

# Alaska School Counselor Association Scholarship 2019

The Alaska School Counselor Association is pleased to present the 2018-2019 Alaska School Counselor Association Scholarship Program. Full tuition and partial tuition waivers are being offered at the Alaska Schools listed below for the post-secondary school year 2019-2020:

**Alaska Career College-** Five individual \$100 tuition waivers for Allied Health Programs (Medical Assisting, Phlebotomy Technician, Medical Coding and Billing, and Massage Therapy) & five \$1000 tuition waivers for Business Administration, Computer, Accounting and Human Resources Diploma and Degree Programs.

**AVTEC – Alaska’s Institute of Technology-** Five tuition waivers for any program AVTEC offers. (Students will be responsible for Room & Board, books, supplies and any other fees.)

**University of Alaska Southeast-** Two \$1000 tuition waivers. \$500 per semester. Non-renewable.

**University of Alaska Fairbanks-** One \$5000 tuition waiver. \$2500 per semester. 15 credits required each semester (full-time), maintain 3.0 GPA, non-renewable.

## **Requirements**

1. One nomination letter must be from school counselor that is a *current member* of AkSCA  
\*One nomination per scholarship
2. Applicant must be a 2018-2019 graduate of an Alaska High School.
3. Applicant must be enrolled as a *full-time post-secondary* student for the 2019-2020 school year.

## **Scholarship applications MUST contain ALL five parts listed below:**

1. The front cover must include:
  - *Applicant’s* full name, address, telephone number, and high school name
  - *Nominator’s* full name, school, address, telephone number and email
  - *School* to which the applicant has applied is identified  
(*Sample is attached below*)
2. Goal statement of the student’s PERSONAL *and* EDUCATIONAL goals (500 words or less).
3. Three letters of recommendation: \*(*letters must state recommender’s name and relation to student*)
  - One letter from the nominating *CURRENT* AkSCA member
  - One letter from someone NOT employed by the school district  
*Examples: Employment Supervisor, Clergy, Mentor, Family Friend, Legislator*
  - One letter from an employee of the school district  
*Examples: Principal, Teacher from Elementary or Secondary School, Cook, Coach*
4. An official transcript.
5. A list of extracurricular activities AND community / volunteer service.

## **Selection will be based upon**

- 25% Scholastic Performance
- 25% Goal Statement
- 25% Recommendations
- 25% Extra Curricular Activities and Service

Applications must be submitted by April 1, 2019 at 4pm. All documents should be saved as a single pdf and uploaded to <http://akasca.schoolcounselorawards.org> Applicants will need to create a login to upload their application.

Questions can be directed to the Scholarship Committee Chair, Jill Elliott, [akscascholarship@gmail.com](mailto:akscascholarship@gmail.com) or 907-842-6783.

Front Cover Page Sample: (Photo not required)

Student Sample  
Class of 2019, Alaska High School



Applicant:

Student Sample  
123 Alaska Street  
Anytown, Alaska 99999  
907-000-0000 (home)

Nominator:

School Counselor  
Alaska High School  
123 School Street  
Anytown, Alaska 99999  
907-999-9999 (school)

Applied and accepted into: Alaska Career College  
Degree: AAS, Business Administration and Human Resource Management