



**William Maguy Scholarship Application
2025-2026 ACADEMIC YEAR**

Carefully read the attached instruction sheet and type or print in black ink. The deadline to submit this application is April 30, 2025 and must include this cover page and all other required attachments. Applications can be received at the Proteus Administration Office, 1830 N. Dinuba Blvd. Visalia, CA 93291 by the deadline. However, if you choose to mail your application, the envelope must be postmarked no later than April 30, 2025. Applications can also be emailed to info@proteusinc.org. All late, incomplete and/or modified applications will be rejected.

Name of Applicant:			
Mailing Address:	City:	State:	Zip Code:
Email:			
Note: You must provide at least two phone numbers where you can be reached.			
Home Telephone: ()		Message Telephone: ()	Cellular Phone: ()
Is a member of your immediate family employed by Proteus? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes please list name below <input type="checkbox"/> No			
<input type="checkbox"/> Husband <input type="checkbox"/> Wife <input type="checkbox"/> Son <input type="checkbox"/> Daughter <input type="checkbox"/> Other			
If other: please list relationship:			
Is an immediate relative either a member of Proteus staff or Board of Directors? (Immediate relatives include wife, husband, son, daughter, mother, father, brother, brother-in-law, sister, sister-in-law, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, mother-in-law, father-in-law, partner, stepparent and stepchild).			
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			
If yes, please list name: _____			
What college or university will you attend during the Fall 2022 semester? _____			
Will you enroll full time? Yes No			
What is your college major? _____			
If no please explain why:			
I certify that the information contained in this application is true, and if selected as a Proteus Scholarship Program recipient, I agree to submit an approved schedule of classes. I also understand that final selection			

of scholarship recipients will be the responsibility of the Proteus Scholarship Committee. Proteus, Inc. has my permission to notify the college/university financial aid office of my scholarship award. I also authorize the financial aid office to discuss my financial aid award with Proteus representatives in order to determine financial need. Proteus, Inc. also has my permission to publish my name, a photo, scholarship amount and a brief biographical sketch.

Applicant Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

NOTE: Copies of transcripts REQUIRED. Applicants MUST have at least TWO (2) years of college (UC or Community) completed to apply. Applicant's major MUST be in a Social Service category, see page 2. Applicants must reside in either, Kings, Tulare, Fresno or Kern County If attending a College out of area a parent MUST reside in one of the 4 counties listed.

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUIRED*

Please complete and attach all five (5) items to this application

1- Essay (Choose one of the topics below- No more than 1500 words) The essay will be graded on grammar, spelling, sentence structure, clear expression of ideas, and central theme.

• There has been a large amount of shootings and threats of violence recently in schools and colleges in the Central Valley and the United States. What are some strategies parents, teachers, and leaders could incorporate to address these issues when working with students.

• The Central San Joaquin Valley is constantly overlooked for programs funding issues like social services to combat poverty and youth programs. What are some strategies that you feel need to be implemented that will allow the Central Valley to compete against the larger urban areas such as Los Angeles and the Bay Area?

2- Grade Point Average: Please attach your most recent transcript. Please note: The William Maguy Scholarship applicant must have a 3.0 GPA or higher.

3- Competitive Honors: List any honors or awards you have received through school or community events. These awards can be given by a variety of entities including clubs, schools, honor societies, civic organizations or church organizations.

4- One letters of Recommendation: This letter can be up to one-year-old (It does not have to be original letter) but should speak on how long and in what capacity the person has known you, your potential or abilities and why you deserve a scholarship.

5- Personal Statement: (no more than 1000 words) what are your career and personal goals? List any community service activities you are involved in; list hobbies and leisure activities, and answer why Proteus should select you to receive this scholarship.

Majors/Programs in the Social Science field include but are not limited to;

• Political science

• Religious Studies

• Liberal Arts

• Communications

• Urban studies

• Sociology

• Public Administration