



*Florida Migrant Interstate Program  
Florida Gulf Coast University  
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*The Frank Campano Memorial Fund is named in honor of one of Florida's founding fathers of Migrant Child Education and in truth, migrant children's champion, as his family name implies in Spanish.*

*Frank Campano was a "true gentleman" in every sense and a resolute visionary who tirelessly and passionately sought out educational opportunities and gifts for migrant farmworker children and youth in our state. Frank established, coordinated and nurtured the nationally recognized Florida Migrant Education Summer Institutes for many years, brought the PASS and Close Up Migrant Programs to Florida, and at the time of his death in 1998, he was the Director of Florida's Migrant Secondary Service Center in Plant City, Florida.*

*The Frank Campano Memorial Fund supports two distinct gifts for deserving children, youth, and adults who currently participate or have participated in one of the two state programs for migrant and seasonal farmworkers in Florida. These state programs are: the Title I Migrant Child Education Program and the Farmworker Jobs and Education Program (formerly known as the Adult Migrant and Seasonal Farmworker Program).*

*Under the umbrella of the Frank Campano Memorial Fund, volunteers throughout the state and representing these two Programs, sponsor a variety of activities during the year to maintain and enhance the Fund. A Selection Committee exists for the purpose of coordinating fund raising activities and selecting gift recipients in accordance with established criteria.*

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**Frank Campano Memorial Fund Gift Information**

**Qualifications**

To qualify for consideration, the applicant must document:

1. **Qualification for *The Title I Migrant Education Program* - In his/her Florida School District for at least one day of his/her high school (9-12 grades) education as demonstrated by an attached copy of a Certificate of Eligibility (COE).**
2. **Exemplary Citizenship - Demonstrated by (3) letters of reference from non-relatives in the community, school, or other educational agencies.**
3. **Acceptance to A Post-Secondary Institution - Demonstrated by an attached copy of the letter of acceptance (Technical School, College, or University).**
4. **Graduation from a Florida High School: Transcript required.**
5. **Education and Work History (Résumé: A List of all High Schools Attended and Jobs Held By The Applicant)**
6. **Personal Goals and Family Need: Include a hand written essay written by the applicant, which must include the following:**
  - ◆ **Future Plans and Goals**
  - ◆ **Financial Need**
  - ◆ **History of Family Migrancy**
  - ◆ **Personal Examples of the Applicant's Community Service**

**Selection Procedure:**

*All applications are due before July 15 to: Florida Migrant Interstate Program, Florida Gulf Coast University, 10501 FGCU Blvd. S., Modular 1/ Office 37, Ft. Myers, Florida 33965*

The committee established for the purpose of selecting recipients of a gift will review the application materials and select the applicant they feel best reflects the spirit of this gift. A formal interview may be required if there are multiple qualified candidates.

A gift of \$500 will be given out to each applicant selected. At least one, but possibly two gifts will be awarded depending on the number of qualified applicants. Gift funds are designed to assist with special needs incurred by students enrolling in or attending post-secondary institutions.

In order to receive a check for the amount of the gift, the applicant must provide a copy of his/her registration form, from the post secondary institution (college, technical school, university, etc.) to the committee at the time of the presentation.

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**Frank Campano Memorial Fund Gift Application**

**Name of Applicant:**

**Date/Place of Birth:**

**Current Mailing Address:**

**Home Address** (if different from above):

**Phone Number** (include area code):

**E-mail Address** (if available)

**Name of Parents/Legal Guardians:**

**Address of Parents/Legal Guardians:**

**Number and Ages of Brothers and Sisters Living At Home:**

**List Number and Ages of (non-sibling) Children Under The Age of 21 Who Live In The Home:**

**List All Brothers, Sisters, or Relatives Living in the Home Who Are Presently Attending Post Secondary Schools (Vocational/Technical, Community Colleges, or Universities):**

**Parents' Occupations:**

**Types Of Agricultural Work Done By The Family:**

**When Was The Last Time The Applicant Made A Qualifying Migrant Move\*?**

(\*District Migrant Program Representative, Please Attach A Certificate of Eligibility-COE)

**School Applicant is Currently Attending or Last Attended:**

- Include the City and State
- Attach A Transcript

**Post-Secondary School (University, College, or Technical School) That Applicant Plans To Attend:**

- Include the City & State
- Attach a Copy of Acceptance Letter

**List All Financial Assistance That Applicant Plans To Receive:**

- Include all Gifts, Grants, and Loans That Have Been Awarded

Type of Award	Amount
_____	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____
TOTAL	\$ _____

**What Financial Needs Will The Applicant Have:**

Tuition and Fees:	\$ _____
Books and Supplies:	\$ _____
Computer:	\$ _____
Housing and Meals:	\$ _____
Transportation (car/gas)	\$ _____
Other (_____)	\$ _____
TOTAL	\$ _____

**What Are The Goals of The Applicant?**

Attach An Essay - written by the applicant, which must include the following:

- ◆ Future Plans and Goals
- ◆ Financial Need
- ◆ History of Family Migrancy
- ◆ Personal Examples of the Applicant's Community Service

**What High School(s) Has The Applicant Attended And What Type Of Work Has The Applicant Done?**

- ◆ Attach a Résumé

**Signature of the Applicant:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date Signed:** \_\_\_\_\_