

TENNESSEE FOREIGN LANGUAGE INSTITUTE RASMUSSEN SCHOLARSHIP AWARD PROGRAM

Applications

*Phil Bredesen,
Governor*

*Janice Snow
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Executive
Director*

For your convenience, an electronic scholarship application is available. Download this application form from www.tfli.org or call (615)741.7579 to have it e-mailed, mailed or faxed to you. All information received, whether personal or financial, will be kept in strict confidence and only shared with the scholarship committee and executive director. Awards are based on the standard tuition rate of the preferred class. No discounts apply.

*Richard G.
Rhoda,
TN Higher
Education
Commission*

Guidelines

*Governing Board
Chair,
Matt Kisber*

1. Applicant must be a Tennessee resident.
2. Only **one application per family** may be accepted per semester.
3. All applications and requested documents are to be submitted **by the deadline** (below) to the:

**Scholarship Committee, Tennessee Foreign Language Institute
227 French Landing, Suite 100, Nashville, TN 37228**

*TN Department of
Economic and
Community
Development,
Charles Manning*

*TN Board of
Regents,
John D. Petersen*

4. If the applicant declines or has to cancel a registration, **No scholarship money can be applied to the next term** at the Institute. The applicant must reapply.

*University of
Tennessee,
Tim Webb*

5. Applicants chosen to participate in the program and awarded funds **are required to cover the remaining cost of the standard tuition** -no discounts apply- **and the cost of the materials** (textbooks and other supplemental) that accompany the class *unless purchased from another vendor*.

*TN Dept. of
Education,
Susan Whitaker*

6. Up to three scholarships may be awarded per applicant per academic year, each under separate application.

*TN Dept. of
Tourism,
Jeannine
De la Torre
Ugarte*

Criteria

In awarding the Rasmussen Scholarship, the Program Committee will take the following factors into consideration:

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1. Completion and inclusion of all required documents by deadline stated.
2. Total amount of the full tuition (no discounts apply) and cost of accompanying course materials.
3. Family size, income, and financial circumstances.
4. Motivation and purpose for the study of language.
5. Commitment to the study of choice at the Tennessee Foreign Language Institute.

Gloria Bishop

Please return this information by 5:00 PM on April 20, 2012.



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TENNESSEE FOREIGN LANGUAGE INSTITUTE
RASMUSSEN SCHOLARSHIP AWARD PROGRAM APPLICATION

Name _____ Date of Birth _____
Parent's Name (if applying for a child) _____
Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Cell Phone _____ Work Phone _____ E-mail _____

Required Information

Please setup an account in your name online and provide ALL of the following items along with this application:

- ___ 1. (a) resume, CV, or Personal History or (b) letter of support from a teacher (if applying for a child).
- ___ 2. List of (3) references with contact telephone numbers.
- ___ 3. Completed registration form or print out of on-line registration for the desired course.
- ___ 4. Brief essay (between 250-500 words) describing:
 - a. why you would like to take a particular course at the Tennessee Foreign Language Institute, and
 - b. any additional financial circumstances you wish to have considered.

Financial Information

Indicate which level below best describes your family's gross income and enter number of dependents here: _____

- ___ Less than \$10,000
- ___ \$10,000 – \$19,999
- ___ \$20,000 – \$29,999
- ___ \$30,000 – \$39,999
- ___ \$40,000 – \$49,999
- ___ \$50,000 + above

Provide one form of proof of financial status:

___ Copy of signed cover page of most recent tax return **OR** ___ Copies of last 2 pay stubs

Note: Any additional financial issues to be considered must be addressed in the brief essay within in this application.

Course Information

Please indicate which course you wish to take, **and include either** an online **or** paper registration form.

___ Registration form attached **OR** ___ On-line registration completed, print out attached

Without a completed registration, your application will not be considered. Include a second choice if any.

Course Name/Level or Class Code _____ **Location** _____

Please return requested documents to the following address no later than 5:00 PM, April 20, 2012:

**Rasmussen Scholarship Award Program
Tennessee Foreign Language Institute
227 French Landing, Suite 100 Nashville, TN 37228**

I certify that the information submitted is accurate. If chosen to participate in the Rasmussen Scholarship Award Program, I agree to pay any remaining tuition and for class materials (textbooks, etc.) if purchased through TFLI.

Signature _____ Date _____

All Materials must be received in our office by 5:00pm on April 20, 2012 for consideration. Thank you.