



# Long Island Immigrant Student Advocates Scholarship Application

**Long Island Immigrant Student Advocate’s mission:** We are a non-profit organization founded in 2010 whose goal is to support immigrant students obtain a higher education by providing resources, promoting youth leadership development, advocating for an equal education system, and pro-immigrant students legislations. Our mission is to promote education, one of the most fundamental values for a student’s personal development, and provide students resources within LIISA and other organizations to help them achieve their career goals. Our vision is to work for higher education for all immigrant students regardless of immigration status, provide scholarship funds and other programs to increase the rate of immigrant students graduating with a professional degree.

**You are ideal for this scholarship if:**

- You live on Long Island.
- You are a High School student grades 9th through 12th or College student.
- You are first generation student or of immigrant background
- You are a student needing financial support for any summer program and/or College or other post-secondary programs.
- You are a volunteer in your community, high school, or college (in any capacity) or have aspirations to keep growing, learning, and helping others.

**Applicant Full Name:**

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**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Telephone:** \_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:**

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**High School/College or Post Secondary Institution currently attending:**

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Grade or College Level if applicable: \_\_\_\_\_

What will you use this scholarship for?

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Field or Program of study of interest:

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What are your career goals?

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Please list if you have any extra-curricular, voluntarism, community activities, job/work you have participated in (add extra page if need it):

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**SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS:**

Please submit a creative piece that can adequately answer the following question:

★ *What does immigrant youth leadership look or mean to you and how will your education lead you to become a future leader?*

This creative piece could be an essay, a Tik Tok, video, graphics, poetry, artwork, website, song, a PowerPoint, a Prezi, an animation, etc)

★ Please submit proof of registration to the program you are using the scholarship for. If not registered for a program yet, please submit a statement explaining the current situation.

★ Email application to [LIISAEDU@GMAIL.COM](mailto:LIISAEDU@GMAIL.COM) with the subject line: **Scholarship Summer 2021.**

★ Submission deadline no later than June 25th, 2021 AT 6:00 PM EST.

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**Distribution/Access:**

**(Your response will not affect the selection process.)**

I grant permission to Long Island Immigrant Student Advocates to use my submitted creative piece for media and promotion including but not limited to (social media platforms, website, printed materials, visual aids, etc.)

I do not grant permission to Long Island Immigrant Student Advocates to use my submitted creative piece for media and promotion including but not limited to (social media platforms, website, printed materials, visual aids, etc.)

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Signature of Applicant

Print Name

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If a minor (17 or younger), the signature of a parent or legal guardian

Print Name

Date \_\_\_\_\_

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***Thank you for applying to our LIISA Scholarship.*** Winners will be announced in early July by email.

Please note that a committee will review your application and select students as the winners. If you are selected, we will be contacting you after the selection. Please note that your name will be taken out of the application for the committee to review and select awardees. This will provide a fair process to everyone.