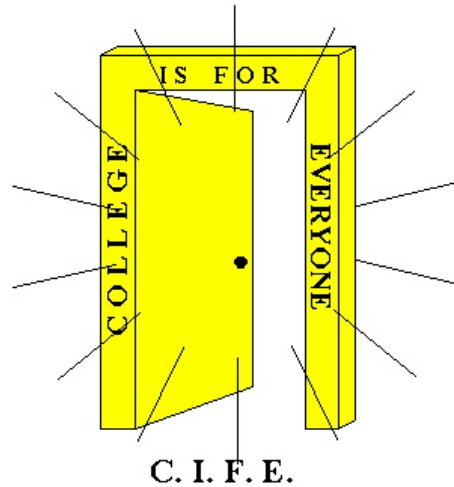


Fall 2011 College Is For Everyone (CIFE) Scholarship



“Believing In the Future”

CIFE Mission Statement: The mission of College Is For Everyone (CIFE) is to assist undocumented students in their pursuits for a college education. Our geographical focus is the City of Compton but we welcome all undocumented students to our events and services.

Application Postmark Deadline: December 16, 2011

Amount of Each Scholarship: \$500

Eligibility Criteria:

- Must be an undocumented student. We define an undocumented student as someone who was born outside of the U.S. but lives here without the legal permission of the federal government.
- Must be a first time and first year college student for the 2012-2013 academic year.
- Must attend the CIFE All-Day Workshop on November 12, 2011. For workshop information, please email your name and high school to cife540@yahoo.com
- Must reside and attend a high school in Los Angeles County. Though not required, preference will be given to applicants that attend Compton schools.
- Must not be a previous CIFE Scholarship recipient.

Application Materials:

Please ensure that you provide all the items below and only those items. Failure to do so can result in disqualification of your application.

- CIFE Scholarship Application** – Please complete the application in full.
- Personal Statement** – Please write a personal statement that adheres to the guidelines below:
 - Clearly indicate in your personal statement that you are an undocumented student. We define an undocumented student as someone who was born outside the U.S. but lives here without legal permission of the federal government.
 - Discuss your current financial situation and how this scholarship would assist you.
 - Your personal statement may be on any topic but you must underline your thesis/topic sentence(s).
 - It must be typed, double-spaced, one-inch margin, and font size 12.
 - It must have the author's name and personal statement title on each page on the top right hand corner.
 - It must be between 500 and 1500 words.

Instructions:

1. Send only the application materials listed above. **Do not include these instructions.**
2. Provide all application materials into one envelope in the following order:
 - a. Scholarship Application (*on top*)
 - b. Personal Statement (*behind Scholarship Application*)
3. **Everything must be mailed together.**
4. **Only complete applications will be accepted.**
5. **Please provide sufficient postage. All unpaid/insufficient postage will be returned.**
6. **Make sure your application is postmarked by December 16, 2011 and mailed to the address below.**

**College Is For Everyone (CIFE)
Attn: Jaime L. Del Razo
P. O. Box 64-2975
Los Angeles, CA 90064**

Fall 2011 CIFE Scholarship Application

Name: _____ Gender: _____ Ethnicity: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Primary Phone: _____ Secondary Phone: _____

Email: _____

Name of High School: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

List and rank the top three colleges you will be applying to:

First. _____

Second. _____

Third. _____

List all your extracurricular involvement (including work). Use back, if necessary.

Organization/Activity	Description of Involvement	Hours/Week

By signing below, I hereby proclaim that all information in this entire application is factual and true to the best of my knowledge.

Applicant Signature

Date