To: OCS High School Guidance Counselors

From: Brenda Correa, OCAEOP Scholarship Committee Chair

Date: February 6, 2019

Re: OCAEOP Annual Scholarship - \$500

Deadline: Friday, March 15, 2019 (for students)

Enclosed are guidelines and sample application materials for our annual OCAEOP student scholarship, to be awarded to one of our graduating seniors. Our award this year will be a \$500 scholarship to a deserving student who will be attending a four year college. It is required that each application be typed. Only one original application needs to be submitted at this time. The scholarship application is available for download on our website <a href="https://www.ocaeop.org">www.ocaeop.org</a>.

In addition, the local winner of our OCAEOP scholarship will have the opportunity, in the fall, to submit a new application for consideration of several NCAEOP District scholarships. Those scholarships vary from \$1000 to \$300. The student selected as the winner on the District level will then be submitted to the State level scholarship competition. We have had many of our local winners go on to become District winners and some even winners at the state level.

Please make this information available to all students. We thank you for encouraging our students to apply for this scholarship opportunity that could turn into additional opportunities.

These applications need to be back to me no later than **Monday, March 18, 2019.** As you receive them from your students, please send them to me by interoffice mail to Brenda Correa – BCE/Records. I have listed a few of our committee members below, along with their telephone numbers. If you have any questions, please feel free to call any of us.

Brenda Correa x24005 – Scholarship Committee Chair Suellen Dixon x53007 – OCAEOP President Cynthia Shepard x27007 – Scholarship Committee Member