



2018 Passport Fund Application

Passport Fund scholarships are based on financial need. Need is determined through a calculation that considers family size and adjusted gross income (AGI). Special circumstances are also noted. Typically, families with an AGI of \$60,000 or less are considered first. An awarding committee meets in March and discusses each individual application.

Applications must be submitted by **February 21, 2018** and applicants will be notified of their status on April 2, 2018.

***We strongly encourage you to complete the entire registration and scholarship application online.** If you are unable to complete the application online, it is up to you to make sure we have received the application once you have mailed it in. You may call 218-299-3466 or email scholshp@cord.edu to check in to make sure we received the application and that the application is complete. Write your name on all documents, keep photocopies of everything you send us, and keep a record of the date you mail each item.

How to Apply:

1. Register and pay a deposit for a 2018 session. Your villager is **not eligible** for a Passport Fund scholarship if they are not registered for a session.

Summer 2018 Scholarship Deposit Requirements		
One-Week Youth Exploration	Two-Week Youth Immersion	Four-Week High School Credit
\$125*	\$175*	\$300

**Reduced deposits are accepted by mail or by phone. All online registrations require a \$300 deposit.*

2. Go to the Forms and Documents section of your MyVillage account and fill out a request for a scholarship application (1). Then, fill out scholarship application form (2), which includes a personal statement from the villager, and upload a copy of your most recent tax return, Form 1040 with the Social Security Numbers blacked out (3).

If you are unable to complete the registration or submit a scholarship application form online, please call us at 218-299-3699.

If you do not receive a scholarship and/or decide not to attend, your full deposit will be refunded if your cancellation is received by **April 20, 2018**. If you do not receive a scholarship and still wish to attend, your deposit will be applied toward your summer tuition and will not be refunded. Deposits are non-refundable if cancellations are received after April 20, 2018. Please see the youth registration forms for complete payment policies.



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Youth Participant

Full Name _____ Birthdate ____ / ____ / ____
Last First Middle Month Day Year

2018 Summer Session Code _ _ _ _ _

Adult 1 (Parent/Guardian)

Full Name _____
Last First

Relationship to Villager _____

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Full Name _____
Last First

Relationship to Villager _____

Indicate the number of dependent children in your household:

- 1
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5+

Record your families reported Adjusted Gross Income (AGI)

Example format: \$25,000 = 25000

If you are not required to file an income tax return, please supply us with a statement of whatever source of income you had last year and attach a copy of that document. Please explain:

I certify that the information above is true and correct.

Signature of Parent/Guardian _____ Date _____

There are different funding opportunities for each language. If your child is interested in another language, especially any of the following languages, there is a chance you will receive a larger scholarship:

- Arabic
- Korean
- Finnish
- Japanese if you live in Chicago

Please send us an email at scholshp@cord.edu if you would like to be considered for a scholarship for one of these languages you are not already registered for.



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Villager Personal Statement

In the space below please express why you, the villager are excited to learn more of this language and culture, and describe the courage that it takes to explore something new and different. The length requirement depends on the session length. One week = 250 words; Two weeks = 300 words; Four weeks = 350 words.

Applicant Name _____	Date _____
School _____	