**The AJ Wang Foundation Scholarship Fund Applicant must:**

* Be a resident or citizen of the United States of America and its territories or Deferred Action for Childhood Arrival (DACA) and/or Dream Act eligible
* Have a cumulative high school grade point average of **2.5 or higher** on a 4.0 scale
* Be a graduating high school senior from an accredited high school with the goal to attend a **community college** and earn a degree or certification, and/or meet transfer requirement
* Commit to enroll as a f**ull time** (minimum 12 units) student, without interruption, for the entire academic school year at one of the above mentioned community colleges
* Submit:

1. the official application form
2. a letter of application indicating the college of his/her choice, student background, academic achievement, intended educational and career goal(s), and financial need
3. a resume
4. the latest transcript including grades from 9th grade through at least the first semester of high school senior year with the **final transcript** submitted along with full time fall registration no later than **August 15** after the award is granted

* Provide **most recent college transcript and subsequent semester full-time student registration** annually by **January 15 for semester 1** and **August 15 for semester 2** for continuous attendance which demonstrates progress towards meeting educational goal(s). Recipients must maintain at least a **2.75 GPA** on a 4.0 scale each semester and register for at least **12 units** in order to receive continuous financial support.

**Award**

* Each recipient will receive two thousand dollars **($2,000)** a year for up to three years with $1,000 granted for each semester.
* Check will **NOT** be sent individual students, they will be mailed to the respective **Scholarship/Financial Aid office** of the college the recipient is attending for disbursement according to the college’s guidelines.
* **Priority consideration** will be given to first generation college-bound students and students living in non-traditional homes.
* Preferences will be given to students who plan to pursue **non-traditional careers.**
* Recipients are selected by a committee established by the AJ Wang Foundation, there will be no grace period for acceptance and no appeals for students who are not granted the award.
* Application materials must be received via email no later than mid-nigh on **June 1.**
* Notification of awards will be provided by late July via email.
* All recipients will be known as the AJ Wang Foundation Scholars.

**Please email all materials (e.g. application form, letter of application, resume, and transcript) to: Dr. Chiung-Sally Chou, Executive Director at** [**schou88888@gmail.com**](mailto:schou88888@gmail.com)**. For more information, please see** [**www.ajwangfoundation.org**](http://www.ajwangfoundation.org)**.**

**All correspondence will be by email only.**