



LEX Global Leaders Scholarship Application

The LEX Global Leaders Scholarship aims to promote international understanding by assisting those who would not otherwise be able to participate in a life-changing opportunity on a LEX exchange program or overseas internship. This scholarship honors the memory of wise and compassionate leaders in the LEX community.

Scholarships are to be used on exchange programs and internships organized by LEX Language Project to travel overseas from the United States and Canada. Applicants may be LEX members, members of our partner organizations, or from the general public.

The minimum amount of the scholarship is \$200 and the maximum is \$1500 or half of the program fees, whichever is less, per person. Please do not ask for more than you need - we would like as many people as possible to benefit from the scholarship. Availability and amount of the scholarship is based on availability of funds and approval of the Selection Committee.

LEX Language Project does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion (creed), gender, gender expression or identity, age, national origin (ancestry), disability, marital status, sexual orientation, military status or any other characteristic protected by applicable federal, state or local law.

All decisions of the scholarship committee are final. Any scholarships must be used in the calendar year they were awarded. If the recipient withdraws or is dismissed from the program, funds must be returned to LEX. Individuals who have received a scholarship from LEX in the current or previous calendar years are not eligible to apply.

Scholarship Recipients are required to complete the following upon their return:

1. Newsletter article (100 word minimum) and 5 photos for LEX.
2. Presentation of your homestay experiences with at least 3 audiences (at LEX clubs, your 4-H club, religious community, school, other community organizations, etc.) Share videos of these presentations back to the LEX office.

Instructions

- **Complete Scholarship Application Form and Sign**
- **Forward Your Application**

Members of LEX or a LEX Partner Organization: Forward your scholarship application to your LEX fellow or a state or local coordinator in the relevant organization (States' 4-H, PIE, ERDT, PAX, MAH, etc.) and ask them to fill in the coordinator section and forward to the LEX office by email. Make sure they are aware of the deadline.

Non-Members of LEX or a LEX Partner Organization Forward your scholarship application to a non-familial reference, such as a teacher or employer, and ask them to fill out the reference section and forward to the LEX office by email. Make sure they are aware of the deadline.

- **Meet Your Deadlines**

Summer in Japan (Monthlong): Applications must be received by midnight EST January 25th. Applicants will receive notification from LEX via email by March 1st.

Other Programs: Scholarship applications are due at the same time as your program application. Applicants will receive notification within one month.

Please submit all questions to:
LEX Language Project
Cambridge, MA 02140 USA
Email: info@lexlrf.org Tel: (617) 354-1140

FULL NAME (As it appears on passport): _____
First Middle Family Name

Current or past relevant affiliation, if any:
☐ LEX member ☐ S4-H ☐ ERDT ☐ PIE ☐ P2P ☐ Other_____ ☐ none

Program: ☐ Monthlong Summer ☐ Transnational Camp & Homestay ☐ WIP Internship

Street: _____
 City: _____ State/Province: _____ Zip: _____ Country: _____
 Cell Phone:(_____) _____ Other Phone:(_____) _____
 Email: _____

Dates	Hosted or Traveled?	Name of LEX member	Their address, phone, email (if known)

Please explain why you would be a good candidate for this scholarship. (Use additional pages if necessary.)



Scholarship recipients are asked to write a short newsletter article for LEX and to present their homestay experiences to at least three audiences upon their return. Where might you present your experiences?

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian's Signature, if under 18: _____ Date: _____



To be filled out by LEX fellow, state or local coordinator, other reference:

Please indicate how long and in what capacity you have known the applicant:

I ☐ recommend ☐ do not recommend this candidate for the scholarship because:

Reference's Signature: _____ Date: _____



Dear Reference:

For monthlong summer program: Please email this form directly to the LEX office by January 25th. Applications must be received by midnight EST January 25th.

For other programs: Please email the form directly to the LEX office as soon as possible (generally within one week of receiving the form.)

Thank you!

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