



American University
Discover the World of Communication

Scholarship Information

DWC Scholarship – Ten partial scholarships available.

- Must be eligible for free or reduced price school meals (as documented by a school counselor)
- Send current report card/transcript (minimum 2.8 GPA)
- Counselor/Teacher Recommendation Form
- Student Essay indicating interest in attending the program
- Completed DWC Registration Form (available on the DWC website)

Scholarship applications are due by March 1, 2021. Scholarship recipients will be notified on a rolling basis via email no later than April 1st.

Private Donor Scholarship – Three (\$800) scholarships available

- Send current report card/transcript
- Counselor/Teacher Recommendation Form
- Student Essay indicating interest in attending the program
- Parent Statement indicating need for financial assistance
- Must be a sophomore or junior in the Fall before the summer program
- Completed DWC Registration Form (available on the DWC website)

Scholarship applications are due by March 1, 2021. Scholarship recipients will be notified on a rolling basis via email no later than April 1st.



Discover the World of Communication Scholarship Application

To be completed by student:

Student Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Address: _____
Street Address City, State Zip Code

Home Phone Number _____ Student Grade Level: _____

Student Email: _____

High School: _____

Address: _____
Street Address City, State Zip Code

School Phone Number: _____

Please indicate what scholarship you are applying for: _____
(DWC Scholarship or Private Donor Scholarship- may only select one)

1. Please write an essay indicating your interest in attending Discover the World of Communication and what you hope to gain from the program.

2. Enclose the essay with your scholarship application and the DWC registration form, and mail to:

American University, Discover the World of Communication
McKinley Building c/o Professor Sarah Menke-Fish
4400 Massachusetts Ave, NW
Washington, DC 20016

3. Please provide your teacher, counselor or principal with the Counselor/Teacher Recommendation Form and a stamped envelope addressed to:

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4. The scholarship deadline is March 1, 2021. The DWC office must receive all application documents including the Recommendation Form by this date.



Discover the World of Communication Counselor/Teacher Recommendation Form

Student Name: _____ Grade Level: _____

GPA: _____ on a scale of _____

Days absent this academic year: _____ Days tardy this academic year: _____

Additional Comments on Attendance: _____

Does the student receive free or reduced lunch? _____ Yes _____ No

High School: _____ Phone Number: _____

Address: _____
Street Address *City, State* *Zip Code*

School Principal: _____ Guidance Counselor: _____

Name of Recommender: _____

Title: _____ Phone: _____

Email: _____

Please answer the following questions to the best of your knowledge. (Use additional paper if necessary.)

1. How long and in what capacity have you known the applicant?

2. Do the student's grades reflect his/her ability and effort?

