



## **2018 HOPE SCHOLARSHIPS**

(Permanent address or parent/guardian address or currently attending college in CPS Energy service area)

**Deadline to Apply is May 11, 2018**

Apply On-line at <http://cafecollege.org/cafecollege-scholarship/> for the following

- (2) \$1,500 Alamo Community College District Scholarships
- (2) \$1,500 Jimmy E. Garcia - University of Texas San Antonio
- (2) \$2,250 Patricia Ana Garcia Escobedo CPS Energy Employee Dependents  
Dependents must include the HOPE Scholarship Dependents Eligibility Form with their application.

### **2018 SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA**

1. Scholarships open to students graduating from high school (GED).
2. Applications must attend the college indicated on scholarship application and provide a class schedule or scholarship may be forfeited at the discretion of the HOPE executive board.
3. May pursue an undergraduate degree in any concentration.
4. No income requirement is set forth. However, colleges/universities require applicants to fill out a Free Application for Student Financial Aid (FAFSA).
5. Have and maintain a 2.75 GPA or above based on a 4.0 scale each semester.
6. Describe your community involvement.
7. Provide one letter of recommendation from an individual (non-family) who can speak to your leadership.
8. Must maintain full-time enrollment status as defined by university or college throughout the duration of the scholarship term.
9. Recipients are required to attend the HOPE Hispanic Heritage Banquet, which is usually held in September.
10. Funds will be distributed directly to the institution of higher learning selected after the census date.
11. Incomplete applications will not be considered.
12. Recipients are asked to provide a three to four sentence biography (include major and college), a headshot photo (JPG), and contact information to include address, phone number and email.

Scholarships will be awarded at the **15<sup>th</sup> Annual HOPE Tribute to Hispanic Heritage Gala.**

For Gala information please visit [WWW.HOPE-SA.ORG](http://WWW.HOPE-SA.ORG).