

The Carlos Padron-Martinez Scholarship

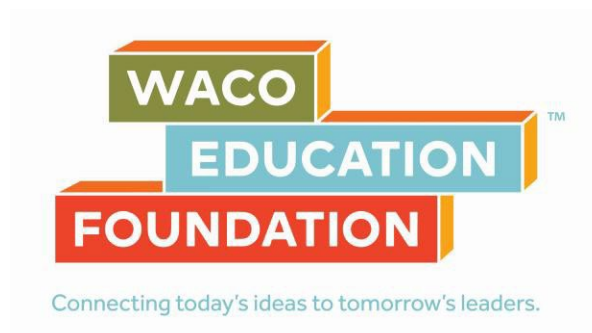
A scholarship will be awarded to three graduating seniors from University High School in the amount of \$1,000.00 each. The recipients will be students demonstrating outstanding academic achievement and leadership.

The scholarship criteria and application requirements are as follows:

- Minimum GPA: 3.5
- High school transcript
- 3 Letters of recommendation (any credible individual)
- Proof of college acceptance
- Personal essay (1-2 pages) that includes the following topics:
 - Brief autobiography (tell about your character, family, hobbies, etc.)
 - Extracurricular activities
 - What major you plan to study? (What are you passionate about and why?)

Electronic applications are preferred and should be emailed to education.foundation@wacoisd.org by midnight on Friday, April 24, 2026.

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LAST NAME _____ FIRST NAME _____ MIDDLE INITIAL _____

ADDRESS _____ CITY, STATE, ZIP _____

CELL PHONE _____

EMAIL ADDRESS _____ UHS GRADUATION DATE _____

WHAT MAJOR/CAREER TO YOU PLAN TO PURSUE? _____

DO YOU MEET ALL OF THE FOLLOWING CRITERIA? YES NO IF NO, PLEASE EXPLAIN: _____

- Minimum GPA: 3.5
- Demonstrated leadership during high school
- Participated as a community volunteer during your high school years
- Proof of college acceptance

LIST ANY HONORS, AWARDS, ACHIEVEMENTS OR EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES IN WHICH YOU HAVE BEEN INVOLVED. (USE A SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY.)

PREPARE A PERSONAL ESSAY. YOUR ESSAY SHOULD BE ONE TO TWO PAGES IN LENGTH.
REFERENCE PAGE 1 FOR ESSAY TOPICS.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: April 24, 2026

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