

CETA TOURS - STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

CETA Tours will award a total of five (5) need-based scholarships in the amount of \$500 each to students participating in a CETA tour in 2012. To be eligible to receive a scholarship, your account must be in good standing. Complete all six components of the application as outlined below. Submit all components together in a single large envelope by mail to:

**CETA Tours
1421 Broadway St North, Suite 108
Menomonie, WI 54751**

Applications must be postmarked by the deadline. Plan ahead and approach your references with the request for a letter of recommendation early! No late or partially completed applications will be accepted. Letters of recommendation are to remain sealed. Letters of recommendation will not be accepted via fax or email.

Deadlines

October 15, 2011 for groups departing February - April 2012
January 15, 2012 for groups departing May - July 2012

TERMS & CONDITIONS

- All scholarship application requests and submissions are confidential.
- All applicants will receive a letter informing them whether or not they were awarded a scholarship within 45 days of the application deadline.
- Scholarship recipients may be announced in print in CETA publications, such as our monthly newsletter.
- Scholarships have no cash redemption value and are non-transferable. They must be used for the travel year awarded and will be applied as a credit towards the final payment only.
- All payment and cancellation deadlines and penalties are still applicable, regardless of scholarship application status.

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION PACKET

Application Form

To be completed by the student. Print legibly in blue or black ink. Must be signed by both the applicant and a parent/guardian.

Student Essay

A one page typed, single-spaced essay. Without disclosing specific financial data, describe the circumstances under which you feel you qualify for a need-based scholarship. Include detailed information about your personal efforts to earn money to pay for your trip (i.e. fundraising activities, part-time jobs, babysitting, etc.). Also include a short statement about how you personally will benefit from international travel.

Parent Statement

A short, 1-2 paragraph statement to be written by the applicant's parent or guardian. Without disclosing specific financial data, describe the circumstances under which you feel your child qualifies for a need-based scholarship. In the interest of privacy, CETA Tours will not request detailed proof of financial burden, such as income or debt information.

Letter of Recommendation #1 – Language Teacher

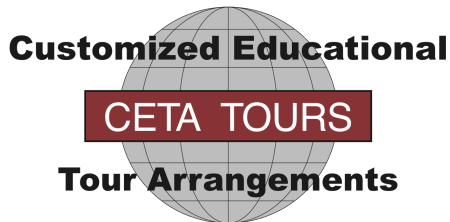
This recommendation from your language teacher should address your attitude and efforts towards language learning in the classroom. If applicable, your teacher should also provide information on your involvement in any fund-raising activities. The enclosed information sheet should be given to your teacher.

Letter of Recommendation #2 – Non-Language Teacher

This recommendation should come from a teacher who has had you recently in class, or knows you well through school sponsored extra curricular activities (i.e. sports, clubs) and should speak to what they know about your character. The enclosed information sheet should be given to your teacher.

Letter of Recommendation #3 – Third Party

This recommendation should come from a third party adult who is not a teacher or administrator at your school, nor a member of your family. Their letter should speak to your character and why you would benefit from international travel. The enclosed information sheet should be given to your reference.



STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

The following is to be completed by the student. Print legibly in blue or black ink. Must be signed by both the applicant and a parent/guardian.

PERSONAL INFORMATION

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Male Female

TOUR INFORMATION

School: _____ Teacher: _____

Grade: 7 8 9 10 11 12 Subject/Language: _____

How many years have you taken this subject? _____

Tour Name: _____ Tour Code: _____

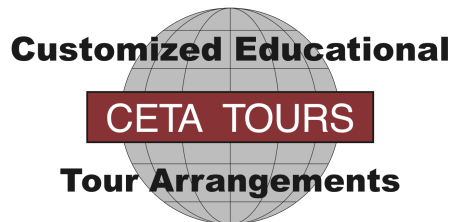
I attest that all the information that I have provided with this scholarship application packet is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I agree to all the terms and conditions of CETA Tours scholarship program.

Applicant's Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian's Signature

Date



STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM LANGUAGE TEACHER RECOMMENDATION

Dear Language Teacher,

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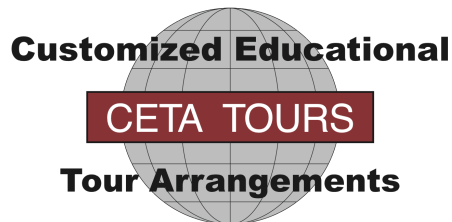
In order to gain an accurate impression of the applicant's qualification for a scholarship, CETA Tours requests that you do the following:

- Compose your letter on your school's official letterhead.
- In your letter, please include the following:
 - The applicant's full name
 - How long you have known the applicant and in what regard
 - The applicant's attitude and effort toward language learning
 - The applicant's involvement in any fund-raising activities or other efforts to raise money for the trip
 - The applicant's general character
 - Any additional information with regards to the applicant's qualification for a need-based scholarship
- Limit your letter to no more than 1 typed page. Date and sign the letter.
- Seal your letter in an envelope and sign the closure seam.
- Your letter should to be given to the applicant so that he/she may include it with the submission of his/her application. Letters of recommendation will not be accepted via fax or email.

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STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM NON-LANGUAGE TEACHER RECOMMENDATION

Dear Teacher or Coach,

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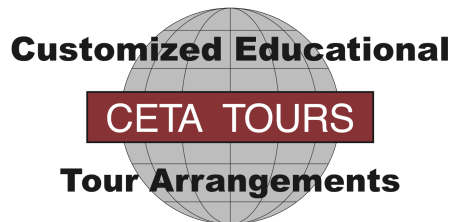
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STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM THIRD PARTY RECOMMENDATION

Dear Community Member or Family Friend,

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