



2015 Scholarship Application Illinois Chapter

STUDENT DATA

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT

STUDENT NAME: _____ **AGE:** _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ **STATE:** _____ **ZIP:** _____

HOME PHONE: _____ **CELL PHONE:** _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

SCHOOL ATTENDING: _____

CUMULATIVE GPA: _____

ETHNIC ORIGIN: _____

Please answer the following questions:

(Use additional information sheet, if necessary.)

What are college major and career aspirations?

What college do you plan to attend?

What college(s) have acceptance been granted?

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Student Data (continued)

What are your interests, hobbies, and talents?

What extracurricular school activities have you participated in?

(List offices held, awards received, sports participation, committees, etc.)

What community or church activities have you been involved with?

(List volunteer and/or church activities.)

EMPLOYER : _____

JOB TITLE: _____

LENGTH OF EMPLOYMENT: _____

DUTIES: _____

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FAMILY DATA

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT

STUDENT NAME: _____ **AGE:** _____

FATHER / GUARDIAN NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ **STATE:** _____ **ZIP:** _____

HOME PHONE: _____ **CELL PHONE:** _____

EMPLOYER : _____

JOB TITLE: _____

YEARS EMPLOYED: _____ **WORK PHONE:** _____

IF SELF EMPLOYED, PLEASE DESCRIBE TYPE OF BUSINESS :

WORK ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ **STATE:** _____ **ZIP:** _____

MOTHER / GUARDIAN NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ **STATE:** _____ **ZIP:** _____

HOME PHONE: _____ **CELL PHONE:** _____

EMPLOYER : _____

JOB TITLE: _____

YEARS EMPLOYED: _____ **WORK PHONE:** _____

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Mail your scholarship package to:

Sisters Investing In Souls

Attn: Scholarship Committee

P.O. Box 490474

Chicago, IL 60649

by December 12, 2014

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Scholarship Reference Guide/ Q & A

- Careful persistent plan of research, organization, and attention to application details is critical.
- Do not hesitate to utilize your Student Financial Aid Office and/or High School Departmental office staff in assisting and planning your scholarship.
- Make sure you meet **ALL** the eligibility requirements of the scholarship.
- Students who meet the basic criteria should immediately apply.
- Pay close attention to contact information and deadlines.
- Submit a **COMPLETED** application by the deadline, December 12, 2014.
- If print, be sure to write legible in preferably black ink. Though you may print your application, your_ essay must be typed.
- Spell check for grammatical errors and avoid abbreviating.
- To avoid delay, make sure your transcript has an official school seal.
- Answer **ALL** questions completely to the best of your ability. (Use additional information sheets, if necessary.)
- Remember to sign and date the application and family data sheets.
- When composing your community/autobiography essay, elaborate on the benefits of the community, event or life changing experience. **Your essay must be typed.**
- Letter of recommendation can be from teacher, mentor, or a person of positive influence. Letters should be typed, signed, sealed and sent directly to SIS Scholarship Committee. Letters must be postmarked by December 12, 2014.
- Unless otherwise stated, do not contact the liaison. If selected, you will be notified in writing.
- All students are encouraged to apply for other scholarships early by inquiring at their local high school, library, and parents' place of employment, local religious affiliations, and their community.

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Frequently Asked Questions

Q. How will I know if I am selected for the Sisters Investing in Souls Scholarship?

Do not contact the liaison (if selected) you will be notified in writing.

Q. What if I missed the deadline for applying for the scholarship?

If your scholarship application is received late, you will not be considered. These awards will be made to eligible on-time applicants first. Alternatively, you will be placed on a waiting list to be considered. If awards are still available, we will look at the waiting list containing late scholarship applicants.

Q. Will the Sisters Investing in Souls Scholarship affect scholarships or other financial aid I am receiving?

Usually, an external scholarship will only affect a student's loan; however, the likelihood of this happening is very slim. Please be mindful that each situation is unique based on the external scholarship or the student's financial aid awards, we suggest you contact the Student Financial Aid Office to find out exactly how the external scholarship may affect other awards.

****PLEASE READ****

If you are awarded a scholarship, your presence is required at a banquet that will be held in your honor on February 21, 2015. In addition, if you are awarded a scholarship it is mandatory that you participate and/or volunteer at a minimum of one SIS sponsored event or fundraiser before your scholarship is awarded in August 2015.

We wish you well as you organize and plan for your scholarship.

Good luck!