



2016 Scholarship Application Maine Innkeepers Education Foundation

1-Eligibility

Open to any Maine student (any age) pursuing a career in the lodging or foodservice field or any family members of Lodging or Allied members or their employees or their families pursuing a non-hospitality career. Applicants may be graduates of accredited high schools, high school students, post secondary students, or children of employees of the Maine Innkeepers Association member properties, including allied members. Preference will be given to applicants who are employees or family members of active or allied member properties.

Use of Scholarship

This scholarship is provided for one time use only. No continued scholarship support for the student is stated or implied. Applications should be submitted by the student annually, if appropriate. The scholarship may be used for tuition and/or room & board. It will be issued jointly to the institution and the student.

Selection Criteria

- a) Scholastic record
- b) Financial need
- c) Employment record and extra-curricular activities
- d) Desire for a career in the hotel or foodservice industry
- e) Maine Innkeepers member

Type of Scholarship You Seek

- Hospitality Culinary Non-hospitality (Program of study): _____

Affiliation

- I am not affiliated with the Maine Innkeepers Association or one of its members.
 I am affiliated with the Maine Innkeepers Association in the following way:

2-General Information

1. Last Name: _____ 2. First Name: _____

3. Address: _____

4. City: _____ 5. State: _____ 6. Zip: _____

7. Date of Birth: _____ 8. Telephone Number: _____

9. E-mail Address _____ 10. Cell Phone Number: _____

Financial Information

11. Number of Parents in the Household: One Two 12. Age of Older Parent: _____

13. Parents' or Guardians' Occupations & Employer:
Father or Guardian: _____

Mother or Guardian: _____

14. Total Number of Persons in the Household (include parents and all dependents): _____

15. I live alone and do not have parental support (if checked please skip to line 17)

16. I live with a parent or guardian and have their support

17. Household income range: under \$50,000 \$50,000 to \$100,000 Over \$100,000

18. Student's savings and net assets \$

19. Have you applied for other grants or loans? Yes No If yes, which ones: _____

20. Are there any unusual circumstances that draw on family income that you wish us to consider? If so, please provide more detail:

List those brothers and sisters who will be in an institution of Higher Education when you are in school. Please share the name of their school and estimated graduation date. _____

Student Information

21. I am presently enrolled in a post-secondary hospitality program.

22. Name of School and Program: _____

23. Grade Point Average: _____

24. I am not enrolled in a post-secondary hospitality program, but plan to attend this fall.

First Choice: _____ Accepted? Yes No

Second Choice: _____ Accepted? Yes No

25. Selected Major _____

26. Estimated tuition/room and board expenses for you for one year:

First Choice Tuition: \$ _____ Room & Board: \$ _____

Second Choice Tuition: \$ _____ Room & Board: \$ _____

27. I have enclosed high school transcripts (or college, if most recent)

28. I have enclosed three letters of reference:

- Current school teacher
- Place of employment (preferably hospitality related)
- Personal reference

29. I have enclosed a typed, double-spaced letter of **not more than 500 words** describing the following:

- a) What are your career goals?
- b) Why do you feel qualified for this scholarship?
- c) Anything further you wish to share with the Scholarship Committee
- d) Explain your connection, if any, to the Maine Innkeepers Association

30. Please describe briefly your involvement in the following extracurricular activities:

a. School _____

b. Community _____

c. Work _____

d. Experience Related to Career Choice _____

I declare that all of the information provided on this application is true, correct and complete to the best of my knowledge. If I am granted a Maine Innkeepers Education Foundation scholarship, I agree to submit to the Maine Innkeepers Association Education & Scholarship Committee a report of my grades for the year in which the scholarship is used.

All material will be held in the strictest confidence by the Education Foundation and the Maine Innkeepers Association Education and Scholarship Committee and will become property of the Association and its Foundation.

Applicant's Signature: _____

Parent or Guardian's Signature: _____

Date: _____

**Deadline for submission to the Maine Innkeepers Education Foundation is April 8, 2016.
Must be postmarked on or before the date above. Note: Incomplete applications will be rejected.**

Submit applications to:

Scholarship Chair

Maine Innkeepers Education Foundation

45 Melville Street, Augusta, ME 04330

Recipients will be notified of their application status by May 6, 2016

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