



## Application Instructions - 2012 Ionian Village FAITH Scholarship

Attached is a Checklist and Application for the 2012 Ionian Village FAITH Scholarship. Candidates must submit a completed application plus all required documentation (as detailed on the Checklist) to the Scholarship Committee. **Applications are two pages long and must be filled out in their entirety with all required documentation included (see Checklist). Please print clearly. It is the responsibility of the applicant to insure that their application is complete. Make sure you include the Checklist as the top page of your submission. The committee will not consider incomplete applications. The deadline for submissions is Friday, March 30, 2012.**

Selection of the recipients will be based on the following criteria:

- Candidates must be of the Greek Orthodox faith
- At the time of application, candidates must be a Greek Orthodox student between the ages of 13 - 18 years old (**no exceptions**).
- Candidates **must be citizens or permanent residents** of the United States.
- **Candidates must provide evidence of financial need (tax returns).**
- 2 letters of recommendation. Please ask your Parish priest or Church Lay Leader **and** your teacher/professor/principal to write a letter of recommendation for you. Make sure that they include their full name, address and telephone number where they can be reached.
- Candidates must submit a completed application to the Scholarship Committee. Applications must be filled out in their entirety and include all the required documentation as highlighted on the Checklist. **The committee will not consider incomplete applications.**

If there are any questions, please e-mail us at [ionianvillage@goarch.org](mailto:ionianvillage@goarch.org) or call (212) 570-3538.

Completed applications must be sent to: **Ionian Village FAITH Scholarship, Attn: Fr. Evagoras Constantinides, Director of Ionian Village, 8 East 79<sup>th</sup> Street, New York, NY, 10075.**

**Scholarship submissions must be postmarked by the March 30, 2012 DEADLINE.**

**Incomplete applications or late submissions will NOT be accepted by the committee.**

**The Ionian Village Scholarships are underwritten by  
FAITH: *An Endowment for Orthodoxy and Hellenism***

# 2012 Ionian Village FAITH Scholarship



## Applicant Information

**Applicant Instructions:** Please complete all sections of this application, sign it, and return it along with all required documents. Please note that incomplete applications will not be considered for an award. Applications must be postmarked by **Friday, March 30, 2012**. Late submissions will not be accepted by the Scholarship Committee.

➤ Send this application and all required documents to the **Ionian Village FAITH Scholarship, Attn: Fr. Evagoras Constantinides, Director of Ionian Village, 8 East 79<sup>th</sup> Street, New York, NY 10075**.

For additional inquiries, please call (212) 570-3536

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| <b>Applicant's Name</b><br>(Last, First, Middle)<br>_____                                      | <b>Social Security Number</b><br>_____ -- ____ -- _____  |
| <b>Mailing Address</b><br>Street/P.O. Box _____<br>City _____<br>State _____<br>ZIP Code _____ | <b>Telephone Numbers</b> (include area codes)<br>Daytime (    )    --<br>Evening (    )    --  |
| <b>E-mail</b><br>_____   | <b>Citizenship:</b> please check one box<br><input type="checkbox"/> U.S. Citizen <b>or</b><br><input type="checkbox"/> Permanent Resident<br><b>Date of Birth</b> (MM/DD/YYYY) _____<br><b>Place of Birth</b> _____ |

## EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE

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| <b>Name of High School currently attending</b><br><br><b>Address</b><br><br>Date of graduation: _____<br>Grade currently in: _____ | <b>Current Scholastic Standing:</b><br>GPA Score: _____ points out of _____ points<br><small>(i.e. 3.75 pts out of 4 pts)</small><br>Weighted GPA Score: _____ points out of _____ points<br>Letter Grade Average: _____ Rank in Class: _____ out of _____<br><br><b>Attach all transcripts</b> |
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**Family Information**

**Parent(s) Marital Status:** (Check applicable box.)  Married/Remarried  Single  Divorced/Separated  Widowed

**Total Family Size, including yourself:** (Number) \_\_\_\_\_

**List of Dependents (other than applicant):** Children 18 years of age and younger, and/or children or other relative(s) receiving support from parent(s)

Full Name Age

**Special Family Status/Circumstances (please explain below, or attach a brief explanation):** Applicant is  Adopted  Orphan or, Parents are  65 years of age and over  Disabled parent(s), or  Other situation or  non of the above applies

**What Parish are you and your family a member of? City/State?**

**What organizations within your Church are you involved in?**

**Parent Information**

Father (Name)

Mother (Name)

Address (City and State Only)

Address (City and State Only)

**Parent Employment Information**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Current Occupation No. of Yrs.

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Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

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Previous Occupation No. of Yrs.

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**In 250 words or more write an essay as to why you should receive a scholarship to Ionian Village & discuss the role of Orthodoxy and Hellenism in your life.**

**[Please type and submit on a separate page.]**

**How did you hear about this Scholarship opportunity?**

**IMPORTANT:** Ionian Village reserves a limited number of spaces during each session for campers who are awarded FAITH scholarships. Please indicate which session you are applying to attend. Ionian Village and FAITH work together to fulfill as many scholarships and session requests as possible, although based on the high registration demands inherent to the Ionian Village program, requests may not always be able to be fulfilled.

**I would prefer to attend:**

**Session one: Summer Travel Camp** \_\_\_\_\_

**Session two: Byzantine Venture** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent(s)' Gross Annual Income**

Estimate for 2012 and 2011, if necessary. (Must be completed if you receive any support you're your parent(s) and/or if you are a dependent.)

2012 \$ \_\_\_\_\_ .00

2011 \$ \_\_\_\_\_ .00

2010 \$ \_\_\_\_\_ .00

**\*\* Attach copy of most current tax forms**

**Student Gross Annual Income**

Estimate for 2012 and 2011, if necessary.

2012 \$ \_\_\_\_\_ .00

2011 \$ \_\_\_\_\_ .00

2010 \$ \_\_\_\_\_ .00

**Student Hours Worked:**

\_\_\_\_\_ hours per week.

paid or  volunteer/ intern

**Attach copy of most current tax forms.**

Have you **applied** for the Ionian Village Scholarship before?

Yes  No

**Year(s) of Application:** \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*If yes, are you a previous recipient of an award?**

Yes  No

**Year(s) of Award:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Amount(s) Awarded:** \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*Please note, if you are a past recipient of the Ionian Village FAITH Scholarship you *may* not be eligible to receive an award for 2012; however, you are still encouraged to apply.**

**2012 Ionian Village FAITH Scholarship**  
**AUTHORIZATION AND CERTIFICATION**

I authorize the Greek Orthodox Archdiocese of America (GOA) to release application information, including copies of my application and my test scores, to the **Ionian Village FAITH Scholarship Committee (IVSC)** or agent thereof.

I agree to have the GOA and/or the IVSC or agent thereof to verify any and all of the application information given, including pertinent personal and financial information. The GOA and/or IVSC or agent thereof may contact my employer(s), references, as well as schools cited herein to substantiate this information. I also understand that I may be required to authenticate the information given by submitting copies of financial records, or any other relevant document(s) or statement(s).

I hereby certify that the information provided in this application is accurate and that I am the author of the attached essay. I understand that if any information is found to be inaccurate or incomplete, the IVSC will deny me an award.

If awarded the Ionian Village FAITH Scholarship, I authorize the Greek Orthodox Archdiocese of America to publicize my being a recipient.

**Signature of Applicant** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature of Parent or Guardian** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_



## 2012 Ionian Village FAITH Scholarship

### Application Checklist

**Please print your name:** \_\_\_\_\_. Use this Checklist to make sure all parts of your application have been completed and all required documentation is included in the packet you send to us. Please print clearly. This Checklist must be included with your completed application and all necessary documents. The deadline for submissions is **Friday, March 30, 2012**. The Scholarship Committee will not accept late applications nor will they consider incomplete submissions. Send the whole packet to:

**Ionian Village FAITH Scholarship  
Attn: Fr. Evagoras Constantinides  
Director of Ionian Village  
8 East 79th Street  
New York, NY 10075**

#### **Checklist: Have you enclosed the following:**

- A completely filled out application**
- Complete Academic Records** (high school transcripts)
- A copy of your Income tax returns** – Your parent's return if a dependent and your return if you worked.
- A copy or transcript of your **Baptismal or Chrismation Certificate**
- Two (2) Letters of Recommendation as detailed in the application procedures.**  
They are to be from 1) a teacher/professor/principal 2) An Orthodox Clergyman or Church Lay Leader
- Your Scholarship Essay**
- An Optional Personal Statement**
- Have you completed your **checklist (return with the packet) and signed the application/release form?**

**Deadline for submission of applications: Friday, March 30, 2012**

**NOTE: All of the above checklist items must be included for the proper processing of your application.**

**Please return this Checklist with your application materials.**