



## **John Gold PreCollegiate Program Scholarship**

### **Renewable scholarship for recipients returning to college/university**

#### **Scholarship Overview:**

The PreCollegiate Program Scholarship Fund was established in December 2006 by Barbara and John Gold to help PreCollegiate Program students pursue higher education. After John's death in 2011, the fund was renamed the John Gold PreCollegiate Program Scholarship Fund. The scholarship will assist Roaring Fork School District graduates of Roaring Fork PreCollegiate in financing their college education. Because this scholarship is renewable it can potentially support all two or four years of college.

#### **Criteria for Renewing your John Gold PreCollegiate Program Scholarship:**

- Student has previously been awarded the John Gold PreCollegiate Program Scholarship, and is a graduate of Basalt, Glenwood Springs, or Roaring Fork High School
- Student is in good standing with their enrolled institution, and attends an accredited two-year or four-year college or university on a full-time basis
- Students should be the first generation in their families to attend college (having siblings in college will not preclude students from the scholarship)

#### **Required Application Materials:**

- Completed ACF application form
- Official school transcripts of grades
- FAFSA Student Aid Report (If available)
- Resume
- Short personal essay addressing your current educational goals and how you plan to contribute to your community

#### **2025 Renewal Application Instructions for the John Gold Pre-Collegiate Program Scholarship returning college students:**

**Go to the ACF Scholarships Online Portal – <https://www.grantinterface.com/sl/aiDd8h>**

- All applicants in 2025 need to register and 'Create New Account', including students who applied in the past and are trying to renew their award. It is a new application system.
- Use your personal email address, not your high school or college-provided email address.
- Deadline to apply is Friday, March 14, 2025, at 5:00 PM Mountain Time

#### **Questions? [Visit the ACF Scholarships webpage](#)**

- Email the ACF Grants Manager on [scholarships@aspencommunityfoundation.org](mailto:scholarships@aspencommunityfoundation.org)
- Call the ACF office on 970.925.9300