How to Apply for MESA UA Tuition Scholarships

MESA has need-based tuition awards available for participating MESA seniors who plan to attend The University of Arizona. The value of the awards typically ranges between $1500 and $4000. In order to be considered for an award you must:

1. Have a Student Information Form (SIF) on file at the MESA Office by **April 3, 2020**
2. Have submitted a complete Senior Survey by **April 3, 2020**
3. Be admitted to the UA by **April 3, 2020**.
4. Have your FAFSA on file with the UA by **April 3, 2020**.
5. Commit to attend the UA no later than **May 1, 2020** by submitting your enrollment deposit or application fee waiver request. For information about the application fee waiver contact your high school counselor or the MESA office at the number or email below.

The following criteria will be considered in the awarding of tuition scholarships:

- Information from MESA Senior Survey
- Years participating in MESA
- Financial need as determined by the UA
- Other tuition awards received from the UA
- Information from your University of Arizona Admissions Application:
  - High School GPA & coursework completed, including rigor
  - Personal statement
  - Evidence of leadership in MESA and/or other organizations
  - Community service or other indicators of involvement per your admission application

The Senior Survey can be found on the next page or completed on-line at http://azmesa.arizona.edu/mesa-senior-survey.

Please address any questions about the MESA Tuition Scholarships to Manny Leon, 626-2300 or leon@arizona.edu.

Class of 2020
Senior Survey*

*This survey can be completed on-line at http://azmesa.arizona.edu/mesa-senior-survey.

Name:_____ School:_____

Phone:_____ Email:_____

Please rate the following questions on a scale of 1 to 5 where 1 is Strongly Disagree and 5 is Strongly Agree. (Circle one of the choices)

1. MESA had a positive influence on my post high-school plans 1 2 3 4 5
2. MESA had a positive influence on my thoughts about a attending a 4-year college 1 2 3 4 5
3. MESA had a positive influence on my thoughts about pursuing a career in Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (STEM) 1 2 3 4 5
4. MESA provided me with a college minded peer group 1 2 3 4 5
5. After high School I plan on attending:
   4-year college 2-year college joining the military entering the workforce unsure
6. Discuss your short and long-term goals. Please be specific.

7. Discuss a success or failure you have had in MESA. What did you learn from the situation?

8. Thinking about your plans after high school, what are you most excited about? What are you most worried about?

Additional pages for questions 6, 7, and 8 may be added.

Copies of the completed Survey can be sent via email to azmesa@email.arizona.edu, faxed to 520.626.2307, or mailed to
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