YWCA Mi Carrera Scholarship

The YWCA San Antonio was chartered in 1910 with the mission of developing personal empowerment and self-sufficiency in women and their families. Through its hard work in the last century, the YWCA of San Antonio has become a trusted part of San Antonio and its rich culture. Today the YWCA strengthens families in the San Antonio community by providing an array of programs that focus on childcare and early education; economic empowerment; youth development; and health and wellness.

The Mi Carrera college scholarship has been created by individuals who believe in the mission of the organization and the positive impact of a college education. The YWCA Mi Carrera Scholarship will be awarded to a graduating senior.

The Mi Carrera Scholarship consists of:

- Paid tuition for two consecutive years at an Alamo College
- Paid tuition for two consecutive years at Texas A&M University-San Antonio
- Book support

Completed applications should be mailed to:
YWCA San Antonio
c/o Mi Carrera Scholarship
6756 Montgomery Drive
San Antonio, Texas 78239

Deadline for this scholarship is May 3, 2019.

*Applicant must be a U.S. citizen, permanent legal resident, Deferred Action for Childhood Arrival (DACA), or eligible non-citizen (as defined by Federal Student Aid).
**Current transcript and one letter of recommendation required.
MI CARRERA SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

I. PERSONAL INFORMATION

Student's Full Name: ________________________________________________

High School: ______________________________________________________

Address: __________________________________________________________

Home #: ___________________________ Cell #: _________________________

E-mail: _____________________________________________________________

Birthdate: __________________________________________________________

Mothers Name and Occupation: ______________________________________

Fathers Name and Occupation: ______________________________________

Number of people who live in the household: ___________________________

Number of children under the age of 18 in the household: ______________

Place of Employment: ______________________________________________

Number of Hours/Week Worked: ______________________________________

What do you plan to study in college? _________________________________

II. ESSAY

The essay gives scholarship donors an opportunity to get to know you. Attach a typed, double-spaced essay of 300-500 words on ONE of the following subjects:

1. Why I Want to Attend College
2. My Future, My Family
3. What difference do I want to make in this world?

III. REFERENCES

Names of three people (non-family) in your school/community that can be contacted as character references.

Name/Title/Phone ____________________________________________________

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APPLICATION CHECK LIST:

Application is completely filled out _____
Essay _____
Current transcript is enclosed _____
One letter of recommendation _____

Envelope is addressed to:
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Deadline: Applications must be postmarked by May 3, 2019

If you have any questions or concerns, you may contact Vanessa Jimenez at vjimenez@ywca-sa.org.