



# CARE & CalWORKs DAISY VIERA GRANT APPLICATION

(FOR CURRENT STUDENTS ONLY)

Daisy Viera was a student at El Camino College. She worked for the CARE & CalWORKs programs and participated in several campus programs. Daisy had an extremely caring spirit, always approachable and ready to take a student in need under her wing. Many people knew Daisy at the college from her fundraising efforts for the CARE & CalWORKs Holiday Adopt a Family event. Daisy mentored several students, which included taking them to her church for additional support and guidance. She majored in Sociology and dreamed of becoming a counselor. As a single mother of five, she faced many hardships but always found a way to persevere and help others. On January 8, 2012, she was involved in an accident and passed away. This grant is in memory of Daisy's dedication and service to others.

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## INSTRUCTIONS

1. The student must submit a **one-page essay** answering the prompt stated in the **Required Essay** portion of the application. **Only typed essays will be considered.** Incomplete, handwritten responses will NOT be accepted.
2. The application must be submitted with the **Recommendation Form** (attached to the application) from a service agency representative, community leader, mentor, employer, counselor, advisor, or instructor.
3. The student must currently be enrolled in courses and be a current member of the CARE and/or CalWORKs programs.
4. The Daisy Viera Grant is only awarded once to a student. Previous awardees are ineligible to reapply.
5. The student must submit a completed Daisy Viera Grant Application and all supporting documentation to the **EOPS Office (SSVC-203)** by the established deadline. Incomplete, handwritten essays or late submissions will not be accepted. **The deadline to apply is Friday, April 12, 2019 by 1:00pm.**
6. Students will be notified by Monday, April 22, 2019 if the grant was awarded. An email will also be sent to the student via his or her college issued e-mail account (MyECC). For the 2018-2019 academic year, two students will be awarded the Daisy Viera grant, in the amount of \$250 each.
7. Students awarded the Daisy Viera Grant will be recognized during the EOPS/CARE, CalWORKs & Guardian Scholars 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual Recognition Banquet scheduled for Friday, May 17, 2019.

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**Please keep this sheet as a copy for your records.**

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### 1. GENERAL INFORMATION

CARE
  CalWORKs  
(Please check all that apply)

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 El Camino College ID #

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 Last Name
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 First Name
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 Middle Name

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 Street Address
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 City
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 State
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 Zip Code

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 Telephone Number
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 My ECC Student Email (REQUIRED)

\_\_\_\_\_@elcamino.edu

### 2. REQUIRED RECOMMENDATION FORM

Please attach the completed Recommendation Form from a counselor, advisor, instructor, community leader, mentor, employer, or service agency representative. It is recommended that you ask for the Recommendation Form early in order to give the person enough time to complete your request. The Recommendation Form must be attached to your application at the time you submit.

### 3. REQUIRED ESSAY

Please explain how giving back to your community has shaped who you are today. Also, discuss how the Daisy Viera grant will help you succeed in college and accomplish your goals. The essay must be typed, Times New Roman, 12-point font, and checked for grammatical errors. Please attach your typed one page essay to this application.

### CERTIFICATION

By signing below, I certify that the information provided is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge. I have read the instructions on the Daisy Viera Grant Application and have attached all required documentation. I understand that submitting a Daisy Viera Grant Application does not guarantee approval and that all decisions are FINAL.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*\*Please sign and date in blue or black ink\*\*\*

