

LA's BEST Alumni Scholarship - FAQs

How do I know if I qualify for the scholarship?

You qualify if you if you attended LA's BEST for any length of time during elementary school.

Do I have to be in college to be eligible for this scholarship?

All eligible applicants must be currently enrolled in college, vocational or technical training, and/or career training.

How many times can I submit an application?

Each individual can only submit one application.

Can my family, friends, and people I know apply for the scholarship too?

Of course! If you know anyone who fits the criteria, we encourage you to spread the word.

How will my submission be judged?

The submissions will be judged on their compelling nature - their ability to express goals and stories eloquently and passionately.

Who are the judges?

Representatives of our Governing Board, Advisory Board and BEST Friends Board, including a board member who is also an LA's BEST alum, comprise the judge committee.

When will the winner be announced?

The winner will be announced mid October.

When will the winner receive the \$500?

The winner will receive the \$500 mid to late October.

How will the winner receive the \$500?

The winner will receive a \$500 check from LA's BEST through the mail.

What can the scholarship money be used for?

The scholarship money can be used for tuition and related expenses - books, parking passes, transportation costs, etc.

Is there an award ceremony?

The winner will be invited as a guest to the LA's BEST Family Brunch on November 3, 2019. More details <u>here</u>.

Other questions? Email lasbest.alumni@lacity.org