

## VENTURA COLLEGE FOUNDATION

### Scholarship Requirements

Congratulations again on being selected for a scholarship through the Ventura College Foundation!

As a quick refresher, some of our scholarships are subject to special requirements in order to be disbursed to the scholarship recipient. Additionally, some scholarships are disbursed over a different schedule/time frame than others. This information is detailed below.

Please note that **ALL scholarships require students to enroll at an educational institution\*** and submit proof of said enrollment (details in your award email) to the Ventura College Foundation in order to have their scholarship funding disbursed.

*\*An **educational institution** is defined as any institution that provides an educational program acceptable for full credit toward a degree, or offers a training program to prepare students for gainful employment in a recognized occupation and is authorized under federal or state law to provide such a program and is accredited by a national recognized accreditation agency.*

Please identify your scholarship type(s) and then, locate the type(s) below and read the details carefully. Some scholarships are subject to multiple types.

Scholarship Type (Listed Alphabetically)	Details
CONTINUING	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Must be enrolled at Ventura College.</li> <li>• No minimum number of units required. (i.e., Part-time or full-time enrollment is OK)</li> <li>• Full scholarship paid out across two semesters. One half in fall semester and the remainder in the spring.</li> </ul>
GENERAL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Any educational institution as defined above is permitted.</li> <li>• No minimum number of units required. (i.e., Part-time or full-time enrollment is OK)</li> <li>• Full scholarship paid out across two semesters or quarters. One half in one semester/quarter and the remainder in the other.</li> </ul>
MARY GUTHRIE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Must be enrolled at a PUBLIC four-year College or University.</li> <li>• No minimum number of units required. (i.e., Part-time or full-time enrollment is OK)</li> <li>• Full scholarship paid out across four semesters or quarters.</li> </ul>
NURSING	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Must be enrolled in a recognized nursing program.</li> <li>• Full scholarship paid out in one semester or quarter.</li> </ul>
OSHER	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Must be enrolled at a California Community College.</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Must enroll in a minimum of six units per semester.</li> <li>• Full scholarship paid out across two semesters. One half in one semester and the remainder in the other.</li> <li>• No more than \$725 can be awarded in a semester and no more than \$1,450 can be received in an academic year.</li> </ul>
PHOENIX	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Any educational institution as defined above is permitted.</li> <li>• No minimum number of units required. (i.e., Part-time or full-time enrollment is OK)</li> <li>• Full scholarship paid out in one semester or quarter.</li> <li>• Students may only receive Phoenix scholarships in one awarding cycle with the exception of Veteran scholarships.</li> </ul>
TRANSFER	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Must be enrolled at a four-year College or University.</li> <li>• No minimum number of units required. (i.e., Part-time or full-time enrollment is OK)</li> <li>• Full scholarship paid out across two semesters or quarters. One half in one semester/quarter and the remainder in the other.</li> </ul>
VENTURA COLLEGE NURSING	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Must be enrolled in the Ventura College Nursing Program.</li> <li>• Full scholarship paid out in one semester or quarter.</li> </ul>

**Exceptions for students with documented disabilities:** The Ventura College Foundation accepts reduced course loads as an academic accommodation for students with disabilities. If your scholarship requires full time enrollment (12+ units), reduced course load documentation must be submitted to the VC Foundation in order to have this requirement waived.

**Nursing students:** If you are enrolled in a recognized nursing program you will receive the full balance of your scholarships in one payment with the exception of Osher scholarships which must be paid across two semesters in addition to other Osher criteria listed above.

We understand you may have questions or concerns about your specific scholarship award(s). Please email the Ventura College Foundation at [vcfoundation@vccd.edu](mailto:vcfoundation@vccd.edu) with your full name, student ID number, and your detailed question(s).