American Museum & Natural History

YOUTH INITIATIVES: EDUCATION DEPARTMENT TUITION AID APPLICATION FORM

TO BE COMPLETED BY PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN

The Museum provides tuition assistance on a limited basis to those who are genuinely in need. Please complete the following questions completely, honestly and accurately to help us evaluate your financial need. One form per student. We **cannot consider** applications with incomplete or unexplained items. Please print clearly. This information will be kept confidential and only shared among staff within the Education Department of the Museum as necessary to assess need and award tuition assistance.

Name of Program Applying to: _					
Dates of Program:					
Student: Last Name:	First Name:	Date of Birth:			
With which parents or guardians does the student live?					
Parent/Legal Guardian (1):					
Last Name:	First Name:				
Address:			_		
Home Phone:	Cell Phone:	E-mail Address:	_		
Relationship to student:					
Parent/Legal Guardian (2):					
Last Name:	First Name:				
Address:			_		
Home Phone:	Cell Phone:	E-mail Address:			
Relationship to student:					

Please be reminded that we cannot consider applications unless the following items are completed and the requested documentation provided.

HOUSEHOLD INFORMATION

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

Does your household receive any forms of public assistance? Please check all that apply.

 \circ None \circ Section 8 housing \circ Food Stamps \circ Unemployment \circ Social Security \circ Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) \circ Other (Please explain below or on a separate sheet):

ANNUAL HOUSEHOLD INCOME						
Is the student's parent or legal guardian, an employee of the American Museum of Natural History? \Box Yes \Box No						
Annual (joint) income* of Parent(s)/Legal Guardian(s):						
* "Annual joint income" is the joint income earned after taxes (including, but not limited to, wages, interest and dividends, income from property).						
If Parent(s)/Legal Guardian(s) are living in separate households, please supply information for both.						
DEPENDENTS Total Number of Dependents** Number of Dependent Children						
** "Number of dependents" is defined as the number of people who are financially supported by the parent(s) or custodial guardian(s).						
VERIFICATION OF INCOME DOCUMENTATION						
Please attach a copy of one or more of the following, with all Social Security or Individual Tax ID Numbers <i>blacked out</i> .						
Income Tax Return (Household annual adjusted Income found on line 37 or IRS form or line 21 on 1040A						
Electronic Benefit Transfer (EBT)						
Other Forms of Public Assistance						
Current pay stub						
Letter from Employer verifying weekly, monthly or annual income						

Unemployment benefit verification (past or current)

Please explain anything else we should consider in assessing your request for tuition assistance _

CERTIFICATION

I (We) certify that the information on this form is complete and correct to the best of my (our) knowledge

Parent/Legal Guardian #1 Signature:		Date:
Parent/Legal Guardian #2 Signature: _		Date:

MAILING INSTRUCTIONS

When submitting your document you may choose one of the following methods:

1. Email - Scan Tuition Aid Application Form, along with the verification of income form(s) and email to svalvano@amnh.org

2. Regular Mail - Mail Tuition Aid Application Form, along with the verification of income form(s) to:

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