

**Stan Young
Migrant Education
Student Scholarship Award
2018-2019**

The Stan Young Migrant Education Student Scholarship Award will honor an Arkansas Migrant Student who desires to achieve personal and career goals by furthering his/her education. The Award is made possible through the generosity of the Arkansas Migrant Education Personnel and is a reflection of their belief in the potential for success of Migrant students in Arkansas.

Presentation of Award – The Stan Young Migrant Education Scholarship Award will be announced soon after the deadline. The financial award will be provided to the winner upon submission of proof of acceptance or enrollment at an accredited public college, private college or vocational/technical school.

APPLICATION CHECKLIST:

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| _____ Personal information | _____ Educational Data |
| _____ List of High School Activities | _____ My Essay |
| _____ Copy of COE | _____ Copy of High School Transcript |
| _____ Picture of Applicant | _____ Letters of Recommendation |
| _____ Copy of Attendance Report for First Semester of Senior Year | |

Submit a completed application packet on or before **February 22, 2019** to:

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Guidelines

Eligibility – Nominees for the Stan Young Migrant Education Student Scholarship Award must:

- a. be currently migrant eligible (or a student who was a current migrant when he/she entered the 9th grade), ex. If a student was migrant eligible in the 9th grade but has since run out of eligibility, they may still apply/be eligible for this scholarship.
- b. have senior status in high school at the time of the award, and
- c. have plans to attend a post secondary institution or other advanced training.

Application Process - Each applicant must submit the following:

- a. personal information,
- b. educational data,
- c. a list of high school activities (extracurricular activities, academic achievements, community service, and student work history) for grades 9-12,
- d. my essay,
- e. at least two (2) letters of recommendation from a school or community/educational agency representative with personal knowledge of the applicant's character and commitment to pursuing further education,
- f. a copy of his/her current Migrant Certificate of Eligibility (COE),
- g. a copy of high school transcript,
- h. a copy of attendance for first semester of senior year, and

Selection Criteria – The selection will include, but not limited to, the student:

- demonstrating commitment to educational goals,
- participating in school/migrant related activities,
- participating in community and/or non-school activities,
- demonstrating good citizenship qualities,
- presenting evidence of high mobility (inter or intrastate), and
- overcoming unusual odds/need.

II. Educational Data

School presently attending: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____ School Counselor: _____
Area Code Number

Grade Point Average: _____

ACT Score _____ SAT score _____ Compass Test Score: _____

Date Test Taken: _____ Migrant ID # _____

Anticipated Date of Graduation: _____

Educational Goal: _____

List any **financial aid or scholarships** you have received or anticipate receiving for your postsecondary education.

III. High School Activities (Grades 9 – 12)

Academic Achievements/Awards/Honors/Recognition

Grade

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Extracurricular Activities

Grade

Office Held

Community Service

Grade

Job Experience

Grade

IV. My Essay

Written by you, your essay is your **life story**. It must include an introduction; information about your family; your most challenging obstacle and how you overcame it; your goals/dreams; and a conclusion of why you need the scholarship. The essay must be typed, double spaced and no more than two pages long.

V. Letters of Recommendation

Please include letters from 2 adults who can speak to your character and academic effort.

VI. Attachments – Please attach the following:

- Copy of High School Transcript
- Copy of Attendance Record for the current year
- Copy of COE

Applicant agrees to the use of his/her name, likeness, personal essay and information contained in this application for educational, advertising, and promotional purposes for the **Stan Young Migrant Education Student Scholarship** and migrant education programs without further compensation or notification.

Signature of Applicant

Date

Signature of Migrant Personnel or School Official

Date

Signature of Parent or Guardian

Date