

In recognition of hardworking students in Nevada.

And those who work hard to support them.

## The Nevada Putnam Scholarship Program

Saving for college is one of the most important investments you can make in a child's future. We are committed to helping Nevada families prepare for the costs of higher education, and we are proud to partner with Putnam Investments to offer an exclusive scholarship program for Nevada students.

Through the program, we award one-time scholarships to help cover educational expenses. The scholarship is offered to Nevada residents who are participants in the Putnam 529 for America plan.

If you already have a Putnam 529 for America account and meet the eligibility requirements, the scholarship award will be automatically directed to your account. To open a Putnam 529 for America account, contact your financial advisor.

The Board of Trustees of the College Savings Plans of Nevada

## **Program eligibility**

The scholarship program will provide each Putnam 529 for America plan beneficiary with a one-time \$100\* contribution when:

- The account owner or beneficiary has a Nevada address of record;
- The account has been established for at least 12 months; and
- The account balance, excluding award amounts, is at least \$1,000.

A beneficiary may only receive a maximum award of \$100 under the scholarship program, regardless of the number of accounts opened for that beneficiary.

Eligibility will be determined once per year following the June 30 fiscal year-end of the plan. Account owners do not need to apply for the award. Funding will occur automatically, and account owners will receive notification and a confirmation statement. The award contribution will go directly into the owner's existing Putnam 529 for America account. Within the account, the award will go into the investment option that has the highest balance at the time of funding. Putnam 529 for America is sponsored by the State of Nevada, acting through the Board of Trustees of the College Savings Plans of Nevada, and administered by the State Treasurer's Office. Anyone may invest in the plan and use the proceeds to attend a higher education institution in any state.

Before investing, consider whether your state's plan or that of your beneficiary offers state tax and other benefits not available through Putnam 529 for America. If you withdraw money (including the scholarship award) for something other than qualified higher education expenses, the earnings will be subject to federal income tax and a 10% federal tax penalty. Consult your tax advisor.

You should carefully consider the investment objectives, risks, charges, and expenses of the plan before investing. Ask your financial advisor or call Putnam at 1-877-PUTNAM529 for an offering statement containing this and other information for Putnam 529 for America, and read it carefully before investing. Putnam Retail Management, principal underwriter and distributor. Putnam Investment Management, investment manager.



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\* Subject to availability of funding. See offering statement.

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