

EXSSA-USA DREAMERS SCHOLARSHIP 2021:

APPLY BELOW

Overview

Ex-Saker Students Association U.S.A (Ex-SSA, USA), is proud to announce the newly established ***Dreamers Scholarship Fund***. This fund provides scholarships for academically qualified female students in primary school in Cameroon, with extreme and prolonged unusual financial challenges, who would otherwise not be able to afford a secondary school education, let alone a quality education program in a boarding secondary school like Saker Baptist College. This is a limited opportunity that will only be available to three students this year but one that we hope to expand, with additional support from our community, in the coming years. While the underlying eligibility for this scholarship is extreme and prolonged unusual financial challenges, each year we may decide to focus on a specific disenfranchised group. This year our target group is “Internally Displaced Persons” (IDPs). The successful students will be awarded full scholarships for seven years in Saker Baptist College, from form one to upper sixth. This scholarship also ensures that the successful students are catered for holistically to ensure continued success in the classroom. The deadline for applying to the 2021 Dreamers Scholarship is ***30th April, 2021***.

Who is Eligible to Apply in 2021?

1. Young girls in class six, the terminal class in primary school, who will be taking the Government Common Entrance exam this year, 2021. However, to be considered, they must pass the common entrance with outstanding scores.
2. Young internally displaced girls who passed the government common entrance exam last year, 2020, with outstanding scores but were unable to enroll in secondary school or a quality boarding school due to extreme and unusual financial hardship.
3. Eligible pupils must be recognized as Internally Displaced Persons (IDP) from the ongoing violence in the Southwest and Northwest regions of Cameroon. In addition, they should be able to prove continuous extreme and unusual financial hardship to receive the scholarship

(Preference would be given to applicants who are registered as IDPs and living in Centers of Vulnerable Persons or with non-relatives.)

Note: *Current students attending Saker Baptist College are **NOT** eligible for the 2021 ExSSA USA, Dreamers Scholarship Program.*

EXSSA-USA DREAMERS SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION **FORM, 2021**

If you have any trouble completing this form please send an email with your question to DreamersSF@exssa-usa.org.

DEADLINE TO SUBMIT COMPLETED APPLICATION: 30TH APRIL, 2021. Applicants must submit an answer for all questions marked with an asterisk (*).

Section A:

- 1. NAME OF APPLICANT AS IT APPEARS ON BIRTH CERTIFICATE. ***

- 2. DATE OF BIRTH (DAY/MONTH/YEAR). ***

- 3. NAME AND LOCATION OF CURRENT PRIMARY SCHOOL OR SCHOOL WHERE YOU WROTE THE COMMON ENTRANCE EXAM. ***

- 4. NAME AND LOCATION OF PRIMARY SCHOOL PRIOR TO BECOMING AN Internally Displaced Person (IDP).**

- 5. ARE YOU REGISTERED AS AN IDP? WHERE ARE YOU REGISTERED, IF APPLICABLE?**

- 6. CONTACT INFORMATION FOR APPLICANT: ***
(Add name of contact person if different from applicant)
Email:
Phone number:
City/Province where you live:

- 7. NAMES OF PARENT(S) OR GUARDIAN(S). ***

8. ARE PARENTS ALIVE OR DECEASED? *

9. LOCATION AND PROFESSION OF PARENTS, IF ALIVE.

10. NAME OF PERSON HELPING APPLICANT IN COMPLETING FORM, IF DIFFERENT FROM PARENT(S) OR GUARDIAN(S).

11. INDICATE YOUR RELATIONSHIP TO THE APPLICANT.

12. HOW DID YOU HEAR ABOUT THIS SCHOLARSHIP? *

Section B:

- 1. Tell us about your extracurricular activities (For example participation in youth activities like singing, dancing, drama etc. in church, school or community.) ***
- 2. Essay Question:** What is your personal story of extreme and prolonged unusual financial challenges which makes you eligible for this scholarship? If you are not the applicant, explain the extreme and prolonged unusual financial challenges that make your nominee eligible. *(400 words maximum) **

WARNING: By completing this application, I affirm and certify that all the information and answers I have provided to the questions above are complete, true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand that any misrepresentation, falsification, or omission of any facts called for in the application may render this application void and will be cause for termination of scholarship, whenever discovered.

Name:

Date:

Signature: