

# **New Vision Wilderness Scholarship Application Packet**

NVW offers students the opportunity to learn and grow using the wilderness as a catalyst for success. Our scholarship program is built off of the idea that all individuals have the right to experience the opportunity to experience adventure, self growth, change, and leadership through the wilderness, regardless of financial ability.

Scholarships are based on financial need and student motivation. The average scholarship award is 30% of the course tuition. Please apply early, as scholarships are awarded on a first come first serve basis.

## **How to apply for a NVW scholarship:**

### **Step 1: Complete Intake Packet and Scholarship Packet**

- Page 1: Need/Annual Income/Annual Expenses
- Page 2: Acknowledgement/Parent Essay
- Page 3: Participant Essay
- Copy of your recent 1040 Federal Tax Form

### **Step 2: Submit your COMPLETED scholarship Application Form and Intake Packet.**

### **Step 3: Receive a scholarship Award Agreement within 7-14 business days after receiving your Application.**

### **Step 4: Return completed NVW Scholarship agreement form.**

- Note: failure to return completed scholarship award Agreement within 10 days of offer will result in forfeiture of your scholarship and spot on course.



## Scholarship Application

Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Course Dates: \_\_\_\_\_

### Estimate of Need

Course Tuition: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount I can provide: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount of Aid from other sources (school, social services, etc): \_\_\_\_\_

Net Amount needed as scholarship: \_\_\_\_\_

### Marital Status

Participant lives with: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Participant: \_\_\_\_\_

Married  Not Married  (check one)

### All Children in Your Family

Name	Age

### Annual Household Income

	Parent/Guardian	Spouse (Required if Married)	Applicant
Annual Income			
Other Income Assistance (Medicare, Child Support, Welfare, etc)			
Total Annual Income:			

### Annual Household Expenses

<b>Annual Expenses</b>	Parent/Guardian	Spouse (Required if Married)	Applicant
Rent/Mortgage			
Utilities			
Food, Clothing			
Other annual Bills (cable, entertainment, etc.)			
Total Annual Expenses:			

## Financial Acknowledgement

- The information I provided is true and complete to the best of my knowledge
- I understand that NVW will be using the information I provided as a complete and accurate statement of my financial situation. I understand that withholding any financial information from NVW could affect my participation with New Vision Wilderness.
- I have attached a copy of my most recent 1040 tax return

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

## Parent/Guardian Scholarship Essay

Please explain in detail your financial needs. Be sure to include how this expedition will benefit your child/student. *(Attach additional pages in necessary).*

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

## Student/Participant Scholarship Essay

1. Was it your decision to attend a New Vision Wilderness Expedition?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_

No \_\_\_\_\_

Please write an essay that reflects your motivation for a scholarship with NVW. Please answer the following questions within your essay. *(Please attach additional pages if necessary)*

*What are your goals for your New Vision Wilderness Expedition?*

*What leadership skills can you bring to a New Vision Wilderness Expedition?*

*Why is attending a New Vision Expedition important to you?*

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

<i>For Office Use Only</i>
Date Received _____
Course Date _____
Date Notified _____
Date Accepted _____