



## **Saber Foundation Scholarship Program**

### Return Completed Applications to:

Saber Foundation  
c/o Trudy McGavin  
4720 Franklin Road  
Boise, Idaho 83705

**Complete scholarship application packets must be received by  
\*\*\* April 1<sup>st</sup> 2010 \*\*\***

### **Description of Scholarship**

The Saber Foundation is a non-profit organization established to develop leaders and improve higher education and opportunities for Hispanic/Latino students. This is a full tuition scholarship to a public post-secondary school in Idaho with a maximum limit of \$5000.00 per year. The award is in recognition of academic and vocational achievement, demonstrated leadership in school, community or other service activities. Applicants must be accepted and enrolling or enrolled in a school of post-secondary education in Idaho to be eligible.

### **Qualifications**

#### **The applicant must:**

- Submit a complete application packet by April 1st, 2010.
- Must be in good standing and making satisfactory progress (as formally defined by the institution) toward the student's program objective (degree, diploma, or certificate).
  - Must have a cumulative Grade Point Average of 2.5 and above.
- Be a high school student in Idaho and/or be attending an institution (university, college, vocational/technical or other) in Idaho.
- Have demonstrated leadership in school, community and/or other service organizations that promote, enhance or strengthen diversity.
- Live in Idaho and of Hispanic/Latino descent



### **Scholarship Application Packets must contain:**

- A completed and signed Saber Foundation Scholarship Application.
- Write a double-spaced, 12-point essay on one of three topics below. Be sure to include any pertinent information you may want to convey to us regarding your personal family background and history; academic, leadership and community service experience; your plan of study and future goals; and the financial obstacles that you feel are impacting your ability to pursue a post-high school education.

Prepare the essay on **One** of the three following:

- Describe how you feel a college education will help you make a difference in the Latino community.
  - Define your concept of leadership and describe a person in your life (other than a family member) that demonstrates those qualities.
  - Identify one significant challenge facing Latinos and recommend strategies to address the challenge.
- A copy of applicant's high school or college transcript
  - A "brag" list or resume of scholarly or vocational accomplishments, honors, special awards or recognition you have received, community and school involvement to include leadership positions and/or activities.
  - Two letters of recommendation. At least one letter from an individual qualified to judge your academic, leadership, and personal qualifications. Counselor or teacher is recommended.

Note: Finalists will be required to conduct an interview with the scholarship selection committee.

## 2010 Saber Foundation Application

**Application Deadline: April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2010**



**Full Name:** \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Zip

**Phone Number:** (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ **Cell Phone Number:** \_\_\_\_\_

**E-mail Address:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Birth Date:** \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  
mm/dd/yyyy ex: 01/17/1975

**Parent/Guardian:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Address:** \_\_\_\_\_  
Street/City/Zip

**Ethnic Origin:** (please specify) \_\_\_\_\_ **Gender:** M F

**How many years have you resided in Idaho** \_\_\_\_\_

**Name of HS/School:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Year in School:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Cumulative GPA:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Estimated Date of HS Graduation** \_\_\_\_\_ **College Attending:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Household Income:**  \$1 to \$30,000  \$30,001 to \$45,000  \$45,001 to \$72,000  
(Please check one)  \$72,001 or more

**How many are in your household?** (include all adults and children): \_\_\_\_\_

### **Certification:**

I understand and agree to the terms and conditions of applying for and receiving this scholarship. The answers given on this application are true and complete. I hereby authorize information regarding my scholarship application, academic record and financial aid award to be released to the Saber Foundation Scholarship Committee. The Committee may require additional documentation to verify the completion or accuracy of this application. I understand that submitting a completed packet does not guarantee me a personal interview. I certify that the information given on this application is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge.

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Today's Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

*All scholarship winners will be notified by mail or phone call.*

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