

*Lynn Foundation*

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## **SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

Applicants must be residents of, or attending school in the high desert area of Southern California. Applicants must have a High School GPA of 3.5 (College 3.0) or greater, however, **hardship situations will be considered**, with a letter of explanation. Scholarships are awarded without regard to race, gender age, or national origin. Amount of Scholarships are based on GPA, quality of the essay, neatness, financial need, and other factors. These are annual scholarships, you may re-apply each year (See Renewal Scholarship Application).

**(This application must be complete and typed or printed legibly in ink.)**

Prior year's applications will not be considered.

**DEADLINE: March 31 (postmarked)**

**CHECKLIST (if any items are not included, application may be rejected without notice):**

Carefully read all the instructions.

Complete Financial Information.

This application, completely filled out.

2 letters of recommendation (copies ok)

Sealed school transcript(s) attached

Neatly presented

Original essay on the High Desert

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Alt Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security #: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Sex: \_\_\_M \_\_\_F Marital Status: \_\_\_\_\_ Number your Children & Ages: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a resident of or were you born in the High Desert (please specify)?: \_\_\_\_\_

High School Graduate?: Yes: \_\_\_ No: \_\_\_ When will you graduate?: \_\_\_\_\_

High School GPA: Weighted: \_\_\_\_\_ Unweighted: \_\_\_\_\_

**(If less than 3.5 high school or 3.0 college, you must attach a letter of explanation.)**

What is your cumulative GPA from college?: \_\_\_\_\_ What college will you attend?: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of college units completed to date: \_\_\_\_\_ Number of units enrolled next term?: \_\_\_\_\_

What year in college will you be next term? Freshman: \_\_\_ Sophomore: \_\_\_ Junior: \_\_\_ Senior: \_\_\_

Major course of study you are pursuing: \_\_\_\_\_

Minor course of study (if any): \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a U.S. Citizen? Yes: \_\_\_ No:\_\_\_ What languages do you speak?:

What work experience do you have? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you employed now? Yes: No: If so, what field: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of employer: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Career plans after college:

List hobbies you enjoy:

List sports and other activities you are involved in:

What campus student activities are you involved in?: \_\_\_\_\_

**LAST YEAR'S ANNUAL TOTALGROSS HOUSEHOLD INCOME:**

You. . . . . \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Your Spouse . . . . . \$ \_\_\_\_\_

(If you were claimed as a tax deduction): Parents . . . . . \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Annual social security, AFDC or other income . . . . . \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL.** . . . . . \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Number of children in home: \_\_\_\_\_ Number of other dependents in home: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you OR your parent active duty military OR veteran OR disabled veteran: \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, explain:

Are you OR your parent in fire fighting or law enforcement: \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, explain:

Are you currently receiving financial aid, or have you been notified of other scholarships, awards or grants? Yes: \_\_\_ No: \_\_\_ Amount: \$\_\_\_\_\_ From what sources?:

After reviewing [www.LynnFoundation.org](http://www.LynnFoundation.org), using an example from the website, tell in one sentence what most impresses you about Berneice U. Lynn?

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**EACH APPLICANT IS REQUIRED TO SUBMIT WITH THIS APPLICATION AN ORIGINAL, 500 +/- WORD, TYPE/WITTEN ESSAY ABOUT THE HIGH DESERT. QUALITY IS MORE IMPORTANT THAN QUANTITY (WE DON'T COUNT THE WORDS). PLAGIARISM WILL BE REPORTED TO YOUR SCHOOLS.**

**AUTHORIZATION & DECLARATION**

(You MUST sign BOTH places.)

I give non-exclusive license in perpetuity to my copyright of my high desert essay and examples of my work (copies or otherwise) submitted with this application to The Lynn Foundation for publication. I authorize The Lynn Foundation access to my academic transcripts, employment information and any other pertinent information necessary to complete an evaluation of my application for scholarship funds.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

***I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the above application information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief and that my essay was written entirely by me and is my original work, AND ALSO, that I personally visited The Lynn Foundation Website and read about Berneice U. Lynn.***

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_