

# Galena Park Community Council PTA Guidelines for Daniel Bazan, Jr. Memorial Scholarship Applicants

1. One (1) scholarship of at least \$1000.00 will be awarded to a graduating senior from either Galena Park High School or North Shore Senior High School. The amount of any additional money will depend upon monies available through this scholarship fund.
2. The scholarship will be awarded on the basis of aptitude, desire and need.
3. The scholarship is to be used at the college of the winner's choice for either academic or vocational courses.
4. The recipient shall carry a minimum of 12 semester hours.
5. Finalists will be selected and given personal interviews to help the committee determine the winner.
6. The recipient will be notified within a week of the interviews and will be honored at the May meeting of the Galena Park Community Council PTA.
7. The scholarship money will be available for the fall semester. If the recipient is not able to attend college at that time, the monies will stay in the budget for two years. In the event that the recipient does not enroll and attend in the designated time period, the scholarship will be forfeited and re-deposited into the scholarship fund.
8. All applications must be postmarked by March 30, 2012 and sent to:  
Linda Sherrard  
C/O GPISD Administration Bldg.  
14705 Woodforest Blvd.  
Houston, Texas 77015

**\*Any applications submitted before March 19<sup>th</sup>, 2012 will not be accepted.**

Interviews with the finalists will be held the week of April 18-19, 2012. Finalists will be notified when and where interviews will be held.

Note: Scholarship winner must submit a transcript of his/her grades to the Galena Park Community Council scholarship chairman upon completion of the semester.

# The Daniel Bazan, Jr. Memorial Scholarship

## APPLICANT'S GENERAL INFORMATION (PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE)

Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ S.S. # \_\_\_\_\_  
 Ms. (First) (MI) (Last)

Permanent Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

(City)

(State)

(Zip Code)

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(Home Telephone Number)

( ) \_\_\_\_\_

(Cell Phone Number)

## INCOME STATEMENT

1. Number of adults in the family \_\_\_\_\_
2. Number of dependent children in the family \_\_\_\_\_
3. Number of dependent children who will attend college in the Fall \_\_\_\_\_
4. If both parents reside at the same address, do they both work? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No
5. Is this a single parent family? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No
6. Estimated annual college costs (tuition, room and board, etc.) \$ \_\_\_\_\_
7. If your parents(s)/spouse are disabled or unemployed: How long? \_\_\_\_\_

## PERSONAL INCOME STATEMENT

1. Are you currently employed? \_\_\_\_\_ How many hours per week? \_\_\_\_\_
2. How long have you been employed at least 10 hours per week? \_\_\_\_\_
3. Do you contribute your own money to support your family? \_\_\_\_\_
4. If so, what percent of your income goes to family support? \_\_\_\_\_
5. Do you have a savings account? \_\_\_\_\_ How much is saved for college? \_\_\_\_\_



## SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

### Transcripts, Personal Statement, Letter of Recommendation

- A high school transcript that contains the student's class rank, grade point average and test scores must be submitted with the application in a sealed envelope.
- Applicants must submit a personal statement that provides information about their background, community involvement, career goals, and desire to contribute to their community. Information about unique personal or financial circumstances may be added. Applicants should consider the personal statement as the equivalent to an interview. Statements must be 1-2 pages in length.
- A one-page letter of recommendation from a teacher or school official is required. The letter should detail the applicant's background, achievements, leadership abilities and community involvement. Letters should contain personalized information about the applicant. Form letters will be given minimum consideration.