

**MOORPARK COLLEGE**

**ACADEMIC SENATE SCHOLARSHIPS**

**Spring 2019**

To: All Faculty

From: Renée Butler, Academic Senate Treasurer/Scholarship Workgroup Chair

 on behalf of the Academic Senate Scholarship Workgroup

The Academic Senate Council invites you to nominate a student for this year’s scholarships. This year the Academic Senate will award up to three $500 scholarships, funded through the voluntary Academic Senate donations from Moorpark College faculty.

The Academic Senate scholarship recognizes continuing or transferring students who exemplify what it means to be an *outstanding* Moorpark College student. The criteria guiding the selection process are:

* academic achievement
* contributions to the college and community
* commitment to your education
* transcript

To qualify for this scholarship, a student must be nominated by a faculty member.

Students must also meet these minimum requirements:

* 3.0 cumulative GPA or higher
* a minimum of 30 units completed at Moorpark College by the end of the fall semester, 2018.

To nominate a student, complete the AS Scholarship Nomination Form and give it to the student as soon as possible. **Students will have until February 18, 2019, to complete and submit their applications online through the Moorpark College website**. Faculty may write a letter of recommendation for a student if they wish – there are other online scholarships that require this, however the AS Scholarship does not require this.

Further information for faculty ~ Rules for Academic Senate Scholarship Judging Panel:

* The judging panel shall be made up of no less than three members of the Senate Council, in addition to one Academic Senate officer who shall act as Scholarship Workgroup Chair.
* No member of the judging panel may nominate a student.
* All applicants’ names shall be deleted by the Scholarship Workgroup Chair and replaced by a number.
* The Scholarship Workgroup Chair shall not vote in the process except to break a tie.

Please contact me if you have any questions. Thank you in advance for participating in the Academic Senate Scholarships.

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