

# PVCC Puma Scholarship

SCHOLARSHIPS RESERVED FOR:

Barry Goldwater, Cactus Shadows, Horizon, North Canyon, Paradise Valley, Pinnacle, Shadow Mountain, AZ Agribusiness, Boulder Creek, Chaparral, Deer Valley, Desert Mountain, Greenway, Mountain Ridge, Polaris, S. D. O'Conner, Sunnyslope, Crestview College Prep, Sunrise Mountain, PV Online, and Thunderbird High Schools

\*\*\*Other Charter Schools may be eligible-Contact Recruitment office to verify.

**2017-2018**

- This scholarship is designed for students who are committed to attend: **Paradise Valley Community College.**
- Two-semester scholarship, RENEWABLE for an additional two semesters if student maintains a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher at PVCC. If eligible, this scholarship will award up to a maximum of 48 credit hours.
- Winners will be awarded \$1032.00 per semester, which covers full-time tuition of 12 credit hours. Students must enroll in at least 12 credits (or more) per semester. Student is responsible for funding beyond 12 credits.

**DEADLINE: June 2, 2017**

## Eligibility Requirements and Checklist:

1. \_\_\_ 2017 graduate from a feeder High School (see list above)
2. \_\_\_ You must be a US citizen or permanent resident
3. \_\_\_ Cumulative High School GPA of 2.75 or higher
4. \_\_\_ Enroll full time completing a minimum of 12 credit hours each semester for the fall 2017 and spring 2018 semesters. with a GPA of 2.5 or higher
5. \_\_\_ Degree-seeking or planning to transfer to a 4-year college
6. \_\_\_ First generation college bound student is given strongest eligibility consideration (Parents did not complete a college degree)
7. \_\_\_ Complete/submit FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov)
8. \_\_\_ Demonstrate financial need, as determined by FAFSA. You will need a 2015 Tax return.
9. \_\_\_ All applicants must have filed and submitted the FAFSA application, enrolled and admitted to PVCC, placement testing, academic advising, and selection of 12 credits hour classes by the deadline on **June 2, 2017**. Failure to complete any of these steps prior to the deadline may disqualify the applicant. You must also check your "To Do List" in your PVCC Student Center to see if you have been selected for FAFSA verification issues. All financial aid issues must be completed in order to determine eligibility. It is recommended you begin the FAFSA application process no later than February 1st. Please call Financial Aid at 855-622-2332 for more information, or go to [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov). Call 602-787-7176 or 602-787-7635 for enrollment assistance.
10. \_\_\_ 400-500 word personal statement



For additional information, contact PVCC:  
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**2017-2018**  
**PARADISE VALLEY COMMUNITY COLLEGE**  
**PUMA SCHOLARSHIP**  
*(FORMERLY KNOWN AS THE FEEDER SCHOLARSHIP)*

**Return** this application and a personal statement (400-500 words, describing your educational and professional goals, areas of interest, community service, academic achievement and honors. Also, indicate what this scholarship means to you and how it will be used to fulfill your educational goals).

Submit to: **PVCC Office of Student Financial Assistance by Thursday, June 2, 2017\***

*\* All areas of this form must be complete. Incomplete applications will be disqualified.*

\_\_\_\_\_  
Last Name, First Name, Middle Initial

\_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address City State Zip

\_\_\_\_\_  
Home Phone Cell Phone E-Mail Address (Do not use your High School email address!)

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Maricopa Enterprises ID (MEID) Number PVCC Student ID Number  
(Do not use your high school ID number!)

Date you applied to FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid): \_\_\_\_\_

Cumulative High School GPA: \_\_\_\_\_ High School Attended: \_\_\_\_\_

Graduation Date \_\_\_\_\_

I am a US Citizen or Permanent Resident \_\_\_\_\_ Yes or No

My parents did not complete a college degree \_\_\_\_\_ Yes or No

I plan to study Major(s) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ I am currently undecided on a major, but plan to transfer to a 4-year college

**Important Notes:**

Application must be completely filled out. Missing or invalid information will disqualify applicant. Please read entries carefully.

I understand that in order to be eligible for this scholarship, I must complete the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) for the 2017-2018 award year using a 2015 tax return, and submit that data to Paradise Valley Community College at the Financial Aid Office\*

I certify that the information I've submitted is correct to the best of my knowledge. I understand that by signing below, I am giving my consent to the Maricopa Community College District and Paradise Valley Community College to release my academic, financial, and all other necessary information required by the college to be considered for this scholarship. I also give the above stated entities permission to release my name to the press.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Submit to: **\*Office of Student Financial Assistance**  
**Paradise Valley Community College**  
**18401 N. 32<sup>nd</sup> St.**  
**Phoenix, AZ 85032**

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US Citizen/Permanent Res _____	
New/Continuing _____	