



Scholarship Office

# Scholarship Application

2008 - 2009 Amigo Scholarship for International Students  
(Undergraduate and Graduate Students)

Deadlines: March 1, 2008 for Fall 2008 and August 1, 2008 for Spring 2009  
Late Applications *will not* be accepted

## Section I:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ SS#: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Birthdate: \_\_\_\_\_ Country of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Country of Citizenship: \_\_\_\_\_

Gender  Female  Male

Applying for:  Fall Semester Year \_\_\_\_\_  Spring Semester Year \_\_\_\_\_

Classification  Undergraduate  Graduate (prior degree required)

Anticipated graduation date: \_\_\_\_\_ College Major: \_\_\_\_\_

## Section II: Upper Secondary School Information:

High School and Location Average Grade ACT/SAT(If applicable) Graduation Date

Degree Received: \_\_\_\_\_

## Section III: College/University Information:

Current University Attending: \_\_\_\_\_ Location \_\_\_\_\_

Graduation Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Degree Received \_\_\_\_\_

Please list other colleges and dates of attendance:

Note: Please be sure to submit official transcripts to International Admissions.

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Signature

Date

## Section IV: Miscellaneous:

In addition to submitting this application, please provide one letter of recommendation and a letter of intent describing your academic achievements and future goals.

*Application must include all documentation and credentials in order to be considered complete.*

The University of New Mexico  
*Scholarship Office*  
Amigo Scholarship for International Students  
2008-2009

**Program Description:**

The University of New Mexico Amigo Scholarship for International Students entitles outstanding INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS (Non-Residents) to a waiver of non-resident tuition and a cash award of \$250 per semester provided a student meets renewal requirements.

In general, eligible students are those who:

1. Are admitted to UNM by the deadline; and
2. Have degree-seeking status; and
3. Will be enrolled full-time; and
4. Do not have other institutional awards.
5. Non-immigrant visa status (F1 or J1 status and not permanent resident)
6. Have not previously - or are not currently - attending UNM.
7. Must have a current and complete degree application on file with International Admissions.

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Undergraduates must demonstrate:

1. The equivalent of U.S. 3.50 upper secondary average grade as determined by the Office of International Admissions and ranking in the top 20% of their graduating class; or
2. The equivalent of a U.S. 3.0 upper secondary average grade and a combined SAT score of 1180 or higher; or
3. A U.S. 3.5 average grade and a combined SAT score of 1070. While the SAT is not required by international students due to limited availability abroad, it is to the student's advantage to submit SAT scores as further evidence of academic ability.

The Scholarship may be renewed annually for up to four years provided the student meets requirements of 12 credit hours and a 3.25 GPA *each* semester. A student who fails to meet the requirements necessary to renew the scholarship also forfeits the privilege of resident tuition.

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Graduates must demonstrate:

1. The equivalent of a U.S. Bachelor's degree as approved by the Ministry of Education in their home country; and,
2. The equivalent of a 3.5 undergraduate GPA as determined by the Office of International Admissions and ranking in the top 20% of their graduating class; or
3. The equivalent of a 3.0 undergraduate GPA and a GRE score determined by the academic department to reflect competitive achievement in that department. While the GRE is not required by all departments, it is to the student's advantage to submit GRE scores as further evidence of academic ability.

The Scholarship may be renewed annually for up to two years provided the student meets requirements of 9 credit hours and a 3.50 GPA *each* semester. A student who fails to meet the requirements necessary to renew the scholarship also forfeits the privilege of resident tuition.

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**SCHOLARSHIP DEADLINES**

For students entering the Fall 2008 semester, the deadline is **March 1, 2008**  
For students entering the Spring 2009 semester, the deadline is **August 1, 2008**

**Return this application to:**

The University of New Mexico  
Scholarship Office  
MSC06 3670  
Mesa Vista Hall Room 3019  
Albuquerque, New Mexico 87131  
Tel. (505) 277-6090 Fax. (505) 277-5325

**For admissions to the University of New Mexico:**

The University of New Mexico  
Office of International Admissions  
MSC06 3720  
Student Services Center Room 140  
Albuquerque, NM 87131  
Tel. (505) 277-5829 Fax. (505) 277-6686