Engineering and Computer Science Scholarships
Funding provided by National Science Foundation grant in partnership with ASU
“ASAP Project-Based Engineering Excellence Transfer Academy Across Arizona”
Apply by May 15, 2018

Cochise College will award eight $2,000 merit and need based scholarships to high school graduating students who have earned a 3.25 or higher GPA or students pursuing an Engineering or Computer Science degree at Cochise College. To qualify, applicants must enroll in 12 or more credits at Cochise College for the Fall 2018 semester; applicants who attended Cochise College classes must also demonstrate a cumulative 3.0 GPA in college-level courses. (High school seniors who apply for the Graduating Senior Scholarship Guarantee are eligible for both scholarships)

- Complete this application form
- Register for Cochise College classes on or before August 1 for the Fall 2018 semester
- Compose a five page “Interest Paper” describing your personal career interests (Paper will be used for ASU transfer scholarships) Note: this is $400/page see specifics below
- High school students submit unofficial high school transcripts with your application (until official transcripts become available). College students submit unofficial transcripts if not previously submitted.
- Attend a Cochise College sponsored trip to ASU for discussion of transfer opportunities-(see Disclaimer)
- Submit all requested information by May 15, 2018 via email to Cochise College Financial Aid Office fa@cochise.edu (520) 515-5417 Sierra Vista, or (520) 417-4045 Douglas, or by mail to:

  Financial Aide – EGR Scholarships
  Cochise College
  901 N. Colombo Ave.
  Sierra Vista, AZ 85635

BASIC INFORMATION

Name: ____________________________________________________________ Cochise Student ID: ________________________________
First, middle, last

Email: __________________________________________________________ Phone: ________________________________

Mailing address: __________________________________________________ GPA: ________________________________
High school and/or college

I __________ (initial) understand that:
  • Enrolling in less than six credits after August 1 will result in forfeiture of the scholarship
  • Engineering must appear as my major on official college records
  • I will attend Cochise College sponsored trip to ASU for discussion of transfer opportunities
  • I must remain enrolled full time as an Engineering or Computer Science major

Applicant Signature ____________________________________________ Date ________________________________

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ELIGIBILITY, WHAT YOU WILL NEED, CRITERIA

ELIGIBILITY
• GPA must be at least 3.25 on a 4.0 scale and enrolled full time as an Engineering or Computer Science major. Applicants who attended Cochise College classes must demonstrate a cumulative 3.0 GPA in college-level courses.

WHAT YOU WILL NEED
• Unofficial transcripts until official copies from your current high school or college become available
• Interest Paper: Take control of your career and start looking at where you are interested in working and what you would like to do. This five page double-spaced, typed document will be a guide for your future, and your plan for achieving career academic goals.
  o Page 1 – Introduction describing problems you are interested in solving, type(s) of Engineering or Computer Science, and what you want to do as a career choice
  o Page 2 - Describe employers you are interested in working for and why you like these particular companies (stable company, good products, innovative projects and products, location, salary schedules, job opportunities, etc.)
  o Page 3 – Your preparation to date on coursework you have taken and personal experiences. Include working in garages, leadership, project experiences, community service, computer skills, jobs – paid and unpaid, etc.
  o Page 4 – Letter of academic recommendation written by your teacher, counselor, employer, or someone (other than family) familiar with your qualifications. It is preferred that letters be submitted on letterhead and must be signed and include contact information.
  o Page 5 – References crediting sources where you found your information (magazine, internet, YouTube, URLs, newspapers, interviews, etc.)

SCORING CRITERIA
Applicants will be scored by a committee based on the following categories.
• Passion
• Merit
• Financial need

YOU MUST BE A U.S. CITIZEN OR PERMANENT RESIDENT
☐ Yes, I am a US citizen or permanent resident
☐ No, I am not a US citizen or permanent resident

ATTACH COMPLETED FORM, TRANSCRIPTS and INTEREST PAPER
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Disclaimer: Scholarship does not guarantee acceptance to ASU, but can lead to additional transfer scholarships to ASU.