



OCA-NEW YORK ADVOCATES SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM 2018

In alignment with OCA-NY's organizational mission which is to advance the political, economic, and cultural well-being of Asian Pacific Americans in the United States, OCA-New York Chapter launches its second College Scholarship Program in August 2018.

OCA-NY is offering \$2,000 scholarships for aspiring future leaders in civic engagement, community service, and social activism. OCA-NY is looking to support and nurture applicants with clear academic and leadership credentials and a demonstrable history of community service and engagement. We encourage all students, regardless of race, ethnicity, or immigration status, to apply.

DEADLINE: APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY: Tuesday, September 4, 2018 at 11:59PM EST.

PLEASE SUBMIT THE COMPLETED APPLICATION BY EMAIL TO DANNY QIAO AT DOGQIAO@GMAIL.COM

The OCA-NY Scholarship Committee is responsible for reviewing and selecting recipients. Awardees will demonstrate a strong motivation for academic excellence, a dedication to community service, and a need for financial support of their education. Individuals who will be enrolling in an accredited college/university in U.S. may submit an application.

Please review full guidelines at our Web site <http://oca-ny.org> before you fill out this application.

Scholarship award recipients will be contacted via email and listed on our website by September 18, 2018. Scholarship award recipients will be recognized at the 2018 OCA-NY Community and Leadership Annual Gala on September 28, 2018, at Joy Luck Palace Restaurant, New York City. We encourage awardees to attend.



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APPLICATION
(MUST BE TYPED)**

Personal:

Name:	
Address:	Cell Phone:
City/State/Zip:	Home Phone:
E-Mail Address:	
Date of Birth:	Place of Birth:
Employer - Position/Hours-Per-Week:	

Education:

High School / College:	Graduation Date:								
Overall/Cumulative Grade Point Average (minimum 3.0): _____ Indicate "Academic" NOT "weighted" GPA	Based on a GPA system of: _____								
ACT and/or SAT score: ACT: SAT: MEAP Test: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No									
Major area(s) of study:									
<p>Extracurricular Activities (school, clubs, athletics). Indicate position(s), club(s) and/or athletics you participated in. Be sure to distinguish year (9-12) and approximate hours you participated when you list the club/organization.</p> <table border="0"> <thead> <tr> <th><u>Activity</u></th> <th><u>Years Participated</u></th> <th><u>Hours/Week</u></th> <th><u>Brief Description</u></th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td> </td> <td> </td> <td> </td> <td> </td> </tr> </tbody> </table>		<u>Activity</u>	<u>Years Participated</u>	<u>Hours/Week</u>	<u>Brief Description</u>				
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College/University(s) to which you have been accepted for admission/in attendance:									
College/University you plan to attend:									

Verification:

Signature and E-mail of Counselor, mentor, Pastor, etc. verifying accuracy of above information. (Not a family member)
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Signature: _____

Name (print): _____ Phone: _____

E-Mail address: _____

Education Plans

Educational Goals:	
College Major:	
College Minor:	
Career/Profession:	

Activities / Awards:

Community Service/Volunteer Activities (church, home, etc.). Indicate community organizations you actively participated in during each grade year. Also, indicate hours of volunteer service for each activity. Note that these can be school related, but should not duplicate any responses you made in any previous section of the application.

Organization Years Participated Hours/Week Brief Description

Honors and Awards. Tell us about the honors you received. Indicate whether they were on a local (school, county, or district), state or national level. These awards may be outside of school activities, but should not be duplicated in any other area of the application.

Family:

Name of Parent(s)/Guardian(s):	
Address:	Home Phone:
City/State/Zip:	E-Mail:
List <u>each</u> Parent/Guardian's Place of Employment, Occupation, Job Title:	
<u>Name</u>	<u>Place of Employment</u> <u>Occupation</u> <u>Job Title</u>
Number of Brothers/Sisters:	List Ages:

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Financial:

Provide Family/Household Income			
<input type="checkbox"/> Below \$30,000	<input type="checkbox"/> \$30,000 - \$50,000	<input type="checkbox"/> \$50,000 - \$80,000	<input type="checkbox"/> Over \$80,000

Describe your financial need for a scholarship (be specific):

Personal Statement:

Please attach your Personal Statement in a separate document in response to the question: Who are you inspired by and why? (500 words maximum)

Additional Question:

What current issue matters most to you? (150 words maximum)

Signatures:

Applicant:		Date:	
Parent/Guardian (if under 18):		Date:	

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