SAMPLE BEQUEST LANGUAGE

A gift to Colorado College in your will or revocable trust proclaims your confidence that we will continue to serve our mission to prepare our students in and out of the classroom to thrive in a complex, changing world.

Residual Bequest Language
A residual bequest comes to us after your estate expenses and specific bequests are paid:

I give and devise to Colorado College, located in Colorado Springs, Colorado, all (or state a percentage) of the rest, residue, and remainder of my estate, both real and personal, to be used for its general support (or for the support of a specific fund or program).

Specific Bequest Language
Naming Colorado College as a beneficiary of a specific amount from your estate is easy:

I give and devise to Colorado College, located in Colorado Springs, Colorado, the sum of $___________ (or asset) to be used for its general support (or for the support of a specific fund or program).

Contingent Bequest Language
Colorado College can be named as a contingent beneficiary in your will or personal trust if one or more of your specific bequests cannot be fulfilled:

If (insert name) is not living at the time of my demise, I give and devise to Colorado College, located in Colorado Springs, Colorado, the sum of $_________ (or all or a percentage of the residue of my estate) to be used for its general support (or for the support of a specific fund or program).