



Global Leadership Academy 2023 Scholarship Information

What kind of scholarships do you offer?

In order to allow as many youth as possible to have access to our program, we offer both partial scholarships and full tuition scholarships.

Partial scholarships: We award smaller scholarships of varying amounts on a rolling basis throughout the year.

Large scholarships: We judge and award larger scholarships (50-100% of the tuition fee) after the scholarship application deadline of March 31, 2023. These scholarships are highly competitive and all applicants are considered, including applicants who have already accepted a smaller scholarship. If you are only interested in a large scholarship, please indicate this within your essay/video.

Please note: GLA scholarships do not include the cost of airfare or travel to/from your home country to the program, nor do they cover the cost of visas or related documents.

Please note: We do not offer scholarships for the GLA + Tour packages, only the 2-week GLA program.

How do I apply for a scholarship to attend GLA?

To apply for a scholarship, we require that you complete the following two steps:

1. Apply for the program online, indicating your desired location and dates.
2. Email us a written essay or a link to a video that you have made that answers the following questions:
 - Why are you so interested in attending the Powerful Youth's leadership programs?
 - What sort of clubs, social activities, community service, or sports have you been involved with, and what have you learned?
 - What is a strength that you have already as a leader?
 - Why should we select you to receive a scholarship?

Feel free to be creative and fun, but make sure to answer the questions as best you can. The file can be attached to an email so long as it is no larger than 2 MB. Again, if you are sending a video you will have to send a link to a video that you have uploaded to an online site such as YouTube, Vimeo, Google Drive, WeTransfer, etc. Please submit your scholarship essay or video link by email to info@powerfulyouth.com.

How do you judge scholarship applications?

We award scholarships on the basis of leadership experience, leadership potential and motivation, and depending on the scholarship amount, financial need.