

College of Micronesia-FSM
Resident Instruction in the Insular Areas and Distance Education Scholarship Program¹
Financial Support

Scholarship/Support

1. Support to students already attending colleges and universities

At least three \$1,500 scholarships will be awarded per semester to students currently taking courses at the bachelor level who meet eligibility requirements listed below.

Requirements:

- ✓ Cumulative GPA of at least 2.5
- ✓ Full time student
- ✓ Proof of enrollment, e.g. acceptance letter, transcript, or registration
- ✓ Proof of satisfactory academic plan and progress

2. Start-up scholarship is awarded to eligible students entering university.

Requirements:

- ✓ Full time student
- ✓ Proof of enrollment, e.g. acceptance letter or registration

3. College of Micronesia-FSM summer support summer support – \$250 per student is provided to eligible applicant already registered.

Requirements

- ✓ Copy of registration and class schedule

4. On-line Courses

Requirements:

- ✓ Proof of acceptance
- ✓ Supervisor’s recommendation
- ✓ Proof of satisfactory academic plan and progress

Deadlines

	Summer 2017	Fall 2017	Spring 2018
Opening	April 21, 2017	June 29, 2017	Nov. 24, 2017
Closing	May 5, 2017	July 13, 2017	Dec. 8, 2017

¹ Financial assistance for students pursuing higher education at college and universities or by taking online courses. First Priority is Agriculture and Food Technology Students and then other students taking STEM courses. Applicant must be a FSM citizen.

CariPac RIIA Application Form

Check one (x)

	Three \$1,500 scholarships are being awarded to students currently taking courses at the bachelor level who meet eligibility requirements.
	Start-up scholarship is awarded to eligible students entering university.
	Summer support – \$250 per student is provided to eligible applicant already registered.
	On-line course

First Name:	Last name:
Date of Birth:	Gender:
Address:	Phone:
	Email address:
Other financial sources	
Source	Amount
Name and Address of University	

Participation in field of relevant science:

Field of study (STEM): _____

Relevant honor and awards received: _____

Other information you want to share: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Essay-This is required for “first-time” applicants only (Does not apply to Summer and Start-up students) Tell us (1) your field of interest (2) what you want to become, e.g. Ag Instructor, Entomology, etc. and (3) why you think you should be awarded under this program.

Please list all your school related expenses and financial resources for each semester. The College of Micronesia-FSM Cooperative Research & Extension (CRE) Office reserves the right to inquire with the institution to verify the information and to adjust as necessary.

Semester: *Fall* [] *Spring* [] *Summer* [] Year: _____

Anticipated Expenses:

1. Tuition:	\$
2. Books:	\$
3. Activities:	\$
4. Dorm:	\$
5. Off-Campus Housing:	\$
6. Travel:	\$
7. Personal:	\$
8. Food:	\$
9. Health Care:	\$
10. Other (Specify):	\$
Total Expenses:	\$

Financial Resources:

1. Pell Grant:	\$
2. Work Study:	\$
3. Loans:	\$
4. Parental Support:	\$
5. Student Employment:	\$
6. Other Scholarships:	\$
7. Other Sources:	\$
Total Financial Resources:	\$

Financial Need (Total Expenses minus Total Resources): _____

Applicant's Declaration: I hereby apply for financial assistance from the College of Micronesia-FSM Cooperative Research & Extension CARIPAC Scholarship Program to help meet my educational expenses. I am a Student and a resident of one of the states of Federated States of Micronesia. I have applied for financial aid from U.S. Federal Student Aid Programs and from other institutional programs for which I am eligible. I hereby declare permanent residence in the Federated States of Micronesia. I hereby declare that everything on this application is true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

Print Name: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Application Procedures:

Contact Julieta Mix 320-8181 jmix@comfsm.fm for a copy of the application or

Download a copy from the following url: http://www.comfsm.fm/vpcrc/download/scholarship/RIIA-DEG%20Scholarship_02_02_17.pdf

Checklist:

- Complete Application
- Class Schedule
- Current transcript (Unofficial)

You are eligible for a “start-up” scholarship:

- You do not need to apply,
- Just provide copy your letter of acceptance.