

# Guardian Scholars Program (GSP)

**Foster Youth Student Support Services ♦ Long Beach City College**

## Program Benefits:

- Academic, career, and personal counseling
- Priority enrollment
- Assistance with financial aid & scholarships
- Textbook assistance (as funding permits)
- School supplies
- Housing, food, and transportation resources
- Monthly social events



## How It Works:

- Be a current/former foster youth
- Enroll in at least 3 units (Unit exemption can be requested)
- Submit Proof of Dependency/Wardship
- Complete a LBCC FYSSS intake form & Mutual Responsibility Agreement
- Student must apply to the GSP prior to their 35<sup>th</sup> birthday

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