

## **Gail & Larry H. Miller Scholarship Application Information**

The Gail & Larry H. Miller Scholarship Program in partnership with the Snow College Foundation is pleased to announce a scholarship opportunity for students enrolled at Snow College during the Spring 2024 semester. The goal of the scholarship is to provide financial assistance for promising low-income students of Hispanic/Latino origin from the Snow College service region to pursue an associate or technical degree. The scholarship also seeks to support students who demonstrate a commitment to leadership or service that benefits Hispanic/Latino communities. All students of Hispanic/Latino origin, who have been admitted to Snow College are welcome to apply. The selected recipients will receive a \$500-\$1000 award to be used toward tuition, fees, or books, during the Spring 2024 semester.

### **Selection criteria for the scholarship include:**

1. Students must have a demonstrated financial need. Students who are not eligible for FAFSA loans or grants are encouraged to apply.
2. Students must be of Latino/Hispanic origin.
3. Minimum 2.3 cumulative GPA.
4. Students should maintain a minimum 2.5 GPA per semester to maintain the scholarship.
5. Students must be enrolled full time (minimum of 12 credits) while receiving the award.
6. Students must demonstrate commitment to leadership or service in the Latino community.

*Note: Preference will be given to Hispanic/Latino students whose primary residence is within the Snow College six-county service area (Sanpete, Sevier, Millard, Piute, Wayne, and Juab), and to those who are not FAFSA eligible (DACA beneficiaries) who meet the HB 144 criteria.*

### **To apply, please submit the following:**

- A one-page essay (please see the application for more details)
- A completed scholarship application form (available in the Snow College Office of Diversity and Inclusion, the Snow College Scholarship Office, and the Diversity & Inclusion Center).
- A copy of transcripts (high school transcripts for all students with fewer than 12 college credits since graduating from high school)

*NOTE: Applicants are responsible for submitting transcripts with the application materials. This application process is separate from admissions and all other scholarship processes.*

### **Scholarship finalists may also be required to participate in a 15-minute personal interview.**

We encourage ALL students to apply for all available scholarships and for Federal Financial Aid. For more information about Snow College scholarships, please visit [www.snow.edu/scholarships](http://www.snow.edu/scholarships). For more information and/or access to the FREE application for Federal Financial Aid, please go to [www.snow.edu/finaid](http://www.snow.edu/finaid) or call (800)848-3399.

*\* This scholarship qualifies under HB 144, which makes it so any student who graduates from a Utah high school (attending the last three years) IS NOT required to provide proof of lawful U.S. presence for scholarships or tuition waivers in Utah's public colleges and universities. Therefore, regardless if the student has or does not have DACA, as long as they attended a Utah high school for three or more years, and graduated from it, they may apply to privately funded scholarships administered by a Utah public college or university.*

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Special Support Scholarship Program Application**

**Read all instructions before answering the questions. Incomplete applications will not be considered, nor returned to the applicant. Please fill out all sections completely.**

**Personal Information (Type or print clearly)**

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

Local Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Badger ID #: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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

**Ethnic Origin**

Hispanic/Latino Origin  Multiracial  Other

If you marked multicultural or other, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

**College Status**

First-time freshman (attach high school transcripts)

Incoming transfer to Snow College (attach college transcripts)

Continuing Snow College student (submit college transcripts showing all credit earned.)

**Application Essay**

This scholarship award is designated for Hispanic/Latino students who meet one or more of the following:

- Has demonstrated grit and resilience in overcoming significant challenges
- Has demonstrated leadership in their spheres of influence (home, school, work, community, etc.)
- Has provided service within their communities.

Please write an essay (no more than 500 words) introducing yourself and addressing how you have exemplified at least one of the qualifiers listed above (you are welcome to address more than one if you would like).

I have read the instructions and certify that the above information provided in the application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I also declare that if I attend Snow College I will abide by the academic, scholastic and social standards of the college. A student found guilty of nondisclosure or misrepresentation in completing this application form will be subject to disciplinary action and/or loss of any scholarship(s).

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

Application Deadline: January 31, 2024, at 5:00 pm

Submit complete application to: Snow College Scholarships Office or to Fernando Montano, Snow College Office of Diversity & Inclusion. 150 College Avenue, Ephraim, Utah, 84627, 435-283-7328