



City of Patterson Recreation Scholarship Program For Youth and Seniors Recreation for everyone!

General Information

The City of Patterson Recreation Department awards scholarships for a \$ 100 credit for registration fees for any type of recreation or community services with open enrollment at the time of the transaction. The program is sponsored by the City of Patterson Recreation Department which is funded by: the Stanislaus County Wellness, Sports & Fitness Foundation. This fund allocates portions to cities within Stanislaus County to promote wellness, sports and fitness among the communities, and the City of Patterson Recreation scholarship will be used towards qualified participants who wish to be a part in City of Patterson community recreation services.

Eligibility Guidelines:

The Patterson Recreation Scholarship Program is for City of Patterson youth and seniors. Participants must be residents of the City of Patterson.

Only one application per participant will be accepted per calendar year. A calendar year is calculated from January 1st through December 31st. A scholarship can be used anytime within the calendar year in which the applicant is approved.

An applicant is pre-qualified for a scholarship if an applicant qualifies for free or reduced lunch meals through Patterson Joint Unified School District

Applicants are required to submit proof of income to qualify each year, and an applicant's household must have an income equal to or less than 100% of the most current federal poverty level, as determined by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services' Federal Poverty Guidelines for the year in which the application is presented.

Refer to this link: <https://aspe.hhs.gov/poverty-guidelines>

Scholarships are for a value of \$100 credit towards as many programs per approved applicants during time of application. The scholarship will expire after the initial first transaction, and initial first transaction may include multiple registrations into any recreation program or activity.



How to Apply

To apply for a scholarship, you can fill out an application at the front desk in the Recreation and Community Services Department located at 1033 W. Las Palmas Avenue.

An application can be picked up at the Recreation and Community Services Department; present it in person at the front desk.

You will need:

1. A valid picture identification
2. Proof of current residence in Patterson
3. The total gross income for all household members over 18 years.
4. Two recent copies of the source of income such as pay stubs, tax returns and other financial receipts.
5. If your monthly income is generated in part by social assistance, child support, alimony and/or social security, you will also be asked to provide proof of assistance.

How long is the approval process?

Scholarships are awarded in order of arrival and when funds are available. Once the Office of Recreation has received and reviewed a complete application in person, applicants will be informed if they are approved or rejected for a scholarship at the site of application. Once your application is approved or denied, you will be notified in person.

Applications are accepted from January 1st to December 31st.

*** The approval of a scholarship will be approved or denied on the site of application. A complete application with the required documentation is required. Applications will only be accepted during the open registration of the activity of interest of the applicants.**