



## Rigoberto Ruelas Memorial Scholarship United Teachers-Los Angeles, South Area

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### *Application Form*

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The Rigoberto Ruelas Memorial Scholarship is named in honor of the late teacher who dedicated his life to serving the students and families of the Miramonte Elementary School community. Mr. Ruelas passed away in September 2010 and his memory lives on in the hearts of all the students he influenced throughout his teaching career.

In collaboration with his family, the South Area of United Teachers-Los Angeles founded this scholarship to assist first-generation, college-bound students reach their educational goals at a community college, university or vocational school.

Scholarships will be awarded each spring to graduating seniors who attend a LAUSD high school, Continuation School, or are enrolled in a High School Completion Program at a LAUSD Community Adult School.

**Please Print Legibly**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Current School: \_\_\_\_\_

Home/Cell Phone: (    ) \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

1. **SECTION A.** Section A1 should be no longer than 2 typed pages. It must be typed, double-spaced, with 1 inch margins and 12pt. Times New Roman font. *Please proofread your entry prior to submission for grammar, spelling, and content.*

A1. 1-2 page thematic essay explaining: The importance of voting in elections.

A2. To which colleges have you been accepted to? Please provide a list for this section.

**SECTION B.** Please attach the following to your application:

B1. A copy of your high school transcript (all 4 years)

B2. Two (2) letters of recommendation (from teachers, school administrators, work supervisor, or a supervisor from extra-curricular activities, only one letter from a teacher will be allowed)

**This application, section A, and all parts of section B are due no later than 5:00pm-Tuesday, April 2, 2019**

Mail or deliver your application to:  
United Teachers Los Angeles  
c/o: Rigoberto Ruelas Scholarship Committee  
3303 Wilshire Blvd., 10<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Los Angeles, CA 90010  
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