

GENERAL INFORMATION FOR ALL SCHOLARSHIPS

1. **WHO MAY APPLY?** All Rainbow Girls who are graduating high school seniors, in good standing the year prior to the application date.
2. **TYPES OF SCHOLARSHIPS.** Regular Rainbow Scholarship, Beverly Sanders Book Scholarship, The Florence McDonald Music Scholarship, continuing Student Scholarships (for Rainbow Girls already attending college), and the Jessie D. Nelson Scholarship.
3. **AMOUNTS OF AWARDS.** Regular Rainbow, \$500 (This is for entering freshmen only and is not renewable.) Beverly Sanders, the amount varies and is added to a regular Rainbow award. The Florence McDonald Music, \$500 (For entering freshmen music students and is not renewable.) Continuing Student Scholarship, \$500 (available when money from regular Rainbow Scholarship is not depleted). Jessie D. Nelson Scholarship, \$2,500 (priority is given to students in the medical field.)
4. **HOW PAID?** Half of the award is paid in August before the fall semester or quarter begins, the balance is paid after completion of the fall semester. Transcripts of grades must be sent to Mr. J. Dennis Conwell, Scholarship Committee Chairman, together with evidence of enrollment for the next semester or quarter.

THIS IS THE STUDENT'S RESPONSIBILITY

1. The Rainbow Girl may access the California Rainbow Website herself, at www.calorg.org to obtain the 5 page Scholarship forms; OR
2. The Rainbow Girl may contact her Mother Advisor or Advisory Board Chairperson to access the forms from the Rainbow Website at www.calorg.org; OR
3. The Rainbow Girl **herself** must request application forms by contacting:
Mr. J. Dennis Conwell, Chairman
Scholarship Committee
424 Colfax Drive
San Jose, CA 95123-3403

Enclose the assembly name, her year in school, and a self-addressed \$.60 stamped (4 x 9½) envelope.

4. **APPLICATION DEADLINE. All forms must be postmarked by FEBRUARY 15.**

CONTENTS OF THE APPLICATION

A questionnaire asking for the following:

1. Name of scholarship applied for; personal data; name of school you wish to attend; first and Second choice; career choice; school now attending; date of high school graduation; scholarships applied for, scholarships granted and amounts awarded.
2. A financial report. This must be completed in full and will be kept in strict confidence. A copy of your parents' or legal guardian's most recent federal income tax return. Also confidential.
3. A Rainbow history, high school resume, a community activities and affiliations record, reference names and addresses, a signature space for yourself, your parent or legal guardian, and your Mother Advisor or Advisory Board Chairman. There is also a place to attach your photo. This will appear in the Pot of Gold if you are awarded a scholarship.
4. A request to your Counselor, Dean, or Principal for a confidential report as to your general scholastic capabilities. This must be accompanied by your high school transcript. **All confidential letters from your Counsel, Dean, or Principal should be sealed in an envelope AND INCLUDED** with your application.

An essay briefly stating your career goals, how you plan to accomplish them, personal philosophy, and any unusual family or financial circumstances must accompany your application. Two letters of recommendation should be included.

All instructions must be followed. All forms **MUST** be completed and mailed to Mr. J. Dennis Conwell, Chairman, Scholarship Committee, and **postmarked no later than FEBRUARY 15. DO NOT SEND YOUR APPLICATION UNTIL IT IS COMPLETE.**