#### Boulder County Latina League <u>2016-2017 Scholarship Application</u> For High School Students and First Time College Applicants <u>General Information</u>

The mission of the Boulder County Latina League (BCLL) is to offer support to high school graduates seeking a college degree. As part of our mission is provide scholarships and encouragement to enable qualified need-based Latino students to attend colleges and universities.

## **Application:**

## A. Application Deadline:

- 1. All applications must be emailed NO LATER THAN March 8, 2016, 11:59 pm (MST).
- 2. Late or incomplete applications will not be accepted.

## **B.** Eligibility:

- 1. Applicant must be a Boulder Valley School or St. Vrain Valley School District graduating or graduated student.
- **2.** Applicant must attend a university or college in the state of Colorado for the upcoming academic year.
- **3.** Current college student applicants must have a 2.5 unweighted grade point average.
- **4.** Applicant should be enrolled for a minimum of 9 credit hours each semester (minimum of 12 credit hours for CU Students).

## C. Application Requirements:

- **1.** Completed Student Information Form (must be typed).
- 2. Completed response to essay questions (must be typed).
- 3. Current copy of official transcript with GPA
- **4.** Two letters of recommendation (either from a counselor, teacher/advisor and a community representative).
- 5. All documents must be sent to <u>BCLL@impactoneducation.org</u> by March 8, 2016, 11:59pm (MST).

## SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS WILL NOT BE MAILED WITHOUT THIS INFORMATION

### **D. Additional Requirements/Requests**

- 1. All scholarship recipients are required to attend the Scholarship awards ceremony on May 25, 2016 at the CU Boulder Campus.
- Once you have registered for classes, you must email <u>BCLL@impactoneducation.org</u> proof of your class registration (enrollment), including your Student I.D. and school address. (Can be submitted separately from application). Scholarship funds will be sent directly to the college or university.
- 3. Scholarship can only be used for tuition.

# Boulder County Latina League <u>2016 - 2017 Scholarship Application</u> <u>Student Information Form</u>

PLEASE TYPE YOUR INFORMATION STUDENT INFORMATION		
Street Address:		
	Zip Code:	
Phone Number:	Cell Number:	
E-mail Address:		
Date of Birth:		
PARENT INFORMATION		
Parent(s) Name:		
Address (if different):		
City:State:	Zip Code:	
Phone Number:	E-Mail:	
ACADEMIC INFORMATION		
High school student applicant:		
High School:	Graduation date:	
What College/University will you attend? _		
Area of study:	When do you plan to attend?	
College student applicant:		
University currently attending and graduation	on date:	
If changing Universities, where do you plan	to attend?	
Area of study:		
Anticipated Graduation date:	College/University Student ID:	
High School:	Graduation date:	

## FINANCIAL AID/OTHER SCHOLARSHIPS

List 2016-17 financial aid and/or scholarships you have received or applied for and specify the amount:

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					\$			
Will you comp	lete and submit FA	AFSA (Free A	pplication f	or Federal S	tudent Aid)? Yes 🗆 No 🗆			
FAMILY INFO	RMATION							
Indicate your	annual family in	come:						
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Parent(s) occ	upation:							
Parent 1:	Parent 1:			Parent 2:				
What is the h	ighest level of ed	lucation com	pleted by	your parent	(s)?			
Parent 1:			Parent 2:					
□ 1 <sup>st</sup> - 6 <sup>th</sup> Grade			□ 1 <sup>st</sup> - 6 <sup>th</sup> Grade					
□ 7 <sup>th</sup> - 9 <sup>th</sup> Grade			□ 7 <sup>th</sup> - 9 <sup>th</sup> Grade					
□ High School diploma			□ High School diploma					
□ College degree			□ College degree					
Post Graduate degree			Post Graduate degree					
□ Other			Other					
How many pe	ople live in your	home?						
□2		□4	□5	□6	□7+			
Indicate age a	and grade level o	f siblings tha	t live in yo	our home:				
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#### Boulder County Latina League 2016 - 2017 Scholarship Application Essay Questions

#### Essay Instructions:

- 1. Include your name and page number in the upper right corner of each page.
- 2. Total 250 words per essay question.
- 3. Be specific in your responses.
- 4. Must be typewritten.

## Essay Questions:

## For graduating high school students:

- 1. What are your goals in life? How or why did you choose these goals? How will a college education help you achieve these goals? How many credits do you plan to carry each semester and why? In which classes are you planning to enroll and why?
- 2. Describe how you participate in the Hispanic Community.
- 3. Describe any past experiences you think have had an important influence/impact on your decision to attend college.

## For Current College Students:

- 1. What are your goals in life? How will a college education help you achieve these goals? How many credits do you plan to carry each semester and why? In which classes are you planning to enroll and why?
- 2. Can you describe your interactions within the Hispanic community and other Latina/o students?
- 3. So that we may mentor other high school students: What high school class/activity was most helpful to you during your first year of college?

# DO NOT SUBMIT THIS APPLICATION UNTIL YOU HAVE COMPLETED THE FOLLOWING CHECK LIST OF REQUIREMENTS: (check each)

- □ Name/Page number on each page
- □ Essay (TYPED)
- □ Student Information page (TYPED)
- □ Current copy of transcript with GPA
- □ Recent Letters of recommendation
- □ All items above must be emailed no later than March 8, 2016, 11:59pm (MST)
- □ Letter of acceptance, transcript or schedule, with Student ID from college or university (can be submitted separately from application)
- ★ Keep a copy of application and letters of recommendation for your records
- ★ Attend the Scholarship awards ceremony on May 25, 2016 at CU Boulder Campus.

SCAN & EMAIL COMPLETED APPLICATION TO: BCLL@impactoneducation.org

#### Boulder County Latina League 2016 – 2017 Scholarship Application Letter of Recommendation Form

APPLICANT: PRINT THIS PAGE, COMPLETE **SECTION I: APPLICANT INFORMATION** AND PROVIDE IT TO WHOMEVER IS WRITING YOUR LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION

#### SECTION I: TO THE STUDENT

Applicant Name \_\_\_\_\_\_

#### SECTION II: TO THE REFEREE:

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#### Letter of Recommendation:

In your letter, please include how you know the applicant, how long you have known the applicant, what you know of the student's contributions to the Hispanic Community and why you would support the applicant in attaining a scholarship through the BCLL.

Please submit your letter of recommendation via email to <u>BCLL@impactoneducation.org</u> and notify the student that you sent it.

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