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## **2019-2020 Scholarship Program**

December 2019

Attention: School Counselor, School Principal, and/or Financial Aid Officer

We are pleased to announce that, again this year, the National Council of Jewish Women, Colorado Section, will award five (5) or more scholarships to Jewish women who are Colorado residents and are accepted or enrolled in an accredited post-secondary education institution for 2020-2021 school year. Each scholarship will be granted for a minimum of \$2,000. Each student must have applied and have been accepted to an accredited college or university (undergraduate or graduate level studies), junior college, community college, vocational or technical school.

We would appreciate your help in letting students know about our scholarship opportunities. This letter includes the following attachments:

- Cover letter to applicants
- Scholarship application form
- Required attachments/checklist
- Flyer

These documents are also available online at [www.ncjwcolorado.org](http://www.ncjwcolorado.org).

The deadline for the return of the application is Friday, March 20, 2020. Please contact me if you have any questions regarding the NCJW, Colorado Section Scholarship Program. Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

*Shelley Tuteur*

**Shelley Tuteur, Scholarship Chair**

NCJW, Colorado Section – 2019-20 Scholarship Program  
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Dear Scholarship Applicant,

Thank you for your inquiry about our National Council of Jewish Women (NCJW), Colorado Section 2019-2020 Scholarship Program. We will award five (5) or more scholarships to Jewish women who are Colorado residents and are accepted or enrolled in an accredited post-secondary education institution for 2020-2021 school year. Each scholarship will be granted for a minimum of \$2,000.

The National Council of Jewish Women (NCJW) is a grassroots organization of volunteers and advocates who turn progressive ideals into action. Inspired by Jewish values, NCJW strives for social justice by improving the quality of life for women, children, families, and by safeguarding individual rights and freedoms.

You must be a Jewish woman who is at least 16 years of age, a Colorado resident, and have applied and been accepted to an accredited college or university (undergraduate or graduate level studies), junior college, community college, vocational or technical school. You must demonstrate financial need and community involvement.

The application is available in the school counseling office and online at [www.ncjwcolorado.org](http://www.ncjwcolorado.org). Your completed application and all attachments must be postmarked to us no later than Friday, March 20, 2020.

Thank you for your interest in our Scholarship Program. **We look forward to receiving your completed application by mail to NCJW Colorado 2019-2020 Scholarship Program, 13735 E. Marina Drive, Unit B, Aurora, CO 80014 or via email (PDFs please, no ZIP files) to [shelley.tuteur72996@gmail.com](mailto:shelley.tuteur72996@gmail.com).**

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## **2019-2020 Scholarship Program CHECKLIST AND ATTACHMENTS TO APPLICATION**

**Please make sure you include the following items when submitting your application.**

### **COMPLETED APPLICATION**

#### **COVER LETTER**

Please state your connection to the Jewish community in Colorado, your need for the scholarship and any other information not covered in the application you would like the Scholarship Committee to know in order to make its decision.

#### **SCHOOL TRANSCRIPT**

Please submit a copy of your most recent high school transcript. For returning college students, submit a copy of your college transcript.

#### **ESSAY**

Please prepare a one-page essay about yourself. Tell us about your personal and educational goals and why you deserve this scholarship.

#### **LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION**

Please include two (2) letters of recommendation. One should be from a school official, teacher, or professor. The second letter can be from any other person in your community who knows you. Please note that all recommendation letters must be placed in a sealed envelope by the writer of the letter or emailed directly to [shelley.tuteur72996@gmail.com](mailto:shelley.tuteur72996@gmail.com).

#### **FINANCIAL INFORMATION**

Please attach your 2018 Federal Income Tax Return (specifically pages 1 and 2 of form 1040) and those of your parent(s) or legal guardian.

#### **ACCEPTANCE LETTER**

If you have accepted an offer of admission, please submit a copy of your acceptance letter.

**RETURN ALL APPLICATIONS AND ATTACHMENTS BY MAIL OR EMAIL (PDFS please, no ZIP files) TO:**

#### **Shelley Tuteur, Scholarship Chair**

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13735 East Marina Drive, Unit B  
Aurora, CO 80014  
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**INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS OR ENVELOPES POSTMARKED AFTER MARCH 20, 2020 WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.**



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## **NCJW College Scholarships for Jewish Women**

The National Council of Jewish Women, Colorado Section, plans to award a minimum of five scholarships at \$2,000.00 each for the Fall, 2020 Academic Year. In order to be considered, applicants must meet the following criteria:

- Be a Jewish woman at least 16 years of age.
- Be a Colorado Resident.
- Have applied/been accepted to an accredited university, college, junior college, community college, vocational or technical school and plan to attend in 2020.
- Document your financial need.
- Document your academic record.
- Submit two Letters of Recommendation.
- The application is available in the school counseling office or online at [www.ncjwcolorado.org](http://www.ncjwcolorado.org). Deadline for completed application and attachments must be postmarked on or before March 20, 2020.

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**Scholarship Application  
Academic Year 2019-2020**

Please complete the application in its entirety. Incomplete or hard to read applications may be disqualified. If extra space is needed for answers, additional sheets may be included. For email submissions, please submit PDFs please, no ZIP files.

**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT YOUR RESPONSES CLEARLY.  
Deadline for submission is Friday, March 20, 2020.**

**1. YOUR INFORMATION**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Place of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone Numbers: (H) \_\_\_\_\_ (C) \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_  
Are you Jewish? \_\_\_\_ Name your closest Jewish relative (i.e. parents, grandparents)  
\_\_\_\_\_

**2. ACADEMIC HISTORY**

Please list all schools/colleges you have attended:

Name	Address	Years Attended	Degree
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

**LIST ALL ACADEMIC DISTINCTIONS AND/OR HONORS**

(Include all offices held at school or in the community)

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**What is your current cumulative grade point average and/or class rank:**

(Please submit your most recent school transcript)

\_\_\_\_\_

**SAT/ACT Scores** Verbal \_\_\_\_\_ Math \_\_\_\_\_

**Advanced SAT Scores:** Subject \_\_\_\_\_ Score \_\_\_\_\_

**BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION**

(Fill out as appropriate to your situation)

Marital Status (please circle one): Single Married Divorced

Name of Spouse: \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Dependents, if any: \_\_\_\_ Ages: \_\_\_\_\_ Relation to you: \_\_\_\_\_

**If applicant's parents are separated/divorced, indicate amount EACH contributes to your educational expenses in the Additional Financial Information Section below and include your 2018 Federal Income Tax Return (specifically pages 1 and 2 of Form 1040) and those of your parent(s) or legal guardian.**

Mother's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ If deceased, year of death: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address if different than yours: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Occupation (If retired or deceased give former occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ If deceased, year of death: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address if different than yours: \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Occupation (If retired or deceased give former occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

**If someone other than your mother, father, spouse/domestic partner, assists you financially (i.e. stepparents, grandparents) give the following information:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to you: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Their Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Type & Amount of Support: \_\_\_\_\_

**List names and ages of your siblings:**

Name	Age	Name	Age

**List any other family members who reside at your home address and their relationship to you:**

Name	Relationship	Name	Relationship

**3. ADDITIONAL FINANCIAL INFORMATION**

The following information is to be completed by the person/s responsible for Scholarship Applicant's Financial Support. The most current tax returns must be included.

Please list any family/financial resources not itemized in Tax Return:

Source: \_\_\_\_\_ Amount: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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Source: \_\_\_\_\_ Amount: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Does the applicant have any independent financial resources other than savings?  
Circle one: Yes No If yes, what is the source \_\_\_\_\_

List any unusual family expenses not otherwise detailed in Tax Return or application, not including applicant's debts:

Expenses: \_\_\_\_\_ Amount: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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**4. OTHER INFORMATION**

**NAMES OF COLLEGES/UNIVERSITIES OR VOCATIONAL SCHOOLS TO WHICH YOU HAVE APPLIED?**

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

If accepted, where? \_\_\_\_\_

What is your area of interest? \_\_\_\_\_

**5. LIST THE JEWISH AND OTHER COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS TO WHICH YOU BELONG (Please indicate any positions of leadership you have held).**

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**6. HAVE YOU APPLIED FOR AND/OR RECEIVED ANY OTHER SCHOLARSHIPS OR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_**

If "yes", please list which ones and the amount of each:

Scholarship/Financial Assistance \_\_\_\_\_ Amount \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

***I hereby attest that all of the information contained in this application is true and correct.***

Signature of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian/Spouse Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

*(Required only if you are a Dependent)*

**Please return this application and ALL attachments by mail or email to:**

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