

APPLICATION

GOETHE-INSTITUT YEAR 10 AWARDS FOR STUDENTS FROM NSW/ACT



3-WEEK GOETHE-INSTITUT HOLIDAY COURSE IN GERMANY IN JANUARY 2020 & TWO HSC HOLIDAY COURSES AT THE GOETHE-INSTITUT IN SYDNEY

CLOSING DATE: 22 MARCH 2019

The Goethe-Institut invite promising Year 10 students of German from NSW/ACT schools to apply for the Student Scholarships.

DETAILS OF AWARDS

1st Prize:

- International return airfare and airport transfer in Germany
- Course fee, full board and activities for the 3-week holiday course in Germany in January 2020
- Basic health, accident and public liability insurance for the duration of the course

2nd Prize:

- Intensive holiday HSC language course at the Goethe-Institut in Sydney (to be redeemed by September 2020).

3rd Prize:

- Intensive holiday HSC language course at the Goethe-Institut in Sydney (to be redeemed by September 2020).

ELIGIBILITY

The scholarships are open to students who meet the following requirements:

- applicants are students of German attending a NSW or ACT secondary school
- students are in Year 10 at the time of application
- they want to continue studying German at HSC level
- students have not participated in any other exchanges to Germany or similar scholarship programs
- applicants are not likely to visit Germany in the near future
- students must be able to travel to Germany and attend the holiday course in January 2020
- students are Australian citizens

NB. Max. 2 applications per school will be accepted. Schools determine the selection process at the school level.



APPLICATION PROCESS

The application must include:

- the official application form, incl. signed principal's endorsement, permission notice from parents/legal guardians and declaration by the student
- a confidential report (completed by the student's Year 10 teacher of German)
- TWO pieces of work completed by the student:
 1. Each applicant is required to hand in a flyer, poster or brochure in GERMAN in which the student presents "Deutsch in meiner Welt".
 2. Each applicant is required to write a supporting letter in ENGLISH (approx. 200 words) in which the student explains why he/she is the ideal candidate for this scholarship.

PLEASE FORWARD THE COMPLETE APPLICATION BY 23 MARCH 2018 TO:

Goethe-Institut Australien
Att. Inken Steeb
Student Scholarships
90 Ocean Street,
Woollahra NSW 2025

SELECTION PROCESS

Short-listed applicants will be interviewed on **Wed 24 April 2019** (subject to change) by a panel of the Goethe-Institut. The interview will be conducted in English but will include a 1-2 minute introduction by the student in German.

NB. The student's fluency in German is NOT a major selection criterion. Decisions of the selection panel are final.

APPLICATION FORM

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PERSONAL INFORMATION PLEASE WRITE NEATLY USING BLOCK LETTERS

First name

Last name

Address

City

Postcode

Home phone

Mobile phone

Email

Sex

Date of birth

Place of birth

Nationality

PLEASE NOTE THAT ALL APPLICANTS MUST BE AUSTRALIAN CITIZENS.

Do you have an Australian passport?

Yes

No (successful candidates will have to apply for a passport as soon as possible)

SCHOOL INFORMATION

Name of school

School address

School phone no.

Principal's name

Name of Year 10 Teacher of German

Teacher's email

Number of years you have been learning German



PRINCIPAL'S ENDORSEMENT

To the best of my knowledge, there is no impediment to this student accepting the scholarship if selected. I understand that the student's name, photo and school name will be published by the Goethe-Institut if the student is successful.

Full name

Email

Signature

Date

PARENTAL/ LEGAL GUARDIAN PERMISSION

I _____, father/ mother/ legal guardian of _____, give the student permission to attend an interview in Sydney if short-listed and to travel to Germany to undertake the 3-week holiday course in Germany in January 2020 if selected as the winner of the Year 10 Award. I understand that the course dates are not negotiable.

I agree to pay for additional personal costs, including application fee for passport, travel to and from Sydney Airport. Yes No

I give permission for the student's name and photo to be published by the Goethe-Institut for the purpose of promoting the scholarship program. Yes No

I understand that only basic health insurance will be provided for the duration of the course in Germany. Yes No

NB. You may wish to take out a more comprehensive health insurance and extra travel insurance.



STUDENT'S CONSENT AND DECLARATION

I, _____, apply for the Goethe-Institut Year 10 Award NSW/ACT on the understanding that, if short-listed, I will be required to attend an interview with the selection panel. I understand that, if I am the winner, the holiday course must be undertaken during January 2020 and that the travel dates are not negotiable. I also understand that in the event that I do not win the scholarship, the judges' decision will be final and no correspondence will be entered into.

I have participated in an exchange to Germany or similar scholarship program before Yes No

The submitted work is my own. Yes No

I agree to the Goethe-Institut using my work for the purpose of promoting the scholarship including the use of my name, school name and photos. Yes No

I will provide a report on my experience in Germany to the Goethe-Institut upon my return. Yes No

Full name

School

Student's signature

Date

PRIVACY STATEMENT: THE GOETHE-INSTITUT RESPECT THE PRIVACY OF STUDENTS. PERSONAL CONTACT DETAILS WILL NOT BE GIVEN OUT WITHOUT PRIOR PERMISSION OF THE PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN AND STUDENT. THE GOETHE-INSTITUT INTEND TO PUBLISH THE WINNING STUDENTS' NAMES, PHOTOS AND SCHOOL NAMES FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROMOTING GERMAN AND THE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM.
