

## YMBL Sunshine Foundation Scholarship Fund

### Purpose

The YMBL Sunshine Foundation scholarship program was established in 1992 by Golfsmith International. Scholarships are awarded to graduating high school seniors or high school graduates who have graduated within the previous four years, who have also graduated from one of Austin YMBL Sunshine Camps youth development programs. The YMBL Sunshine Foundation awards scholarships on an annual basis and the recipients are eligible to receive up to \$12,000 over four years.

### Selection Criteria

Students eligible to receive these awards must be graduating seniors or high school graduates who are within four years of when they graduated who have participated in Austin YMBL Sunshine Camps youth development programs for more than one year such as the Sunrise Challenge and Leadership Programs or the Sunshine<sup>4</sup> Afterschool Program. Students who have attended Austin YMBL Sunshine Camps summer camps program for 3 or more years are also eligible. Students who have graduated high school within the last four years are also eligible to apply.

Additional consideration will be given to students who have participated in the Junior Counselor and summer camp programs.

Applications are weighted and students who graduate from the Sunshine<sup>4</sup> Afterschool program and return to serve as volunteer mentors during their high school tenure will be given preference.

### Application Process

Applicants will submit a completed scholarship application to Austin YMBL Sunshine Camps by **Friday, March 16<sup>th</sup>, 2018**. The following documents must also be submitted with the application:

- Applicant's high school transcript
- Recommendation from a teacher or high school administrator
- Financial Worksheet – See Attached

Email, fax or mail completed applications to:

Jenny Stucky, Chief Operations Officer

[jenny@sunshinecamps.org](mailto:jenny@sunshinecamps.org)

**or**

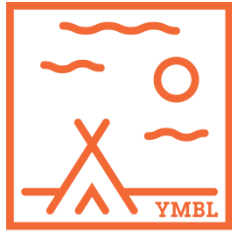
Fax: 512-472-8123

**or**

P.O. Box 161270

Austin, TX 78716

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**Austin  
Sunshine  
Camps**

**YMBL Sunshine Foundation Scholarship Fund  
Scholarship Application**

**Personal Information**

**Full Name:**

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*First*

*Middle Initial*

*Last*

**Address:**

\_\_\_\_\_

*Number*

*Street*

*City*

*State*

*Zip*

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Email Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date of Birth:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Educational Background**

Middle or Junior High School: \_\_\_\_\_

High School: \_\_\_\_\_

College, University or Vocational school you plan to attend: \_\_\_\_\_

School address:

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<i>Number</i>	<i>Street</i>	<i>City</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Zip</i>
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Anticipated graduation date: \_\_\_\_\_

Degree sought: \_\_\_\_\_

Academic distinctions, honors and awards received:

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**Community Service**

List any community service activities and the dates of service that you participated in during high school:

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**Work Experience**

List any work experience you have had:

Employer \_\_\_\_\_ Job Title \_\_\_\_\_

Start Date \_\_/\_\_/\_\_ End Date \_\_/\_\_/\_\_

Employer \_\_\_\_\_ Job Title \_\_\_\_\_

Start Date \_\_/\_\_/\_\_ End Date \_\_/\_\_/\_\_

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Start Date \_\_/\_\_/\_\_ End Date \_\_/\_\_/\_\_

**Austin Sunshine Camps**

Have you attended Austin Sunshine camps at Zilker Park?

- Yes                      Dates: \_\_\_\_\_
- No

Have you attended Austin Sunshine Camps at Lake Travis?

- Yes                      Dates: \_\_\_\_\_
- No

Did you participate in the Sunrise Challenge Program?

- Yes                      Dates: \_\_\_\_\_
- No

Did you participate in the Sunrise Leadership Program?

- Yes                      Dates: \_\_\_\_\_
- No
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Did you participate in the Sunshine<sup>4</sup> Afterschool Program?

- Yes                      Dates: \_\_\_\_\_
- No
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Were you a Junior Counselor?

- Zilker Park              Dates: \_\_\_\_\_
- Lake Travis              Dates: \_\_\_\_\_
- No



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What are your educational and professional goals? Where do you see yourself in ten years?

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What strengths or assets do you have that would help you contribute positively to your chosen profession?

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What do you believe will be the most challenging obstacle to overcome when transitioning from High School to college or vocational school and why?

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I hereby certify that the above information is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I give Austin YMBL Sunshine Camps, the Young Men’s Business League and the YMBL Sunshine Foundation permission to obtain and discuss information regarding my academic and or financial status.

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*Applicant Signature*

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

Financial Exercise

YMBL Sunshine Foundation Scholarship

The decision to attend college can be an exciting and scary one. One of the many variables involved is financing your education. Applying to receive the YMBL Sunshine Foundation Scholarship is a great step on your path to paying for college. We want to make sure that you enter the college experience fully aware of the financial expectations and potential resources available to you. Completing this exercise will help you start to think about those items and identify some additional resources available to you.

**Let's start by gathering some information about your family income. You may need to ask your parent/guardian to provide you with some information for this section.**

<b>Family Income</b>	
Total number of people living in household	
Parent/Guardian #1 annual income	\$
Parent/Guardian #2 annual income	\$
Other Income	\$
<b>Total Household Income</b>	<b>\$</b>

**How Much Does College Cost?**

Let's examine some of the major expenses you will have while attending college. For the purposes this exercise, you will identify the school you plan on attending (or one you have applied to) and use its website to answer the following questions:

1. Name of College You are applying to: \_\_\_\_\_
2. What is the cost of tuition and fees?

Per Semester	Per Year	Duration of School
\$	\$	\$

3. Use the internet to find the *Introduction to Psychology* Book with the following Identification: ISBN-13: 978-1111833633 (You can copy and paste this number into your search engine).

How much does this book cost?	\$
Given this example, how much might all of your books cost you <i>per semester</i> ?	\$
What are other school supplies you may have to purchase?	

4. Consider whether you plan living at home, paying rent, or living in student housing on campus. There are different costs associated with each of these. How much will housing cost you per semester?

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- 5. Food can be another major yearly expense, especially when you are living independently. Think about how you will get the majority of your meals. Will you be eating out, shopping and cooking for yourself, or eating at the dining hall on campus?

How Much Will Food Cost?		
Per Week	Per Semester	Per Year
\$	\$	\$

- 6. On average, how much do you spend on clothing, haircuts, and other personal care items per year?  
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- 7. What form of transportation do you use? \_\_\_\_\_

- 8. How much will this transportation cost you per semester? (Think about purchasing a bus pass, gas, car maintenance, bike maintenance, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

- 9. Do you have any yearly medical expenses? (Annual doctor visits, prescription medication, eye exams, dental visits, etc.) (Y/N).

- 10. On Average, how much do these items cost you per year? \_\_\_\_\_

**Now, let's look at some potential sources of income that may help you with your college costs. Please answer the following questions:**

- 1. Do you have any personal funds (cash or savings) that you will use to pay for college? (Y/N)

- 2. If yes, how much will you be able to contribute to your first year of college?  
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- 3. What is the web address for FAFSA, where you will go to apply for Federal Student Aid?  
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- 4. What are the deadlines for applying for Federal Student Aid?  
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- 5. Do you plan on having a job while you are in school? (Y/N)

- 6. If yes, how much do you think you will need to earn each semester?  
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- 7. Will your parents be giving you any money to pay for college expenses? (Y/N)

- 8. If yes, approximately how much per semester?  
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- 9. Have you already applied or will you be applying to additional scholarships? (Y/N)

- 10. Provide the name and web address for two additional scholarships you are eligible to apply for.  
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- 11. Are there any other sources of potential income you can think of that may help you pay for college?  
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