Bilingual Bicultural Studies and/or Puente Project Scholarship Application Instructions

DUE: 4 p.m. Tuesday, April 10th, 2018

**Bilingual Bicultural Studies:** Academic or travel scholarships are available to students who

A. have completed 12 units from the Bilingual Bicultural Studies model program* with a 2.0 GPA  
   AND  
B. are planning to pursue an AA degree or transfer in careers related to Bilingual Bicultural Studies.  
   (See page two for a sample list of careers and qualifying courses.)

Travel scholarships are for travel expenses to Spanish-speaking countries to increase proficiency in Spanish and learn more about the cultures of the Spanish-speaking world.

Students from migrant farm worker backgrounds or those who are planning to pursue a career in history are eligible for special funding.

* For the Suggested Model Program, see the current Cabrillo College Catalog for course listings, or see a counselor to find out which courses qualify for BBS.

**Please note: Although financial need is not a requirement, preference will be given to applicants with financial need as defined by the Financial Aid Office guidelines.

**Puente:** Students who are in the Puente Project may apply for academic scholarships to pay for tuition, books or other college expenses at the four-year institution where they are transferring. Students must:

- be enrolled in the Puente Project;
- be ready to transfer for fall 2018;
- have financial need as defined by the Financial Aid Office guidelines.

Return the Application Form (page 3 of this packet) with the Application Essay and a copy of your transcript/s (unofficial OK)  

BY 4 p.m. Tuesday, April 10th, 2018!

via email to mifoquet@cabrillo.edu or ramayo@cabrillo.edu, or take the materials to any of the following places:

- EOP&S Office, Rm. 907
- BELA office, Rm. 301
- Puente Project Office, SAC West Room 135
- Watsonville Center, Student Resource Center, Room A120 OR Admissions & Financial Aid, room A100 OR Integrated Learning Center, Room A210
Courses in Bilingual Bicultural Studies include:

- All Spanish courses
- Art of the Americas (AH 19); Latin American Art (AH 52)
- History of Mexico (Hist 16C); Chicano History (Hist 21A or 21B)
- La Mujer (WS 5)
- Issues of Linguistic and Cultural Diversity in Education, History and Politics (BBS 32)
- American Education in a Changing World (Educ 80)
- Baile Folclórico (Dance 87)

See the Cabrillo College Catalog online for Bilingual Bicultural Studies at [https://www.cabrillo.edu/publications/catalog/current/departments/bbs.pdf](https://www.cabrillo.edu/publications/catalog/current/departments/bbs.pdf) for more courses that fit this criteria, or check with a counselor if you're not sure if a course you took qualifies!

Careers related to Bilingual Bicultural Studies include (but are not limited to):

- Education
- Social Sciences (Anthropology, History, Political Science, Law, Sociology, Economics, etc.)
- Human Services
- Public Safety
- Medicine, Allied Health
- Ethnic Studies, Latin American Studies, Women’s Studies
- Communication, Media

Check with your counselor if you're not sure if your career path is related to Bilingual Bicultural Studies!
BBS/Puente Scholarship Application

Please check below which scholarship(s) you are applying for:

_____Puente Project    _____Bilingual Bicultural Studies

Please fill out all information as completely as possible.

Name_________________________ E-mail: ________________________ Cabrillo ID: __________

Address_________________________ City________________________ State_____ Zip_____

Are you currently employed? _______________ Where? ______________________

Phone (H)_________________________ (W)____________________________

Major_________________________ Have you attended any other colleges?____________________

When do you plan to transfer? __________ Where? ______________________

Total Annual Family Income for 2017 (include parents and/or spouse)$________________

Are you currently living with parents? ______yes ______no

Student's Annual Income for 2017_________ No. of family members_______________

Are you currently receiving Financial Aid or a BOG waiver? ______ Yes ________ No

(For BBS applicants) list the courses in the BBS model program which you have completed. See a counselor or refer to the list on page two of the Scholarship Application Instructions for a list of qualifying courses.

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ESSAY: On a separate sheet please explain your plans for the future, your career goals, why you are seeking this scholarship and what makes you a deserving candidate for this award (such as community involvement, barriers/obstacles you face and/or have overcome in your education, etc.) Be sure to include any information that determines your eligibility, such as:

*Participation in the Puente Project    *Migrant farm worker background
*Financial need                     *Specific career/academic goals or travel/study plans