CRITERIA AND REQUIREMENTS

Award Categories:

- High School Seniors or GED equivalent
- Undergraduate College Students

Eligibility Criteria:

- Limited to Latinx students from Connecticut.
- Must have been a Connecticut resident for the past 12 months.
- Must demonstrate financial need.
- Accepted at or attending an accredited institution of higher education.
- A cumulative GPA of 2.75 or greater for all completed course work at the time of application.
- Applicants must attend full time and seeking their first undergraduate degree.
- Demonstrated community service within the Latinx community.
- Essay: “How do you feel this scholarship is going to impact your ability to pursue your education?” (Maximum 2 page typewritten double space statement).

Please Note: In order to receive this award, recipients are required to attend a scholarship reception, the date and location to be determined. Students who do not, or cannot attend the reception will forfeit their award. The CALAHE scholarship is renewable for one year only, recipients must reapply.

Award Amount: $1,000.00

Submit the following items:

- Completed Application
- Letter of acceptance from college or university (for high school seniors or GED Students)
- Two Letters of recommendation – one must be from a teacher. Letters must be written within the last six months.
- Official high school or college transcript
- Copy of either:
  - The Federal Student Aid Report (SAR) OR
  - Undocumented/DACA students must submit the State of Connecticut Student Aid Report
- Essay: “How do you feel this scholarship is going to impact your ability to pursue your education?” (Maximum 2 page typewritten double space statement).

If any of these items are missing, your application will not be processed. Application must be postmarked by: May 30, 2020

TO: Ms. Myrna Garcia Bowen
Central Connecticut State University
Willard DiLoreto Hall, Suite D 311
1615 Stanley Street
New Britain, CT 06050
CONNECTICUT ASSOCIATION OF LATINOS IN HIGHER EDUCATION, INC.

Applicant’s Name: ____________________________________________

Address: ______________________________________________________

City/State/Zip: ________________________________________________

CT Resident: Yes ___ No ___ How Long? __________________________

Telephone Number: ________________ Cell Number: ________________

Ethnicity (Required) __________________________

Gender:  M__  F__  Birthdate: __________________________

U.S. Citizen:  Yes___  No___  U.S. Permanent Resident:  Yes___  No___

DACA: Yes___ No___  Undocumented  Yes___ No___

Email Address ________________________________________________

HIGH SCHOOL INFORMATION

High School: __________________________________________________

Address: ______________________________________________________

City/State/Zip: ________________________________________________

Graduation Date: ________________  Cumulative Grade Point Average: ________________

Extracurricular Activities: ________________________________________

COLLEGE INFORMATION

Name of College attending or will be attending: ______________________

Address: ______________________________________________________

City/State/Zip: ________________________________________________

List all colleges attended with highest cumulative grade average (if applicable):
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List extracurricular activities in college:
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Career Goals: __________________________________________________

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Awards and Honors:
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List your participation in school and community activities, stressing your contributions to each:
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I hereby state that the answers in this application are complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge and that, if given an award; I shall do my best to maintain standards for scholarship and conduct which will reflect credit on me, my college and the Connecticut Association of Latinos in Higher Education.

Signed: _____________________________  Date: _____________________________