

# 2019 Ronnie Parks Fine Arts Scholarship

Administered by the Ysleta Education Foundation

*The Ronnie Parks Fine Arts Scholarship was established for students who are graduating from any YISD high school and are planning to pursue a Fine Arts Degree. The student should submit the completed application along with supporting documentation to the Paso del Norte Foundation.*

**Scholarship is awarded on a one-time, non-renewable basis in the amount of \$1,000**

**To be eligible for the Ronnie Parks Scholarship a student must:**

- Be a senior student graduating from any high school in the Ysleta Independent School District during the award year, and have met all graduation requirements as set forth by the Ysleta Independent School District and the State of Texas by June 2019.
- Have a cumulative GPA of 80 or above.
- Have been accepted for enrollment by an accredited two-year college or university majoring in Fine Arts. The Fine Arts requirement could consist of Theatre Arts, Film Production, Music, Art or Dance.

**Please type or print.**

## STUDENT INFORMATION

Name of student: \_\_\_\_\_ Student ID# \_\_\_\_\_

High School: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Alternate Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Birth date: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Class Rank/class size: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ Current cumulative GPA: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

I have been accepted at the following colleges and universities: \_\_\_\_\_

College I plan to attend: \_\_\_\_\_ I plan to major in: \_\_\_\_\_

Names of parents or guardians with whom you live:

Parent/guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

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## In addition, the following should be submitted along with application

1. **Essay (Maximum two page):** Submit a double spaced, typewritten essay discussing the goals you have worked to achieve. Touch on the reasons in which you feel that the arts are important to our society. Include experiences that have inspired you to follow this path and have given you the greatest sense of pride. What do you hope to experience through further education to help you reach your dream?
2. **Three (3) letters of recommendation:** One letter should be from an individual who has been instrumental in inspiring you to follow the path you want to follow. This could be a teacher (either private or public) who can speak to your talent and drive. The other letters can be from high school administrators, faculty, staff, community members, employers, personal friends, or clergy who are familiar with your ability work habits, integrity, and potential.
3. **List of Accomplishments:** Provide a list of awards, honors, extra-curricular activities, and other significant accomplishments.
4. **Official high school transcript.**

**Application packets should be submitted to the Paso del Norte Foundation,  
221 N Kansas St., Ste. 1900 El Paso, Texas 79901 or by email to [info@pdnfoundation.org](mailto:info@pdnfoundation.org)  
Noon on Monday, March 25, 2019  
For more information, call 544-7636**