

This Application is in PDF Format and Requires Adobe Acrobat for completion. If you are unable to use this format please print the Application form, complete it neatly by hand and attach your typed Personal Statement on 1 separate sheet of paper. Paper applications are also available at the DRD Front Desk on both campuses.

Please follow the recommendations and complete the steps listed below:

- ~Follow all of the instructions on this page.
- ~Start early – particularly requesting the letter of recommendation.
- ~Edit your application for clarity and spelling/grammar mistakes.
- ~Save and/or Make a copy of your completed application for your own files.

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- Step 1: Carefully read scholarship descriptions on the following pages.
 - Step 2: Identify scholarships for which you are eligible. (***Verification of disability must be currently on file with SRJC's Disability Resources Department or may be submitted with the scholarship application.***)
 - Step 3: Complete and Sign the First Page of the Scholarship Application.
 - Step 4: Type or Legibly Print your responses to questions 1-9.
 - Step 5: Type your **one page** Personal Statement. Your Personal Statement should address the following topics: 1. How your disability impacts your education. 2. Disability Management Strategies you use(d) to overcome your disability related limitations. 3. Why you are the best scholarship candidate.
 - Step 6: Save and Print Your Application and Personal Statement.
 - Step 7: Obtain **one** letter of recommendation from an SRJC instructor, counselor or an employer (**the letter may not be written by a Disability Resources Employee.**)
 - Step 8: Submit the completed pages and attached **original copy** of your letter of recommendation to:

Disability Resources Department (DRD) Front Desk
Santa Rosa Campus, Bertolini Student Services Center 3rd Floor, (707) 527-4278
Petaluma Campus, Jacobs Hall, Room 101, (707) 778-2491

Due by 4:00 PM – Monday: February 9th, 2015

Application is available online at www.santarosa.edu/disability_resources.

DRD Scholarship Descriptions

The following scholarships are offered through the Disability Resources Department at Santa Rosa Junior College. Please note that the scholarships each have specific academic and financial need qualifications and some are limited to students with specific disabilities. For all scholarships: students must be currently enrolled in classes and have completed a minimum of 1 semester of classes.

1. Aaron M. Alves Scholarships (2 @ \$TBA)

Awarded to two SRJC students who receive services from the Disability Resources Department and are diagnosed with ADD/ADHD or a learning disability. Students must be in good academic standing and be enrolled in a minimum of nine (9) units at SRJC.

2. Arthur Jaseau Scholarship Award (1 @ \$TBA)

Awarded to a student with an acquired brain injury who is finishing their program at SRJC and moving on to continue their education or training by December of 2015.

3. Colleen Handley Memorial Scholarship (1 @ \$TBA)

Awarded to an SRJC student who has a physical disability, has financial need and intends to transfer to a four-year college after graduation. Involvement in campus and community service activities is important.

4. David L. Proctor Memorial Scholarships (1 @ TBA and 1 @ \$TBA)

Students with an acquired brain injury or seizure diagnosis will be given preference, as well as those working towards a business and/or economics goal. The student must demonstrate personal motivation and determination towards furthering their education as well as initiative towards developing leadership skills and becoming a contributing member of their community. Additionally, students must be willing to have the scholarship description and their name publicized.

- (\$) Awarded to a student who is transferring to a UC, CSU, or other California public school for higher education. The student must be in good academic standing and will be required to provide verification of transfer (i.e. signed transfer agreement or college acceptance letter).
- (\$) Awarded to a student who is currently attending SRJC and is working towards completing their transfer requirements.

5. Dream Big Scholarship Awards (4 @ \$TBA)

Awarded to four SRJC students with an acquired brain injury or psychological disability who are receiving services through the Disability Resources Department and who have financial need. These students must demonstrate personal motivation and determination toward becoming contributing members of their community through development of academic, vocational, and/or community service skills.

6. Edith M. Amateau Scholarship (1 @ \$TBA)

Awarded to an SRJC student in the Disability Resources Department who is Deaf and has financial need. The student must be in good academic standing and be enrolled in at least six (6) units.

7. Elizabeth Carlson Memorial Scholarship (1 @ \$TBA)

Awarded to an SRJC student receiving services from the Disability Resources Department. The student must be in good academic standing, have financial need and be facing significant life challenges. The student needs to demonstrate personal commitment and perseverance in overcoming obstacles towards furthering their education and skills.



8. Julie Stone Memorial Scholarship (1 @ \$TBA)

Awarded to an SRJC student receiving services from the Disability Resources Department with any disability. The student must be in good academic standing, have financial need and have a strong interest in studying art.

9. Margaret Rainwater Memorial Scholarship (1 @ \$TBA)

Awarded to an SRJC student with a psychological or visual disability, who is receiving services from the Disability Resources Department. The student must be in good academic standing, have financial need and demonstrate personal determination and commitment to developing academic, vocational, or community service skills.

10. Milden & Mortensen/Petaluma 7-11 Lions Club Scholarships (3 @ TBA)

Awarded to three students with visual impairment or a visual disability. The students must be in good academic standing, enrolled in six (6) units and have financial need.

11. Monson Family Scholarships (1 @ \$TBA and 2 @ \$TBA)

For all Monson Family Scholarships, the students must demonstrate personal motivation and determination towards furthering their education as well as initiative towards becoming contributing members of their community. Additionally, students must be receiving services from DRD and be willing to have the scholarship description and their name publicized.

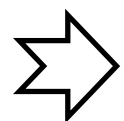
- Awarded to a student who is transferring to an accredited four-year institution by Fall 2015 with a goal of attaining a Bachelor's Degree or higher. Student must have verification of one or more of the following: learning disability, Asperger's syndrome, autism spectrum disorder, non-verbal learning disability and/or attention deficit disorder. The student will be required to provide verification of transfer (i.e. signed transfer agreement or college acceptance letter), and must be enrolled in at least six (6) units at SRJC.
- Awarded to a student who is in good academic standing, enrolled in at least six (6) units and is making progress towards a career/vocational certificate and/or Associate's degree. Student must have verification of one or more of the following: learning disability, Asperger's syndrome, autism spectrum disorder, non-verbal learning disability and/or attention deficit disorder.
- Awarded to a student with a verified learning disability who is in good academic standing, enrolled in at least six (6) units and making progress towards a career/vocational certificate and/or Associate's degree.

12. Sonoma County Mayors' Committee on Employment of People with Disabilities (SCMCEPD) Educational Scholarship (1 @ \$TBA)

As a way to promote the gainful, independent employment of people with disabilities, this scholarship is awarded to a student with a disability who is preparing for employment. The student must be in good academic standing, taking a minimum of nine (9) units and be on track to complete his/her education and seek employment by Spring 2016. The student will be expected to attend the **Sonoma County Employers Best Practices Awards Breakfast** in October.

13. The Villa Family Scholarship Honoring Laura Aspinall (1 @ \$TBA)

Awarded to a continuing or transfer DRD student whose major is in the Science Technology Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) cluster; minimum GPA of 2.0.

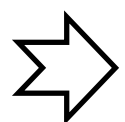


14. United Cerebral Palsy of the North Bay Scholarships (2 @ \$TBA)

Awarded to two students receiving services from the Disability Resources Department, priority going to a student with cerebral palsy or another physical or development disability. Students must demonstrate personal motivation and determination towards becoming contributing members of their community through developing academic, vocational, and/or community service skills and be enrolled in a minimum of six (6) units. Once awarded, students will be asked to provide a photo and email address to UCP of the North Bay. Recipients will be asked to share their personal statements and letters of reference, as well as a photo so that they may be honored and recognized in the UCPNBS newsletter and website.

15. Williams-King-Parsons Foundation Scholarships (4 @ \$TBA)

Awarded to four SRJC students who receive services from the Disability Resources Department and are diagnosed with a psychological disability. Students will have a demonstrated commitment to their recovery and mental health and wellness. Students must be in good academic standing, have financial need, be enrolled in a minimum of six (6) units at SRJC, and be making progress towards a stated academic or vocational goal. The recipient will have their name publicized at the Disability Resources Scholarship Ceremony.





DRD Scholarship Application



Last Name		First Name		Middle Initial
SRJC Student ID Number	Name of DRD Specialist		Telephone Number 1 (include area code)	
Street Address/PO Box			Telephone Number 2 (Include area code)	
City		State	Zip:	Email Address

Disability/Disabilities: please click on all that apply:

<input type="checkbox"/>	Acquired Brain Injury	<input type="checkbox"/>	Mobility
<input type="checkbox"/>	Deaf/Hard of Hearing	<input type="checkbox"/>	Psychological
<input type="checkbox"/>	Intellectual Disability	<input type="checkbox"/>	Speech/Language
<input type="checkbox"/>	Learning Disability		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Other: Please Describe _____		

I certify that the information provided in this application is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I hereby authorize the SRJC's Scholarship Office to release information presented in this application to the DRD Scholarship Committee. Should I be selected as a scholarship recipient, I authorize the publication of my name in relation to this award, the sharing of application information with donor(s), and presentation of my name and accomplishments at the DRD Honors Reception.

Student Signature: _____

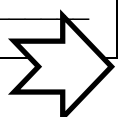
Date: _____

I am applying for the following scholarships:

<input type="checkbox"/>	Aaron M. Alves Scholarships	<input type="checkbox"/>	Margaret Rainwater Memorial Scholarship
<input type="checkbox"/>	Arthur Jaseau Scholarship Award	<input type="checkbox"/>	Milden & Mortensen/Petaluma 7-11 Lions Club Scholarships
<input type="checkbox"/>	Colleen Handley Memorial Scholarship	<input type="checkbox"/>	Monson Family Scholarships
<input type="checkbox"/>	David L. Proctor Memorial Scholarships	<input type="checkbox"/>	SonomaCounty Mayors Committee on Employment of People with Disabilities (SCMCEPD) Educational Scholarship
<input type="checkbox"/>	Dream Big Scholarship Awards	<input type="checkbox"/>	The Villa Family Scholarship Honoring Laura Aspinnall
<input type="checkbox"/>	Edith M. Amateau Scholarship	<input type="checkbox"/>	United Cerebral Palsy of the North Bay Scholarships
<input type="checkbox"/>	Elizabeth Carlson Memorial Scholarship	<input type="checkbox"/>	Williams-King-Parsons Foundation Scholarships
<input type="checkbox"/>	Julie Stone Memorial Scholarship	<input type="checkbox"/>	

DRD OFFICE USE ONLY: Application Complete: Y N C T E Date: _____

Units Completed _____ Units Enrolled _____ GPA _____ Major: _____



Personal Statement-1 page limit: Please type in the space provided or attach a separate sheet.

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