David J. Rodriguez Memorial
Scholarship

This scholarship was created to honor the memory of David J. Rodriguez (1923-2019). David was born in Guadalajara, Mexico and made his life in the US. He was a longtime resident of Galt and his children and grandchildren attended Galt High School. The most important thing in David’s life was his family and he always put his family first. He was also a hard worker who persevered through many hardships. As a memorial, the Rodriguez family will award $500 to a Galt High School student who exemplifies the best qualities of their beloved patriarch.

Eligibility:

Applicants must:

- Be of Mexican decent
- Be a graduating senior from Galt High School
- Demonstrate financial need (eligible for free or reduced lunch)
- Pursue a degree at a 2-year or a 4-year college or vocational school (proof of acceptance required for award disbursement).

Requirements:

Applicants must submit the following to Dr. Jocelyn Chavez in the GHS Counseling Department:

1. David J. Rodriguez Memorial Scholarship application

2. A short essays (2 page limit) about themselves explaining: (1) the importance of family in their lives, (2) how they are hardworking, (3) and how they have persisted through hardships.

Award Amount: $500

Deadline: April 15, 2020
David J. Rodriguez Memorial
Scholarship Application

Part I: Personal Information

Name of Applicant __________________________________________ Date __________

Address___________________________________________________ Phone__________

Part II: Eligibility Questions

Please fill in the box if the sentence is accurate for you.

1. I am of Mexican descent ☐

2. I am a graduating senior at Galt High School ☐

3. I have financial need and receive:
   - Reduced Lunch ☐
   - Free Lunch ☐

4. I will attend a 2-year or a 4-year college or vocational school upon graduation ☐

Part III: Educational and Career Goals

Name of College / Vocational School You Plan to Attend_____________________________________________________

Degree or Certification You Are Pursuing______________________________________________________________

Career Goal_____________________________________________________________________________________

Part IV: Short Essay

Please attach your response to the following question. There is a maximum of 2 pages allowed. You may respond in English or Spanish.

Tell us about: (1) the importance of family in your life, (2) how you are hardworking, (3) and how you have persisted through hardships. We would like to get an idea of who you are so be descriptive.

Part V: Acknowledgement

I understand the conditions of this scholarship. I also acknowledge that the above information is true.

Applicant Signature______________________________________________