

Kennedy-Lugar Youth Exchange and Study (YES) Program

STUDENT APPLICATION FORM



The **DEADLINE** to apply is **Monday, November 28, 2016**

Instructions:

1. Answer **ALL** of the questions from the **nine** sections below. **INCOMPLETE** applications will **NOT** be considered.
2. Provide an official transcript of school grades of the **last three years** (preferably in English).
3. Provide a **current** passport-size photo.
4. Provide a copy of your Lebanese or residency ID.
5. Applicants can submit the application online to lebanon@amideast.org, deliver it in person to AMIDEAST, send it through the school, or mail the application to the following address:
AMIDEAST PO BOX 11-2190, Beirut 1107 2100

STUDENT DATA

First Name:	Middle Name:	Last Name:
Email:	Gender:	Male Female
Home Address:		
Street:		
City:	Country:	
Home Phone:	Mobile:	Fax:
Birth Date: Month:	Day:	Year: City of Birth:
Country of Birth:	Are you Lebanese?	Yes No
Do you have another nationality?	Yes No	If yes, which one?
Do you or any of your immediate family members (father, mother, brother or sister):		
Have a U.S. citizenship?	Yes	No
Have legal permanent residence status (green card) for the U.S.?	Yes	No
Hold a U.S. residency visa?	Yes	No
Have ever submitted a green card application?	Yes	No

EDUCATION

Name of Current School:

School Director's Name:

School Address:

School Phone: Type of School (check one): Public Private

Current Grade Level: Number of Years of English Study:

Last Year's Grade Average: Last Year's English Grade Average:

Did you participate in the English Access Microscholarship Program (Access)? Yes No

INTERESTS AND HOBBIES – *To be completed by student*

List all school and extracurricular activities and hobbies in which you have participated.
Start with the most recent:

Activity	/	/	/
	Number of	Month/Year	Month/Year
	Hours/Week	Started	Ended

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	Hours/Week	Started	Ended

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Have you received any awards, or do you have any outstanding achievements in the activities listed above?

Name of Award/Achievement	/	/
	Reason for receiving award	Date received

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Are there any activities you would especially like to pursue or learn while being an exchange student in the U.S.?

FUTURE PLANS

Do you intend to continue your education upon completion of secondary school?

Yes No

If yes, where?

What do you intend to study?

What are your future job or career plans?

HOW DID YOU LEARN ABOUT THE YES SCHOLARSHIP? (Check ALL boxes that apply)

Your School

TV Show: (if yes, which one?)

Facebook

Radio Ad: (if yes, which one?)

U.S. Embassy Website

Newspaper: (if yes, which one?)

AMIDEAST Website

Website Ad:(if yes, which one?)

Previous YES student(s)

YES Program Brochure/Application

Other (please describe):

SHORT ESSAYS

Please answer the following questions on a separate sheet of paper. There are no "right" or "wrong" answers - only information that will help us to understand you better as an individual.

Please answer the questions thoroughly (minimum 1 paragraph per question).

- 1) What if your host family in the U.S. was very busy, and they did not seem to have time to talk or spend time with you? What would you do?
- 2) Describe a recent time when a parent or a friend made a decision you didn't agree with. How did you react? What did you learn?

PARENTS' CONSENT—To be completed and signed by parents

اسم الابن أو الابنة:

أسمح لابني / ابنتي بالتقدم والمشاركة في تجربة الدراسة الدولية التي ترعاها مؤسسات AMIDEAST, American Councils, AFS Intercultural Programs, iEARN, and IOWA Resource for International Service.

التاريخ:

توقيع الوالد / الوالي: