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## National Geographic Scholarship eligibility

The National Geographic scholarship program generally considers students whose parents' combined income is less than \$50,000 and who have few assets. International students are welcome to apply.

A number of full scholarships will be awarded to eligible students in the summer of 2012. Please note that we expect to receive many scholarship applications and allocation of scholarship funds is competitive.

### Scholarship Application Components

- Completed [2012 Scholarship Application Form](#) (PDF).
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- Parents'/guardians' most recent federal tax returns.
- Two completed [teacher references](#).
- A statement explaining parents' need for financial support based on their financial obligations and assets
- An Applicant Statement explaining why you would like to join a National Geographic Student Expedition and what you feel you can contribute to it, as well as your interest in the country or region and On Assignment project on which you wish to focus.

**Note: The \$700 deposit is waived for scholarship applicants.**

The entire completed application must be received by March 1st, 2012. Teacher Reference forms should be submitted separately, but must also arrive by March 1st, 2012.

### Mail completed applications to:

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