



## DEL RIO HISPANIC CHAMBER OF COMMERCE AND GUTIERREZ FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION 2021

The Del Rio Hispanic Chamber of Commerce is pleased to partner with the Gutierrez Family to offer their annual scholarship awards for eligible:

- 2020 High School , GED, Homeschool and Charter graduates currently attending the local community colleges (SWTJC and/or SRSU RGC)
- Undergraduate students currently attending local community colleges (SWTJC and/or SRSU RGC)

### **GUIDELINES:**

1. Your completed application packet should be **postmarked no later than May 26, 2021.**  
**Incomplete or unsigned applications will not be considered for this scholarship award.**
2. Refer to criteria below for eligibility requirements.
3. All material should be typed or printed legibly.

**The Scholarship Committee** retains all rights of interpretation or clarification. Scholarship funds will be awarded on June 9, 2021, with funds released upon evidence of registration at post-secondary institution.

### **CRITERIA:**

1. Applicant must be a Del Rio resident.
2. Applicant must have a minimum GPA of 2.5.
3. Do you qualify for Financial Aid?  Yes  No Please explain your financial need: \_\_\_\_\_
4. Applicant must submit a complete application packet as identified in the checklist below.

### **APPLICATION PACKET CHECKLIST:**

- Completed Application
- Copy of acceptance letter from University, College, Vocational or Technical Post-Secondary Education
- Official high school/college transcript with GPA (cumulative grade point average)
- Personal typed Essays

Mail completed application & all supporting materials to:

**Del Rio Hispanic Chamber of Commerce**  
**ATTN: Scholarship Committee/Carlos Ayala**  
**P.O. Box 1936**  
**Del Rio, TX 78840**

Or

**E-mail: [hispanic.chamber @ drhcc.org](mailto:hispanic.chamber@drhcc.org)**

**APPLICANT INFORMATION:** *Please print or type completing all requested information.*

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ M I: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a Texas Resident?  Yes  No TX County of Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a U.S. citizen or a permanent resident?  Yes  No

High School: \_\_\_\_\_ Graduation Date: \_\_\_\_\_

College semester credit hours: \_\_\_\_\_

List any scholarships you are receiving as a High School Graduate/ Undergraduate student:

From	Amount
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Current College/University: \_\_\_\_\_

Expected Graduation Date: \_\_\_\_\_ GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of accredited post-secondary school you will attend or are attending:

\_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_

**SCHOLASTICS:**

List all scholastic awards or honors earned (use separate sheet of paper if more space is needed).

- 1. \_\_\_\_\_
- 2. \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. \_\_\_\_\_
- 4. \_\_\_\_\_

**SCHOOL/EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES:**

Please list your membership in any organizations, clubs, or sports activities and describe your involvement. Please note the length of time you have participated in these activities and whether you held a leadership position (use separate sheet of paper if more space is needed).

<b>Club/Organization or Extra-Curricular Activities</b>	<b>Dates of Participation</b>	<b>Description - Specify position held.</b>

**SERVICE TO YOUR COMMUNITY:**

Please list your membership, participation and any volunteer community services you are actively involved within your community. Include length of time (use separate sheet of paper if more space is needed).

<b>Community Service</b>	<b>Year of Participation</b>	<b>Description</b>

**Statement of Purpose:** Minimum ½ page typed.

Short essay questions:

1. Why did you decide to obtain your education locally?
2. What are you most passionate about in life? Why?

**Personal Essay:**

- On a separate sheet of paper with your name on the header
- Please type a 1 (one) page essay providing a response to the following title:

**HOW DO I PLAN TO MAKE A POSITIVE CONTRIBUTION IN MY COMMUNITY WITH MY EDUCATION?**

**SIGNATURE REQUIRED:**

Your signature is required on the signature line as your application will not be accepted without it. If selected, you agree to allow Del Rio Hispanic Chamber of Commerce to use your name and likeness for the promotion of the scholarship in activities such as but not limited to website, media, newspaper, newsletters, etc.

I certify by my signature, that all information included in this application packet was prepared through my own work, true and correct.

Applicant's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_