



# 2021 SUMMER CAMP SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

DISCOVERY WORLD SCIENCE + TECHNOLOGY CENTER

## Important note regarding the process:

Discovery World is able to offer a limited number of scholarships thanks to the generosity of our donors and partners who have contributed to the Discovery World Access Fund. Scholarships are provided on a first-come, first-served basis. In order to qualify for a scholarship, applicants must:

- Submit a completed application
- Submit a letter or drawing from the student
- Submit a demonstration of financial need
- Have access to transportation to and from Discovery World for the duration of the camp
- Commit to attending the entire camp
- Be willing and able to adhere to all COVID-19 safety policies. Please visit [www.discoveryworld.org/summercamp](http://www.discoveryworld.org/summercamp) to review the entire COVID-19 policy before submitting this form

All completed scholarship applications with documents can be sent via e-mail to [scholarships@discoveryworld.org](mailto:scholarships@discoveryworld.org), sent to Discovery World Education, 500 N. Harbor Dr., Milwaukee, WI 53202, or faxed to 414-765-0311.

## How much will the scholarship cover?

Scholarships will cover between 50% and 80% of the camp tuition. Scholarships are distributed on a sliding scale based on financial need. You are responsible for paying the remaining camp balance not covered by the scholarship. Please note, scholarships **do not** cover additional material fees, transportation costs, or extended care session fees. In addition, scholarships are not available for Learn to Sail camps.

## How many weeks of camp can I apply for?

In order for our funding to reach as many families as possible, we will award each individual up to one (1) camp. Please select multiple camps of interest in case your first choice camp is already full. Each child may be awarded up to one (1) camp, based on availability.

## Can I apply for more than one child?

Yes! Please submit one completed application per child. One copy of acceptable income documentation is suitable for multiple children in the family.

## What are acceptable forms of income documentation?

For examples of acceptable income documentation, please see "Part 3" on the application. **Black out all sensitive personal information** (for example, social security numbers, bank account numbers, etc.) if you are submitting tax returns. All information submitted as part of the application process will be kept confidential.

## How/when will I be notified about my scholarship?

Applications will be accepted beginning February 15<sup>th</sup>, 2021. All applicants will be notified within three (3) weeks of submission. You will be notified of scholarship acceptance via e-mail. Please include a **valid and clearly printed** e-mail address that you look at frequently in order to receive scholarship information.

## My application has been accepted. Now what?

If you receive a scholarship, you will be required to pay the remaining balance of the camp, and, if applicable, any additional materials fee. You will also be required to complete a Camp Emergency Contact Form and other camp documents. Your reserved summer camp spot will be held for three (3) weeks after you receive a scholarship acceptance e-mail. You **must** submit payment **and** completed Summer Camp forms within three (3) weeks of your acceptance email, otherwise the scholarship will be forfeit and your place will no longer be held.



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Please submit one completed application per child.

## PART ONE

### CHILD INFORMATION (PLEASE PRINT)

CHILD'S FULL NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ CHILD'S BIRTH DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

GRADE LEVEL CHILD WILL ENTER IN FALL OF 2021: \_\_\_\_\_

PRIMARY GUARDIAN FULL NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE : \_\_\_\_\_

MAILING ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_ CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

## PART TWO

### ALL PERSONS LIVING IN THIS HOUSEHOLD

List all persons living in the household.

FULL NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ AGE: \_\_\_\_\_

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## PART THREE

### DOCUMENTATION OF FINANCIAL NEED

Applicants must submit one of the following. Please select which item you are providing below.

**NOTE: PLEASE BLACK OUT SENSITIVE PERSONAL INFORMATION (FOR EXAMPLE, SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBERS, BANK ACCOUNT NUMBERS, ETC.) WHEN SUBMITTING TAX FORMS. All application materials will be kept confidential.**

I am submitting:

- Most recent 1040 Federal Tax Form(s) for all income in the household
- Pay stubs demonstrating previous 30 days of income
- Documentation of participation in FoodShare, Wisconsin Works Program, TANF, or other programs
- SSI/SSDI/Pension Report
- Unemployment Insurance (UI) Benefit Report
- Financial Aid Budget Breakdown/Award Letter from College or University
- Copy of WIC card

Total Gross Annual Household Income: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

### OFFICE USE ONLY

Family Size (A/C): \_\_\_\_\_ Gross Annual Income: \_\_\_\_\_ Percent Awarded: \_\_\_\_\_

Camps: 1. \_\_\_\_\_ Total Owed: \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_ Staff Initials: \_\_\_\_\_

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## PART FOUR

### CAMP SELECTION

Write the camp name and camp dates that you are applying for in order of preference, with 1 being the top choice. It is recommended to provide several camp choices in case the first choice is unavailable.

*Please note: Applications without specific camp and date selections will not be considered.*

NAME OF CAMP

DATE OF CAMP

1.	_____	_____
2.	_____	_____
3.	_____	_____
4.	_____	_____
5.	_____	_____

To see the complete Discovery World summer camp schedule, please visit [www.discoveryworld.org/summercamp](http://www.discoveryworld.org/summercamp)

## PART FIVE: TO BE COMPLETED BY THE CHILD APPLYING FOR SCHOLARSHIP

Please use a separate sheet of paper and write a letter or draw a picture that answers one or more of these questions:

- What do you want to learn at Discovery World summer camp?
- Why do you want to come to Discovery World summer camp?

## PART SIX

### SIGNATURE AND COMPLETION

I certify that the above information is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and that I do not have additional income not represented above. I have provided all documentation requested. I agree, if necessary, to send additional information and documentation to support the above statements. In addition, I have read and understand the information provided on the reverse side of this application. **I understand and agree that all decisions made by Discovery World with respect to the granting of scholarships under this program are final, and that Discovery World may grant and use scholarship funds at its sole and absolute discretion, subject only to compliance with applicable laws.** I understand that if I receive and accept a Summer Camp scholarship but do not attend the week of my reservation, I will not be eligible for future scholarships.

FULL NAME (PRINT): \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

Please forward any questions, comments, or concerns to: [scholarships@discoveryworld.org](mailto:scholarships@discoveryworld.org)