

NM MESA Loyalty Award

~ Cash for College ~

NM MESA seniors are able to earn the **Loyalty Award** for their first year of college. Students must qualify for the MESA Success to earn the Einstein Bonus.

Senior Student Due Dates

12/31/2018	Last day to earn points for Loyalty Award calculation
1/22/2019	Deadline for advisors to enter Senior activities in MIMS
2/12/2019	Official High School Transcript due (requested by RC)
3/11/2019	Link for online application opens
4/1/2019	Last day to submit online application, W-9 & testimonial
4/15/2019	Appeals due to Regional Coordinators
4/22/19	Announcement of Loyalty Award Recipients
7/1/2019	Link for uploading fall college schedule opens
9/4/2019	Last day to submit college schedule
9/11/2019	Checks mailed to students
1/30/2020	1099 forms mailed to students who received over \$600



MESA Success: \$500

In order to qualify, students are required to meet ALL of the following criteria:

- member of NM MESA for 2 years including his/her senior year
- A-1 form signed & submitted to your Advisor for each year of participation
- a minimum of 175 MESA points total by the end of the 1st semester
- a minimum ACT score of 18 or a SAT score of 870 OR a 2.8 weighted G.P.A
- completed online application and testimonial to be submitted by deadline; &
- a completed, student signed W-9 submitted to your Regional Coordinator

Einstein Bonus: up to an additional \$500

This award enable students to earn additional merit money based on what is achieved:

- +\$63 MESA Officer
- +\$63 Class Rank Top 10%
- +\$63 ACT score ≥ 21 or SAT score ≥ 1000
- +\$63 Cumulative weighted GPA of ≥ 3.8
- +\$63 for additional STEM courses, (beyond the State requirements); \geq a C grade
- +\$85 Two or more AP/ Dual credit courses; \geq a C grade



MORE INFO: www.nmmesa.org/students/