

# LEGACY Scholarship Program

## LEGACY Scholarship Program Overview:

The Challenge Match LEGACY (K-12) Scholarship Program (LEGACY) has been established to pay tribute to an outstanding citizen or organization that exemplifies leadership through education excellence. The Florida Prepaid College Foundation has approved funding of \$100,000 for 2019 to be supplemented by an additional \$100,000 match from private funds to purchase scholarships.

**Timeframe:** Two annual “windows” of February and July will frame the submission cycle. The Board may approve submissions outside of the submission cycle in its sole discretion. The student selection for the scholarship may come through student essay submissions or other achievement categories as agreed to by the Foundation and funding organization.

Interested donor organizations must develop a **LEGACY Scholarship Proposal** to include the following elements:

- **Background** - A complete description of the organization and/or individual nominated. Two letters of recommendation should be included for the nomination citing the accomplishments and contributions made by the citizen or organization to education and/or public policy.
- **Proposed Scholarship Description** - A thorough narrative of the scope, purpose and public policy goal of the scholarship program.
- **Eligibility** – A description of the eligibility criteria to be utilized by the donor organization in the selection process, as well as the proposed number of scholarships to be matched and awarded. All scholarship recipients must be a Florida resident and within the K-12 grade levels.
- **Selection process** - The criteria that will be utilized by the organization in the selection process and the proposed number of scholarships to be awarded. Generally, the Foundation will consider one scholarship per organization per year.
- **Funding** - A funding request, detailing the type of scholarship to be awarded and the total amount of match funding requested. Scholarship plan types and prices can be viewed [here](#).
- **Implementation Schedule** – There are two “open” windows of availability for a scholarship match. Please document the proposed award process from scholarship purchase to student award.
- **Public Relations** - A description of the marketing and public relations efforts that will be used to promote the programs. All scholarships if appropriate should include Florida Prepaid College Foundation in the scholarship title.

The Florida Prepaid College Foundation (FPCF) staff will determine if a proposal satisfies the above requirements and pass those that qualify to a Scholarship Committee team to include at least one Member of the FPCF Board. Proposals that are approved for award will be presented at the next Board meeting.

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# Application for the 2019 LEGACY Scholarship Program

Thank you for applying for the 2019 LEGACY Scholarship Program sponsored by the Florida Prepaid College Foundation. Please complete the following fields and submit your **LEGACY Scholarship Proposal** to the Foundation office by August 9, 2019:

Applying 501(c)(3) Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Principal Name and Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Principal Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Secondary Contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

The above referenced organization is pleased to participate in the Florida Prepaid College Foundation's Challenge Match – LEGACY Scholarship Program. It understands and accepts that it will be bound by the LEGACY Scholarship Program Terms and Conditions and the Florida Prepaid College Board Master Contract.

Signature of Executive Director \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Please mail and scan a copy of the application and proposal to the following addresses:

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LEGACY Scholarship Program  
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