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## Luminari ESL Award Student Application

Thank you for entering the Eighth annual *Luminari ESL Award* essay competition! We are excited to offer one winner a full scholarship valued at \$1,200.\* If you are judged to be the winner, you will be a prestigious *Luminari ESL Award* Scholar and will participate in the 2019 ***I Want to be an Ambassador!*** camp to take place in Pittsburgh and Washington, D.C., from June 11-19.

**What is Luminari?** *Luminari* is a Pittsburgh-based nonprofit organization founded to support and create activities that broaden minds, inspire innovations and promote community engagement. (See [www.luminari.org](http://www.luminari.org))

The ***I Want to be an Ambassador!*** camp is a unique and very dynamic seven-day camp focusing on the vital art and skills of diplomacy. Through interactive and hands-on activities, field trips, dialogues with diplomats and business leaders, and simulations of international crises, you will learn the life skills crucial for successful interactions at school, at home and in the community in which you live.

To apply, please follow these three steps:

- Write, by hand, a one-page essay describing your interest in diplomacy and ways in which you will benefit from the ***I Want to be an Ambassador!*** camp. Sign the essay.
- Sign the application and have your parent or legal guardian sign it as well.
- Return the completed essay and application to your ESL teacher no later than **December 3**.

**Please note** that although only one student will receive the *Luminari ESL Award*, all completed student applications will be considered by *Luminari* for acceptance into the 2019 camp, and need-based scholarships will be offered to qualified applicants. ESL administrators will select one winner from among all applicants. The *Luminari ESL Award* winner will be announced in February 2019.

For further information, please call 412.877.1888, e-mail [luminari@luminari.org](mailto:luminari@luminari.org), or visit us at: [www.luminari.org/teens-learn-the-vital-art-of-diplomacy/](http://www.luminari.org/teens-learn-the-vital-art-of-diplomacy/)

*\*This scholarship is non-transferable and can only be redeemed for admission to the 2019 I Want to be an Ambassador! camp. No substitutions, exchanges or cash prizes will be awarded.*

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## ***APPLICATION FOR LUMINARI AWARD***

Applicant's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Day Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Evening Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date \_\_\_\_\_

School \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

How did you learn about this scholarship opportunity? \_\_\_\_\_

***If I, the student applicant, am selected to be a Luminari Award Scholar:***

- I agree to attend all sessions of the 2019 ***I Want to be an Ambassador!*** camp.
- I will arrive on time, be prepared to participate fully, and abide by the rules of conduct as set by *Luminari*.

By signing and returning this application, I acknowledge that I have read and understood it, and I agree to the terms and conditions above.

**Mail to Luminari, PO Box 81603 Pittsburgh, PA 15217**

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Student's Signature                      Date

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Parent or Guardian's signature      Date

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Print name

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Print name

## ***Luminari Award Application Essay***

Please use this page to describe your interest in the subject matter and ways in which you will benefit from this program. **Your essay must be HANDWRITTEN and signed by both you and your parent or legal guardian.**