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“MY EXPERIENCE AT SCHOOL IS GOING VERY WELL, I’M VERY MUCH ENJOYING IT BECAUSE I’M LEARNING SO MUCH... MEETING A LOT OF NEW PEOPLE... [AND] I’M ALSO LEARNING A LOT ABOUT LIFE SKILLS.

I’M REALLY ENJOYING COLLEGE!”

*-Ezra Shelhav
2020-2021 Recipient*

The Arc New Mexico promotes and protects the human rights of people with intellectual and developmental disabilities and actively supports their full inclusion and participation in the community throughout their lifetimes.


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**READY
TO CHANGE
YOUR
FUTURE?**

**The Arc NM
Higher Education
Scholarship**





ABOUT THIS SCHOLARSHIP

The goal of The Arc of New Mexico Higher Education Scholarship is to provide financial support for students with disabilities who seek to maximize their education and career opportunities.



APPLICATION PROCESS

ELIGIBILITY

Those wishing to apply must meet the following qualifications:

- Be accepted into a NM Special Services or Occupational Training Program
- Be a resident of New Mexico
- Statement of financial need where other need based assistance is unavailable.

REQUIREMENTS

To be considered, all applicants must submit the following:

- ✓ Completed Application Form
- ✓ A personal statement, essay or video which includes, but is not limited to:
 - an introduction of yourself
 - a description of your goals
 - your motivation and the reasons why you want to attend college
- ✓ A letter of recommendation from a high school teacher, administrator, or therapist



SUBMISSION & SELECTION

SUBMITTING YOUR APPLICATION

All applications must be received no later than **March 1**

Submissions may be sent via email to frontdesk@arcnm.org or delivered in person to the Arc NM offices.

SELECTION PROCESS

You will be notified by phone or mail no later than **May 1st** regarding the status of your application.*

The Arc of NM's Scholarship Committee and Board of Directors are responsible for selecting scholarship recipients from all eligible applicants on an objective and non-discriminatory basis, without regard to sex, race, color, religion, national origin, ancestry, or disability.

*The number of scholarships awarded is dependent on available funds each year, and is determined at the discretion of the Scholarship Committee

APPLY TODAY!