



# CAL POLY

RECRUITING AND RETAINING  
CALIFORNIA'S HIGH ACHIEVERS

## CAL POLY SCHOLARS

The Cal Poly Scholars program aims to recruit and retain high-achieving students with financial need from California high schools and community colleges.

### THE PROGRAM PROVIDES:

- An annual scholarship for duration of program participation
- A two year living-learning community for incoming freshmen
- Intentional workshops and advising to support student development and retention
- Credit towards a personal technology package

### PROGRAM PRIORITIES

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#### ENSURE

recruitment and support of  
California's highest achievers

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#### IMPROVE

opportunities for qualified California  
high school and community college  
students to attend Cal Poly

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#### GUARANTEE

scholars receive proactive academic  
advising to support student success



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Cal Poly Scholars are housed together in an interdisciplinary student community, creating one of the most culturally diverse living-learning experiences on campus. The first two years of the curriculum focus on community and college success, whereas the following years prepare students for careers and lifelong achievements.

**A UNIVERSITYWIDE PROGRAM,  
CAL POLY SCHOLARS PARTNERS  
WITH ENTITIES ACROSS CAMPUS  
TO ENSURE STUDENT SUCCESS,  
INCLUDING:**

- Admissions
- University Housing
- Financial Aid and Scholarships
- Student Academic Services
- Mustang Success Center
- College Advising Centers
- Career Services

**CAL POLY WILL MATCH  
SCHOLARSHIPS UP TO  
\$2,500/YEAR**

**\$13,160**

**SUPPORTS**

one Cal Poly Scholar  
up to five years

**\$75,000**

**ESTABLISHES**

an endowment supporting  
one Cal Poly Scholar annually

**“I was considering dropping out of Cal Poly because things were going rough. But I remembered that someone believed in me and I could get through this rough patch in my life.”**

**– CAL POLY SCHOLAR**

**“CP Scholars helped me through this year by giving me support via its community and regular advising. It reminds me that I am not alone in academia, and that I have help.”**

**– CAL POLY SCHOLAR**

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