

Benefits



Yeshiva University Scholarship Program for Grandchildren of Long term Members of the Faculty and Staff

Please be advised, effective January 1, 2015, new applications for this scholarship program will be accepted based on new requirements stated below. Those currently in the program and approved as of fall 2014 will be allowed to continue through spring 2015 with no additional documentation. Any applications rejected for spring or fall 2014 can reapply for spring 2015 provided the requirements below are satisfied. The deadline to file an application for spring 2015 has been extended to January 15, 2015.

The Board of Trustees Executive Committee approved the establishment of a Scholarship Program, effective with the fall of 2001 semester, for the grandchildren of long-term members of the faculty and administration. This scholarship program was established to recognize the achievements of long-term members of the staff and to make it possible for their grandchildren to attend, without financial hardship, the institution that they helped to build over the last quarter of a century. The program will also encourage qualified students to enroll in the University, while it provides an incentive for members of the faculty and administration to become long-term staff members, so that their grandchildren can qualify for the program.

Basic Terms of the Program:

- To be eligible, the student must be a grandchild of an active or retired member of the faculty or administration, who has served YU on a full-time basis for no less than 25 consecutive years.
- The student must meet all admission requirements to one of the University's Undergraduate schools or the affiliated Yeshiva High Schools, enroll as a full-time student and maintain satisfactory academic standing while in attendance. Scholarship aid is available only for the fall and spring semester study at YU in New York City.
- Students must apply in writing each year for this Grandparent scholarship. The parent must demonstrate that after all other financial aid has been applied for and credited that there is still a financial hardship. Upon request, financial documentation to support the financial need test (i.e., FSAFA or High School equivalent) must be submitted or the award will be withdrawn.
- **The deadline for receipt of applications for the fall is June 30th. Applications for the spring semester must be received by November 30th. Applications submitted after the deadline will be processed only if funds are available.**

- Approved applications will be granted a scholarship award equal to 25% of the applicable tuition charge. To ensure the new scholarship program does not become a financial burden to the University, the maximum amount to be granted in any year, without regard to the number of applicants is \$250,000. In the event this amount is not adequate in any given year to provide the full 25% scholarship award, qualified students will, that year, receive a pro rata award.

- **The scholarship does not cover graduate or professional school tuition charges, not dormitory charges, meals or fees.**

Application forms may be obtained from and filed with the Human Resources Department which has been charged with the responsibility for the administration of this program. Please go to www.yu.edu/hr, then Benefits@YU, then Other Valuable Benefits to locate the scholarship application. If there are any questions prior to filing the completed application with the Human Resources Department, contact the Department directly at 718-430-2547.