



# JOVITA RUIZ SCHOLARSHIP SANTA MARIA HIGH SCHOOL

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ email: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have a parent who is employed as an agricultural worker?  Yes  No

Father's name: \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_ Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's name: \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_ Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

College you plan to attend: \_\_\_\_\_ Intended Major: \_\_\_\_\_

### Qualifications:

- Female student who will be a first-generation college student (parents did not graduate from university)
- Planning on attending a 4-year university
- Parent/s work in agriculture

\*\*\*Special consideration for a student attending UC Berkeley\*\*\*

### Attach the following:

1. **RESUME** (include school and community activities, awards, employment)
2. Current Transcript (does not have to be official)
3. Two Letters of Recommendation (one **MUST** be academic)
4. Personal Narrative Essay (350 words) to include:
  - a. Why you want to attend college
  - b. Where you see yourself in 10 years
  - c. What your motivation has been to further your education
  - d. How this scholarship will benefit you
5. Student Aid Report from FAFSA/CADAA
6. List of scholarships you applied for

### Recipients of scholarship **MUST**:

1. Selected student **must** attend the Senior Award Ceremony on May 22, 2024 @ 6 pm
2. Provide proof of full-time (12 units or more) enrollment for the Fall 2024
3. Write a thank you letter to Ms. Jovita Honor Ruiz

### Award:

Student will receive \$10,000 (\$2,500/year) with annual proof of enrollment from the university

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Return this completed application packet to Mrs. Reasner NO LATER THAN Friday, May 3, 2024 @ 4 pm.

**LATE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED**