



## **Mahmoudi Scholarship for Justice**

The Mahmoudi Scholarship seeks talent irrespective of background in order to assist young scholars to advance justice as a means to build a global community based on unity and oneness.

The annual scholarship celebrates 15-18-year-olds who demonstrate academic excellence coupled with an exceptional approach to research and education projects that advance access to justice on community level. This may be include a research paper or community project findings on the application of social justice issues to decreasing racial, economic or gender inequality, or increasing access to education, work, health, shelter or food.

This scholarship offers one full term's tuition and accommodation fees at selected secondary schools in Asia and Africa according to scholarship budget criteria. Interested candidates must submit an application for the annual scholarship by 21 August. Following review by an independent committee, the results will be publicly announced on 27 December each year.

The Scholarship is an effort initiated by the Cambridge-based Ward & Brown Foundation and supported by the Oxford-based Zambian Gems Foundation, the California-based Full Circle Learning, and administered by an independent selection committee. For more information, please see: The Mahmoudi Scholarship or email us at [barnet@thewbf.org](mailto:barnet@thewbf.org)



In order to apply for the scholarship, all interested applicants must:

- Submit a complete copy of the application
- Possess and maintain an academic record of 75% or higher
- Demonstrate a commitment to increasing awareness and access to social justice through a community project lasting at least 12 weeks or a research paper based on local community statistics and dynamics on social justice
- Submit two letters of recommendation, one from a teacher and one from a community organisation regarding the efficacy of the submission

Please note incomplete applications will not be considered. All references must be sent directly from the referee's email account, and transcripts must be official and sent directly from the school.

**All documents must be submitted in PDF format, along with a cover letter, through email before 5:00 pm BST on 21 August, to Mahmoudi Scholarship Selection Committee at: [barnet@thewbf.org](mailto:barnet@thewbf.org)**

*Please note: in accordance with General Data Protection Regulation all personal data in this application package is shared with an external scholarship selection committee. However, following the selection of the scholarship recipient, all information pertaining to applicants are securely destroyed where it is decided that this and accompanying documents will not be further processed.*



## Mahmoudi Scholarship for Justice Application

### **School Details**

School Name:

Town/City:

Country:

School Email:

WhatsApp/Mobile Contact Number:

### **Regarding Scholarship Applicant:**

First Name:

Last Name:

Age:

Grade Level:

Gender:

How has the school supported the student's social justice initiative? (350 words)

To what extent was financial need a consideration in the recommendation? (350 words)

School's Money Exchange and/or Bank Wire Information

(e.g. SWFT code, account number and school address):

The school agrees to support and report on the student's progress, and to offer relevant service-learning opportunities.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Administrator (print)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date



## Student Application

First Name:

Last Name:

Age:

Grade Level:

Email:

WhatsApp/Mobile Number:

### Parent/Guardian

Contact Information:

Address:

Town/City:

State/Province:

Country:

Email:

WhatsApp/Mobile Number:

### Student Statement

Description of my Social Justice Research or Community Project Findings (1500 words plus documents, statistics and photos)

I certify that, if selected, I will exercise the opportunity to apply my learning toward the betterment of humankind.

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Student's Name (print)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date



## Recommendation Letter

Student's Name:

Recommender's Name:

Email:

WhatsApp/Mobile Number:

Town/City:

Country:

Use an additional page, if necessary, to remark on the following criteria:

1. Any known initiatives based on the student's interest in social justice (150 words)
2. Student skills employed through the initiative (300 words)
3. The student's capacities in academics (300 words)
4. The student's convictions and demonstrated commitment to social justice (300 words)
5. Community benefits of the student's initiative (500 words)

Additional Comments:

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Full Name (print)

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Signature

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Date