

# Scholarship to Sixth Form, academic year 2021/2022

## Why does the Swedish School in London offer scholarships?

In Sweden, the students' home municipality pays for their education in Sixth Form. The student's school receives a grant from the home municipality, based on what a school place costs at the maintained school in that municipality. However, far from all municipalities agree to transfer the school grant to the Swedish schools in London.

The purpose of our scholarship is, therefore, to enable current <u>exchange students</u> to stay longer than they otherwise might have been able to at the Swedish School in London, regardless of which home municipality the student and his/her family is registered in.

## Who is eligible to apply?

In order to be eligible to apply for the scholarship, you must fulfil all of the following criteria:

- Be or have been an exchange student at the Swedish School in London
- Be <u>registered</u> in a home municipality that does <u>not</u> offer school grants ("skolpeng") at all, or for a second or third school year.

#### What does the scholarship cover?

The annual school fees for Sixth form at the Swedish School in London is £10.600 for the academic year 2021/2022.

Student(s) receiving the scholarship will only pay £3000 in school fees for the academic year (£1500 per semester). This is equivalent to what students receiving school grants ("skolpeng")from their Swedish municipalities pay in annual school fees.

In addition to this, the student is also invoiced for accommodation in one of the school's host families if they do not have approved private accommodation arranged.

## How to apply?

Please submit your application before 31 March 2021, by sending in the following documents in English to <a href="mailto:jabrahamsson@swedishschool.org.uk">jabrahamsson@swedishschool.org.uk</a>

- Grade transcript from Secondary School (year 9) and if applicable grade transcript from Sixth Form if you have also attended another school.
- Personal statement in English where you describe:
  - Why you are applying for the scholarship
  - o What your goals for the future are
  - What another year at the Swedish School in London would mean for you and your future



• If you were to be awarded the scholarship, in what way would you contribute to the school's ethos and culture?

## How is my application assessed and by whom?

Registered applications are processed by a committée consisting of the:

- Headteacher
- Deputy Headteachers for Sixth Form
- Host Family Coordinator

Applications are assessed based on the following criteria:

- Does the student fulfill the application criteria (see above)?
- Grade average from year 9 and if applicable from Sixth Form, in order to look at the student's development.
- Attendance during the current academic year.
- The student's role as a positive representative for SSL.
- The motive for applying for the scholarship.

## When do I get to know whether or not I have been awarded a scholarship?

Applicants are notified by email about the scholarship committée's decision no later than 30 April 2021.