

PVCC Puma Scholarship

SCHOLARSHIP RESERVED FOR:

Barry Goldwater, Cactus Shadows, Horizon, North Canyon, Paradise Valley, Pinnacle, Shadow Mountain, SCHOLARSHIPS RESERVED FOR: 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 Public or Charter Schools may be eligible-Contact Recruitment office to verify.

Spring 2022

- 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 unweighted 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 \$1020.00 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: December 3rd, 2021

Eligibility Requirements and Checklist:

1. ___ December 2021 graduate from an eligible public/private/charter high school (see list above)
2. ___ You must be a US citizen or permanent resident
3. ___ Cumulative Unweighted High School GPA of 2.75 or higher
4. ___ Enroll full time in a minimum of 12 credit hours each semester starting in the Spring 2022
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
8. ___ Demonstrate financial need, as determined by FAFSA. You will need a 2019 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 **December 3rd, 2021**. 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. **The 2021-2022 FAFSA** application opened on **October 1, 2021**. Please call Financial Aid at 855-622-2332 for more information, or go to www.fafsa.ed.gov. Call 602-787-7176 or 602-787-7635 for enrollment assistance.
10. ___ Final Official High School graduation transcripts sent to PVCC Admissions and Records.
11. ___ 400-500-word personal statement (see back for details)



**PARADISE VALLEY
COMMUNITY COLLEGE**
A MARICOPA COMMUNITY COLLEGE

For additional information, contact PVCC:
at (602) 787-7444.

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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 Recruitment Office and/or recruitment@paradisevalley.edu by Friday Dec 3, 2021***

Scholarship is not guaranteed by just application. Committee will evaluate application based on criteria and the essay section. * 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!)

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 _____ No

My parents did not complete a college degree _____ Yes _____ 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 Spring 2022 award year using a 2019 tax return.**
- 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 Recruitment
 Paradise Valley Community College
 18401 N. 32nd St. Phoenix, AZ 85032

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EFC _____	HS GPA _____
US Citizen/Permanent Res _____	
New/Continuing _____	