

**METROPOLIS OF SAN FRANCISCO
FDF 2017 | IONIAN VILLAGE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

The goal of Ionian Village is simple: to provide Campers and Staff with a life-transforming summer experience by bringing them closer to our Orthodox faith and exploring our rich Hellenic culture and history.

The FDF 2017 Ionian Village Scholarship is being offered to eligible participants of the 2017 Greek Orthodox Folk Dance & Choral Festival so that the winners may explore their faith and heritage through the Ionian Village program. Eligible applicants must currently be in grade 8 through 12 in accordance with Ionian Village registration policy. Two (2) scholarships will be awarded based on review of the applicants' essays and references. Each scholarship recipient will receive a complimentary registration to Ionian Village 2015 Session 2 (Mid July – Early August, 2017). Registration includes round trip airfare from New York's JFK Airport to Athens, Greece as well as associated program costs. The scholarship does not cover transportation to or from JFK Airport at the start and end of the Ionian Village program.

Each scholarship recipient will be responsible for completing registration independently with the Office of Ionian Village to guarantee their space at camp and will also be asked to write an article about his or her experience at Ionian Village for the 2018 edition of FDF's Oli Mazi.

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS MUST BE POSTMARKED BY MARCH 1, 2017 TO BE ELIGIBLE.

PERSONAL INFORMATION

APPLICANT NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____ EMAIL: _____

DATE OF BIRTH: _____ CURRENT GRADE IN SCHOOL: _____

PARISH: _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME: _____

PHONE: _____ EMAIL: _____

REFERENCES

Please ask each of your references to send a recommendation letter on your behalf to the address below.

CLERGY REFERENCE (PARISH PRIEST): _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____ EMAIL: _____

PERSONAL/PROFESSIONAL REFERENCE: _____

RELATIONSHIP TO APPLICANT: _____ YEARS KNOWN: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____ EMAIL: _____

ESSAY

In 400-500 words, why you would like to attend Ionian Village? Please attach your response.

SIGNATURE

I hereby assure that the information provided is true and correct and that I have read and understand the above-stated terms of this scholarship application process.

SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

MAIL COMPLETED APPLICATION BY _____ TO:

Ionian Village Scholarship Committee c/o Fr. Gary Kyriacou
P.O. BOX 1970 | Camarillo, CA 93011