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**SCHOLARSHIPS
for
TK-12 and Higher Education**

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About Scholarships

To find out about available scholarships, families should reach out to their respective schools. In TK-12 schools, they can contact the business manager, while in TK-8 schools, they can speak with the principal.

Each school has additional sources of financial aid beyond those listed here. School staff can assist families in identifying the scholarships on the list that are applicable to them and guide them through the application process.

This list is only meant to provide an overview of what is potentially available for families.

Pacific Union Baybarz and Endowments (TK-12 and Undergraduate)

TK-11th grade students:

- Scholarship amount is approximately \$750 and varies each year. Elementary and Secondary amount may vary.
- Each school has a limited amount to distribute. They are available in May each year.
- For more information, contact the school Business Office.

12th grade and undergraduate college students

- Application available April 1.
- Limited space available.
- To request an application, you must contact Cynthia Garcia, in the SECC Office of Education or scan the QR code, click on Higher Education Scholarship Forms.



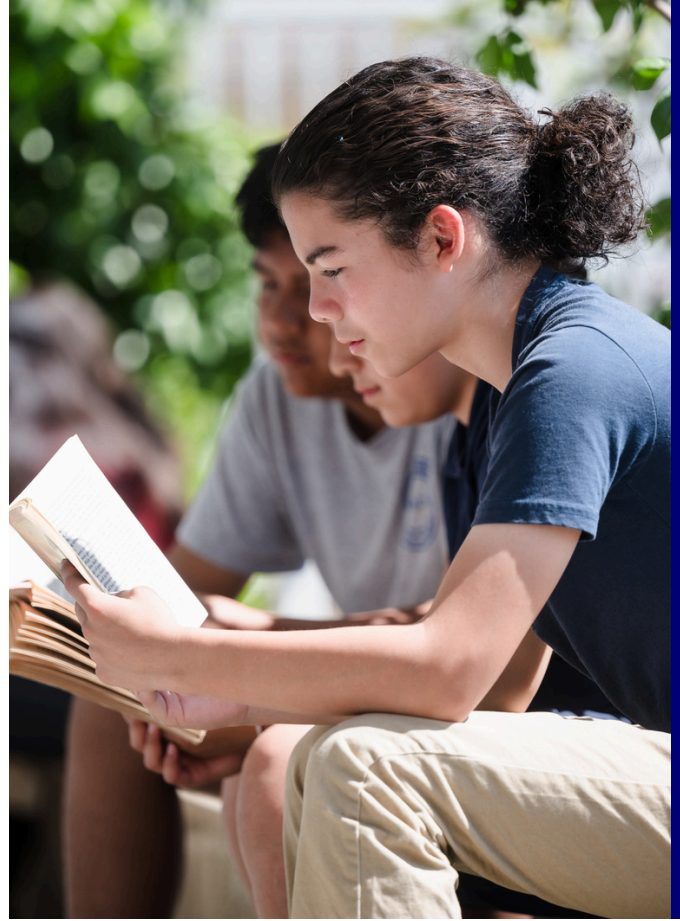
To qualify, the prospective student must meet the Pacific Union Conference requirements:

- Is a member of a Seventh-day Adventist Church within the Pacific Union, an unbaptized child of an Adventist parent, or a student who is being sponsored by a Seventh-day Adventist.
- Will be enrolled as a full-time student.
- Meets the acceptable scholarships and citizenship requirements of the school and authorizes a review of these records by the appropriate authorized persons.
- Will make a special commitment to spiritual excellence by the local conference's accepted norm.
- Does not receive tuition assistance for children of denominational employees.



Low Income Scholarship (TK-12)

- A family of a constituent church may qualify for this program if the Adjusted Family Income is at or below \$46,560.00.
- Scholarship is 10% of tuition for the school year and is processed each semester. The 10% is additionally matched by the local school so the family will receive 20% off tuition.
- Contact the school to apply.



Pacific Union Next Step Scholarship

Kindergarten

- Scholarship amount is \$750 for Kindergarten students only.
- Each school has a limited amount to distribute.
- Contact your school to apply.
- The student does not need to be SDA but must be enrolled full time.

9th grade

- The scholarship amount is \$2,500 for 9th grade students only.
- Each school has a limited amount to distribute.
- Contact your school to apply.
- The student does not need to be SDA but must be enrolled full time.

Vcelak Endowment (TK-12)

- This scholarship is available for students in black families.
- The scholarship is equal to one month's tuition. Each school has a limited amount to distribute.
- The student does not need to be SDA but must be enrolled full time.
- Contact your school to apply.





Ethnic Scholarship

**Asian, Black and Hispanic
(TK-12 and Undergraduate)**

- Families should contact their local church to begin the process. Applications are processed through the local church and then to each respective ethnic ministry department in SECC.
- This is available for Asian, Black, and Hispanic students attending an ethnic church.
- Application forms can be accessed by scanning the QR code.



NAD Hispanic Scholarship

(Graduate)

- For graduate students only. To apply, please contact Southeastern California Conference and ask for the Hispanic Ministries Department.

Three-Way Scholarship

(Undergraduate)

This is a matching scholarship with the local church, SECC, and SDA college/university each providing funds (up to \$500 from each entity).

- Application should be initiated by the local church and must be completed and signed by the church pastor prior to submitting to the Treasury Department.
- Click on the QR code to access the application.
- Applications will be accepted beginning March 1.
- A student may qualify if the Adjusted Family Income is at or below \$70,000. A copy of the Federal tax form filed for the year prior must accompany this application.
- Your application should be submitted to the Southeastern California Conference Treasury Department (Attn: Kim Brown).



If you have additional questions or would like more information, please contact us.

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Three-Way Scholarship

SECC General Services
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Ethnic Scholarship for Asian Pacific Ministries

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Ethnic Scholarship for Black Ministries

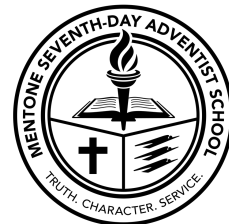
(951) 509-2298

**Ethnic Scholarship for Hispanic Ministries and
NAD Hispanic Scholarship**

(951) 509-2333

Please visit one of our school's for further information:

Calexico Mission School (K-12).....	(760) 357-3711
Desert Adventist Academy (K-8).....	(760) 779-1799
El Cajon Christian School (1-8).....	(619) 442-6544
Escondido Adventist Academy (K-12).....	(760) 746-1800
Laguna Niguel Christian School (K-8).....	(949) 495-3428
La Sierra Academy (ECE-12).....	(951) 351-1445
Loma Linda Academy (ECE-12).....	(909) 796-0161
Mentone SDA School (1-8).....	(909) 492-0738
Mesa Grande Academy (ECE-12).....	(909) 795-1112
Murrieta Springs Adventist Christian Academy (K-8).....	(951) 461-2243
Needles SDA School (K-8).....	(760) 326-4406
Oceanside Adventist Elementary (K-8).....	(760) 722-6894
Orangewood Academy (K-12).....	(714) 534-4694
Redlands Adventist Academy (K-12).....	(909) 793-1000
San Antonio Christian School (TK-8).....	(909) 982-2301
San Diego Academy (K-12).....	(619) 267-9550
Valley Adventist Christian School (K-8).....	(951) 242-3012
Victor Valley SDA School (K-8).....	(760) 243-4849



For our school directory, please visit our website.



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