



## **About This Award**

The **Future Voices Association Leadership Award** is about cultivating leadership and projecting it forward in one's life through continuing education, business relations, professional interactions and strategic social networking. This is a scholarship granted to a Senior of CG Union and Vista Grande High Schools and Mission Heights Preparatory High School current graduating class that is able to provide several examples of leadership experience in their lives to date. The applicants must also project how they would employ leadership techniques in their continuing education and career development.

## **The Birth of This Award**

The **Future Voices Association Leadership Award** is a projection of the Voices-2016 human-interest photography project created in 2016 by local businessperson Chuck Wright. The project focused on 12 Casa Grande citizens, who were between the ages of 20-45 years old. These twelve individuals all worked in Casa Grande and had a strong community service agenda in their resume. They were all selected because of their impact in our community but were not yet publicly identified community servants. These individuals were and still are providing their efforts in the community, under the radar of local public recognition. Creators and members of Voices-2016 endorse the principles of this scholarship and its foundation.

## **The Scholarship Amount**

The scholarship amount will be a maximum of \$1,000 to each CG Union and Vista Grande and Mission Heights Preparatory High School award recipient. Each scholarship amount will be deposited in a one-time amount into the tuition account of the trade school, college or university chosen by the award recipient. The scholarship will be for one year only.

## **Eligible Applicants**

All applicants must be planning to further their education in a trade school, a community college or a university. Additionally, eligible applicants must meet the following criteria:

- Must be a graduating senior from CGUHSD's Union or Vista Grande High School or Mission Heights Preparatory High School

## **Application Format**

- word document
- 12 point Times New Roman font
- single spaced
- 1-inch Margins



## Future Voices Association Leadership Award Application

Scholarship Application Availability-Friday, November 24<sup>th</sup>, 2023

**Applicant Information**                      **(Please TYPE this application)**

Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Please Print) Last                                      First                                      Middle Initial

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

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

What School did you attend in 2023-24? \_\_\_\_\_ Cumulative GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

What college, university or trade school will you attend in 2024-25? \_\_\_\_\_

Intended Major/Career: \_\_\_\_\_ Anticipated Graduation Date: \_\_\_\_\_

How did you hear about this scholarship application? \_\_\_\_\_

**Criteria for All Applicants/Applications (a single, digital file on a flash drive)**

**Include all 6 items below in a single digital PDF file on a flash drive and mail with your paper application**

1. A biographical sketch (no more than one typed page) that describes information about:
  - a. Yourself
  - b. Your family
  - c. The major you have selected
  - d. The career goals you have chosen to pursue
2. Completed essay questions
3. Completed Extra- Curricular Activities and Awards, Work Experience and Volunteer Experience forms
4. A copy of your CGUHSD transcript
5. A copy of your Standard Test scores, including SAT or ACT
6. Two letters of recommendation:
  - a. One from a teacher
  - b. One from a community leader (i.e. employer, coach, volunteer supervisor, counselor, etc.) No relatives

**Essay Questions 1-4, Minimum 50 Typed Words each question**

1. In your own words, describe what leadership means to you.
2. Please describe what type of leader you are and how you have demonstrated that style of leadership.
3. Please name a person whose leadership you admire. Please describe how his or her leadership examples have influenced your life and how you intend to take those examples with you into your career path.
4. Please describe to us your proposed career path and how your good leadership abilities will allow for your success

**EXTRA - CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES AND AWARDS**

Please check the year(s) that you participated in each activity

NAME OF ACTIVITY OR AWARD All school extra-curricular activities, clubs and community organizations are eligible for listing	Fr.	So.	Jr.	Sr.	OFFICES HELD (Pres, VP, Sports Team Captain etc.) EVENT CHAIRMAN (List event)

**WORK EXPERIENCE**

COMPANY NAME	START DATE	STOP DATE	YOUR DUTIES

**VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE**

ORGANIZATION NAME	YOUR DUTIES	NUMBER OF HOURS SERVED

**ALL APPLICATIONS MUST BE POSTMARKED BY Monday, January 29<sup>th</sup>, 2024**

By signing below, I certify that all of the information contained in this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. Please note that any illegible or incomplete scholarship application forms will not be considered or reviewed.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Note To Applicants:**

1. To be considered for a scholarship, all applicants must submit a completed application, their transcripts and two letters of recommendation. **Please TYPE the application**
2. Please mail your **completed scholarship application** packet in a 9 x 12 envelope to the address below
3. Please also include in a single digital file that includes all **Criteria for All Applicants/Applications (a single, digital file on a flash drive, as described above)** in the 9 x 12 envelope
4. After applications are completely reviewed by committee, the top two applications from each school will be required to appear for an in-person interview with the selection committee.

**Future Voices Leadership Award  
Attn: Scholarship Committee  
976 Paseo Del Oro  
Casa Grande, Arizona 85122**

Voices/Future Voices Members

Voices-Emily Brinkin, Breanna Boland, Sam Reinhardt, Robert Miller, Matt Lemberg, Timothy Mace, Jennifer McClintic, Veronica Morton, Erica Herman, Stacey Seaman, Andy Salazar, Thomas Anderson