



JAPANESE AMERICAN TREATY CENTENNIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND
(Also known as JAPANESE AMERICAN SCHOLARSHIP FUND)
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2017 JAPANESE AMERICAN SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM **INFORMATION SHEET**

The Japanese American Scholarship Fund was incorporated in 1960 to commemorate the 100th anniversary of United State-Japan relations. The fund was established to encourage students of Japanese ancestry to achieve excellence in scholarship and citizenship and to aspire them to higher learning, by giving scholarship awards to students of demonstrated ability. 10 plus scholarship awards will be available, each in the amount of \$1,000.

A. General Requirements: A candidate must meet the following general requirements:

1. Must be a student of Japanese ancestry who is residing in the Southern California area at time of application. The children of businessmen from Japan who are temporarily in the U.S. are also eligible to apply. U.S. citizenship is not required.
2. Must be a graduating high school senior and plan to enroll in college full time this year.
3. Must file an application form with all required supporting documents by the deadline date of Thursday, June 1, 2017.
4. When selected:
 - a. Recipients must attend the presentation ceremony on Saturday, July 29, 2017 to receive the scholarship in person.
 - b. It is strongly recommended that you attend a workshop, that will be held on July 15, 2017 at 244 S. San Pedro St. Suite 410, Los Angeles, CA 90012. You will be notified about the details later.

B. Application Procedures:

1. To ask for a copy of the Scholarship Application Form, please send a self-addressed, stamped standard business-size envelope to:
Japanese American Scholarship Fund
244 S. San Pedro Street, Suite 410,
Los Angeles, CA 90012.
You can also obtain the form through e-mail: office@jccsc.com.
2. Complete the application form. **Be sure to respond to all items on the form as each item is given weight/points for evaluation.** Typed application is preferable.
3. Obtain (a) a school transcript covering 9th, 10th, 11th and the first semester of the 12th grades and (b) a copy of College Board Certified SAT scores and attach them to the application form or if the school's policy is to mail it directly, have the school send it to Japanese American Scholarship Fund, 244 So. San Pedro Street, Suite 410, Los Angeles, CA 90012. It is suggested that you request for a transcript early before the school office closes for the summer.
4. Mail your completed application form together with all accompanying documents by the due date of June 1, 2017. The application postmarked on the due-date is acceptable.
5. After evaluation of your application, you will be notified of the selection results.
6. If you are selected, you must attend the award ceremony to receive your scholarship in person. This year's scholarship award presentation ceremony is scheduled for Saturday, July 29, 2017.
7. If you have questions, please call the Japanese American Scholarship Fund office at (213) 626-3067.