

Dear Niños Adelante's committee:

My name is Bella Vanessa Rodriguez Cabrera, I was in my last year of junior high school when I joined Niños Adelante. It's already been four years, and for all this time I'm completely grateful to this great foundation.

I grew up next to my parents and my brother, I went to kindergarten in a small town near Acapulco, called El Cayaco. At that time my parents were fishers and on weekends I accompanied them to their work.

My other studies took place here in Zihuatanejo because I have been living here

for 10 years.

Since I was little I liked going to school and learning, that's why I finished Elementary and junior high school with good grades. Now I'm about to graduate from high school, my grades are also very good. I have confidence in myself and I believe that if I try hard I will become a good professional.

I have many goals and dreams to fulfill, with the help I have received every time I get closer to them. I want to become a person with principles and values, help other people and help my family. Being a good person.

A while ago I did not know what I wanted to do for the rest of my life, it was not until recently that I realized, now what I really want to be is a Biologist. I imagine living happily dedicating myself to that.

My mother only finished Elementary school and my father high school, for me they are professionals and they are the best where they work, despite this their jobs are not well paid, but thanks to them I have gotten where I am now. For us, the fact that I go to the university in another city represents a great challenge, but there are no closer universities that offer the career that I want to study so I must move there. The university in which I was accepted is in Morelia, I do not have family there so the expenses will be many. It will be difficult to afford them.

For these reasons I would like to be a candidate to obtain the special scholarship. It would be a great help for my parents and me. I would appreciate very much if you would consider my request. Again, I thank all those who are part of Niños Adelante. In the future I would like to return all the help you have given me and the other kids.

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