2018–2019

Sister City Scholarship Application

Temple University offers scholarships of $10,000 to eligible freshman applicants from Philadelphia’s sister cities. Academic scholarships are limited to eight consecutive semesters of full-time enrollment. The scholarship is guaranteed for the first four consecutive semesters, at the end of which a 3.25 minimum GPA must be achieved and maintained in order to renew the scholarship for each of the last four consecutive semesters. The number of awards granted varies upon the quality of candidates and the funding available for each academic year.

This scholarship application should be submitted with your admissions application to the following address:

International Admissions
714 Carnell Hall, 1803 N. Broad St.
Temple University
Philadelphia, PA 19122-6096

Philadelphia’s Sister Cities:

- Abruzzo, Italy
- Aix-en-Provence, France
- Douala, Cameroon
- Florence, Italy
- Frankfurt am Main, Germany
- Incheon, Korea
- Kobe, Japan
- Nizhny Novgorod, Russia
- Tel Aviv–Yafo, Israel
- Tianjin, China
- Toruń, Poland

Eligibility Criteria:

- Attend or have graduated from a high school located in one of Philadelphia’s recognized sister cities.
- Be a citizen of the country in which the sister city is located.
- Have a High School GPA of least a 3.0 GPA and a TOEFL score of 79 or higher.*

*Requirements may be higher for certain majors.

Application Process:

1. Submit the international undergraduate admissions application along with official high school transcript and standardized test scores (SAT, ACT, TOEFL, IELTS, and/or PTE).
2. Submit the one-page Sister City Scholarship application with admissions application.
3. Receive notification of your award by March 1st.
4. Confirm your scholarship award by submitting a tuition deposit by May 1st.

Deadlines:

Application Deadline: February 1st
Enrollment Deposit Deadline: May 1st

Admissions decisions are made on a rolling basis. To check the status of your admissions and scholarship decision, please visit the TUportal https://tuportal.temple.edu.

Temple University International Admissions Contact Information:
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Email: international.admissions@temple.edu

Temple China Contact Information:
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B-1101 Tsinghua Tongfang Technology Plaza, Haidian, Beijing 100083, China
Tel: 86-10-82378802/ 83185878
Application (Please print clearly in ink or type responses)

1 Legal Name: ____________________________  ____________________________  ____________________________  
   Last (family)  First (given)  Middle (if none, indicate none)  

2 Mailing Address (for receipt of decision letter and other mailings throughout application process; no post office boxes):
   ______________________________________   ______________________________________  
   Street  Apartment name and number (if applicable)  
   ______________________________________   ______________________________________  
   City  Province or state  Postal or zip code  Country  

3 Email: ______________________________________  4 Telephone: ______________________________________  

5 Date of Birth: ____________________________  ____________________________  ____________________________  
   Month  Day  Year  

6 Sex: □ Male  □ Female  

7 Which semester and year are you applying for? □ Spring  □ Fall  ____________________________  
   Year: ____________________________  

8 Personal Statement (optional)

   Please choose one of the options below. Respond in the space provided, or attach your response to this application.

   1. Tell us about your city. What is unique about it? How do you think your city compares to Philadelphia?
   2. Provide a writing sample of your choice.

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I understand that any misrepresentation of facts on this application or withholding of information may be cause for refusal of admission, dismissal or other disciplinary action if subsequently discovered. I further understand that I have a continuing duty to promptly notify Temple of any subsequent information that would change, add to, or otherwise relate to this application or my admission status.

□ I authorize Temple University to share my contact information with Philadelphia's International Visitors Council, CDI Philadelphia.

X ______________________________________  ____________________________  
   Applicant’s Signature  Date  

(Note: unsigned applications will be returned for signature.)