



## Nuestro Mundo Inc. Scholarship

Nuestro Mundo Inc. (NMI) is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization that works to provide educational, cultural and social opportunities for Madison's ever-expanding Latino Community. NMI's mission is to develop, manage and promote k-adult language, cross-cultural educational and leadership opportunities

NMI's scholarships to students of color entering or enrolled in college. The three Scholarships available one \$1,000.00 and two \$500.00 for one semester during the academic year.

**The NEW EXTENDED deadline is Friday, May 12<sup>nd</sup>, 2017.**

The Nuestro Mundo Inc. Scholarship recognizes outstanding high school students in their senior year who have shown commitment to the Dual Language Immersion (DLI) Program with previous involvement in volunteer/leadership or community activities.

### REQUIREMENTS:

1. Applicants must have attended Nuestro Mundo Community School
2. Include a copy of your high school transcript.
3. Upon receiving the NMI scholarship, recipients must be enrolled for a minimum of 6 credits during the semester in which they receive the scholarship at an accredited Wisconsin College or University.
4. Demonstrate Financial Need
5. Include one letters of recommendation from a classroom teacher, employer, volunteer program coordinator or other community member who can speak about your motivation for higher education and address your academic, volunteer and community achievements. The letter can be in English or Spanish.
6. Must complete an interview with Scholarship Review Board
7. If awarded must partake in video marketing for NMI

\*Preference will be given towards students whom remained within the DLI program through out their education career

SELECTION: Selection is based on DLI Program commitment, financial need, and responses to short essay questions, recommendation, and high school transcript. A FAFSA is not required to apply.



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**APPLICATION CHECKLIST** • Complete and submit a NMI Scholarship Application.  
• Print, sign and date the application • 1 Letters of Recommendation • Include a copy of your high school transcript. • Letter of acceptance to enroll or enrollment in 6 or more credits during the fall semester of 2017 if available

Email completed application packet by Friday, May 12nd, 2017 by 11:59pm, late applications not accepted.

Subject: NMI 2017 Scholarship Application

Email your scanned your application with attachments to:  
[Scholarship@nuestromundoinc.org](mailto:Scholarship@nuestromundoinc.org)

Scholarship award Timeline

Scholarship Due Date: May 12<sup>nd</sup>, 2017

Scholarship Interviews: Each applicant will be contacted a week following to schedule individual interviews

Scholarship Award Winning Notification: Two weeks after interviews are wrapped up

If you have any questions about this scholarship, please email us at [Scholarship@nuestromundoinc.org](mailto:Scholarship@nuestromundoinc.org) with subject "Scholarship Question".



## Personal Information

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Street, Apt #, P.O. Box:

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City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Alternative Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**Education-** List high school or other colleges/universities you attended

<u>School and City</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Diploma/Degree</u>
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## Recommendation Information

My recommendation letter were written by:

Name	Relation to Student	Place of Work	Phone Number	Email

Please attach recommendation letter to this application.

Did you receive free or reduced lunch while in high school? (Circle One) Yes or No

I have already been accepted to a College/University. (Circle One) Yes or No

I plan to attend: \_\_\_\_\_ (Circle One) Full Time or Part Time

My intended program or major is : \_\_\_\_\_

My intended college start date is: \_\_\_\_\_

By signing below, you acknowledge you have read, understand, and answered each question to the best of your knowledge and ability.

Signature

Date



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### Essays:

Type a brief essay in response to each question below. (Maximum of 250 words per question) Please answer question 1 in Spanish and questions 2-6 in English.

- 1) Que es algo que tu valoras de la education de DLI, que te ayudado a formar a la persona que eres hoy.
- 2) What is something that you value about your family, community, or culture that helps shape who you are today?
- 3) Who influences you to keep going when you want to give up? Why are you influenced by this person?
- 4) Describe your involvement in professional, community and/or extracurricular activities. List the organizations and activities. Include any leadership positions that you have held. If unable to participate, provide a brief explanation.
- 5) Describe financial barriers you face/have faced.
- 6) Additional Consideration- describe any other recent major life changes that should be considered.