PASSPORT SCHOLARSHIP

To help Temple students pursue personal and intellectual growth through international experiences, Temple offers a scholarship intended to support the cost of passport fees for Temple undergraduate students who would like to study abroad.

The program provides scholarships of up to $135.00, an amount intended to equal the application and processing cost for a United States Passport, to all first-year and transfer students who intend to study abroad and are applying for a passport for the first time.

To be eligible for the scholarship, you must apply for a passport between July 1, 2015 and June 30, 2016, and must demonstrate intent to study overseas for credit while enrolled as an undergraduate at Temple. In addition, your first semester as a matriculated student at Temple University must be either fall 2015 or spring 2016. Applications for passport renewals do not qualify. The scholarship may be used for tuition and fees.

To participate, you must complete the attached application. After receiving proof of payment for the passport application, Education Abroad will process the application and award the scholarship to your account.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

In order to qualify for this scholarship you must:

- be enrolled as a full-time, matriculated undergraduate student at Temple University at the time of application. Your first semester as a matriculated Temple University undergraduate student must be Fall 2015 or Spring 2016.
- be a U.S. citizen.
- never have had or applied for a U.S. passport.
- intend to enroll as a full-time student on a study abroad program as a Temple undergraduate.
- apply for a passport between July 1, 2015 and June 30, 2016.

PROCEDURES

To apply for the study abroad scholarship, you must:

- Complete the attached application and remit it to Education Abroad via fax, email, or in-person.
- Apply for a U.S. passport (see instructions: travel.state.gov/content/passports/english/passports.html. Note that for new passports, you will need to apply in person at a passport acceptance agency.
- Obtain from the passport agent a dated receipt(s) showing the amount(s) paid for both the application fee ($110.00) and processing fee ($25.00). A cancelled check(s) showing both sides of the check(s) may be accepted as proof of payment in lieu of receipts. Other types of forms are not acceptable. It is your responsibility to provide proper documentation. Make sure you keep copies for your records.
- Register for a Foundations of Study Abroad Information Session (stud yabroad.temple.edu/foundations-of-study-abroad) before or upon submitting your scholarship application.

Students who are awarded the scholarship will receive a credit on their student account in the amount of up to $135.00 within 4 - 6 weeks of completing the scholarship application process. The scholarship must be used for tuition, books and course fees. Deadline for submitting a scholarship application: June 1, 2016. Deadline for submitting receipts: June 30, 2016.

If you have any questions, please contact Education Abroad: 200 Tuttleman Learning Center, (215) 204-0720, study.abroad@temple.edu.
PASSPORT SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Name: ____________________________________________________________________________

TUid: __________________________ Birthdate: __________________________

Are you a U.S. citizen? Yes_____ No_____

Have you ever had or applied for a U.S. passport before? Yes_____ No_____

Permanent Mailing Address:
_______________________________________________________________________________________
_______________________________________________________________________________________
_______________________________________________________________________________________

E-Mail: __________________________ Phone Number: __________________________

I would like to study abroad (mark one of the five options and write in year(s) where appropriate) during:
[ ] Fall 20____ semester        [ ] Spring 20____ semester
[ ] Full Academic Year 20____-____  [ ] Summer 20____ semester         [ ] Unsure at this time

I would like to study in the following country:
_______________________________________________________________________________________

ACADEMIC

Major(s): __________________________________________________________ GPA: __________

Class Standing: [ ] Freshman [ ] First-Year Transfer

Anticipated Date of Graduation: ___________ First Semester at Temple: ___________

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The answers I have given on this application are correct to the best of my knowledge.

__________________________________________________________ ______________________
Applicant’s Signature Date

To be eligible for this scholarship, you must apply for your passport on or after July 1, 2015 and by no later than June 30, 2016. You must submit your scholarship application by June 1, 2016, and receipts by June 30, 2016.