Creating a Scholarship

Transform a Student’s Life

How does it work?

1. **Contribute** by making an initial gift in cash, securities, or real estate.

**Establish a Non-Endowed Named Scholarship**

With a minimum gift of $2,000, you can create a named scholarship that can be renewed each year through annual gifts. This is a nice way to give a memorial or honorary gift. It’s an opportunity to honor your family, remember a loved one, or bring visibility to your business.

**Establish an Endowed Scholarship**

With a gift, or gifts, totaling $25,000 or more, you can establish an enduring, permanent fund intended to generate at least $1,000 annually. Endowments are permanently invested funds and the annual income can be used to fund a scholarship.

2. **Receive a tax deduction** in the year you make the gift

3. **Students are selected** based upon the criteria you have created

4. **Scholarships are awarded** to students, helping to fulfill their dreams of an education

What are the benefits of creating a scholarship fund at HSU?

- You have the flexibility to create criteria for the scholarship.
- You have the option to name the fund.
- You enjoy the personal pride and satisfaction of helping today’s students.
- HSU handles all administrative work for you.
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Amount to create fund* | $2,000 | $25,000 | $100,000
Projected distribution amount | $1,000 | $1,000 | $4,000

*Plus a 5% administration fee.

**How do I get started?**
Contact Humboldt State University Foundation at **707-826-5200** or email us at [giving@humboldt.edu](mailto:giving@humboldt.edu) and we will work with you to establish a scholarship fund that reflects your passion.