text input field]
- \* High School State or Country: [Text input field]
- \* Are you a re-entry student (over 25 yrs old)?
  - Yes
  - No

- The application requires high school information including high school attended, graduation date, high school city, state or country.
- If you know all of this information, or are able to find out, please do so, and fill out the fields accordingly.
- ***If you don't have the information, please make your best estimate and write that.***
- High school attended **DOES NOT** have to be in the U.S.

# Employment, Research, & Internship

- Employment – List any job you’ve had in your life but now and in the past. Employment information can include jobs held outside the United States.
- Research – Indicate any research opportunities you have participated in both academically and professionally. This can include in high school, college or workplace.
- Internship – Provide the name of the organization you have completed any internship for, including a brief description of your responsibilities.



# What does on Campus Involvement Include?

- Membership to any student clubs or programs at GCC.
- Being a member of the student government (ASGCC)
- Volunteer work done on campus (being a student worker doesn't count as an on-campus involvement – include this information under Employment).



# What does off Campus Involvement Include?

- Volunteer work done off campus can include PTA membership, participating in child's school events, volunteering at community event or activity, non-profit organizations (example: YMCA, ANC, YWCA), hospitals, church, etc.
- Please, keep in mind that all volunteering done off campus should not have been compensated.



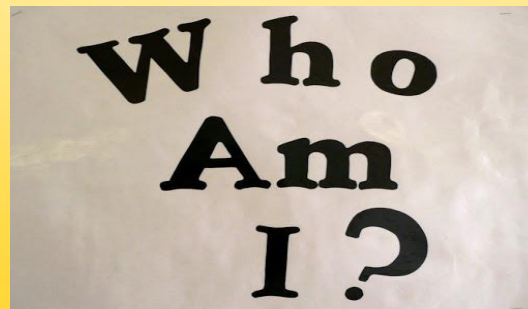
# Honors, Awards, Special Recognition Awards, or Certificates

- Share any awards, honors, special recognition awards, or certificates you have received throughout your life. This includes anything from middle school, high school, college, or work



# Describe a facet of your identity, background, or story that is essential to who you are

- While this question might look difficult, it is not. This question is asking you to share what has made you who you are today, what experience has had an impact on your development and who you have become as an individual.
- The goal of this questions is to inform GCC Scholarship sponsors learn more about you as a student. We hope that they will better understand what has shaped your identity, including your experiences, passions and dreams.





# Describe how GCC Scholarship will help further your academic and professional pursuit

- In this field tell us how you are going to use your scholarship award, why you need it, and how it is going to help you with your academic and professional career.



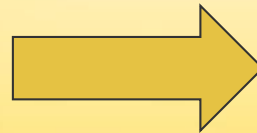


## Personal Statement

- In this field, share any obstacle that you had to overcome, and how it changed you as a person. Also write your educational and career goals, what you want to do in the future. If you can connect the obstacle with your goals, do so, but it is not required.
- If you didn't have any obstacles in your life that you think is worth mentioning, write about your educational and career goals.
- An obstacle can be anything that impacted you in a negative way, and/or got in a way of your life. However, you overcame it and came back stronger.
- This is your chance to show the Scholarship Sponsors to whom they are giving the scholarship to.
- Take your time writing it. Make sure that there are no grammar or spelling mistakes in the writing.

# How to submit the application?

- Be sure to review, revise, or update your application before you hit the submit button.
- You may revise your application even after the submission.





Congratulations, You are done!

# Still Have Questions?



- Go to GCC Scholarship LIVE ZOOM support located at GCC Scholarship webpage.
- Contact the Scholarship Office at (818)240 – 1000 Ext, 5591 (Please leave a detailed message stating your name, ID number and your phone number).
- Email us at [scholarship@glendale.edu](mailto:scholarship@glendale.edu) or [aidaa@glendale.edu](mailto:aidaa@glendale.edu)

*Thank  
you*

