



HELPING GIRLS NAVIGATE ADOLESCENCE is pleased to offer a \$500 community scholarship.

Eligibility

- You are a graduating female senior.
- You have attended at least 2 HGNA Girls' Events*
- You have at least a C average
- You live within in the District 99 attendance area boundaries
- You have participated in community service activities in various areas throughout your high school tenure. HGNA is looking for young women who have demonstrated a desire to serve their communities, as well as take leadership roles both inside and outside of school.

- * Chick Chat
- * CORE
- * Full Series - Girls' Circle
- * Full Series - HGNA Yoga Club
- * Snowflake

Please note: Daughters of current HGNA board members, as of January 1, 2015, are ineligible for the HGNA scholarship.

Instructions

- The application is available online at www.hgna.org. Applications can be downloaded, completed and returned by mail to:

HGNA
P.O. Box 504
Downers Grove, IL 60515

- The application may be typewritten or printed. If you choose to print, please do so legibly so that the HGNA Scholarship Committee can give you full credit for all that you submit. If extra sheets are used, please be certain your name is on each sheet.



- For any volunteer or leadership role you have been involved in, please explain in detail your part in the activity. Do not assume the Committee will be familiar with the organization you worked with, even if it is local. Details are important.

Deadline

Applications should be returned to HGNA at the above address no later than **Friday, March 27, 2015.** Unfortunately, no exceptions to the deadline can be made. **Please allow one week for mailing.**

Contact Information

Questions about the scholarship may be directed to info@hgna.org.

Student's Name: _____

Home Address: _____

Telephone: _____ Email Address: _____

High School: _____ Graduation Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Name(s):

Please list the HGNA Events in which you participated with approximate dates:



Plans after high school: _____

Please list each community service/volunteer or leadership role that you were involved in during your high school years. Please include:

- Organization name
- Approximate dates you did the work
- Duration of time for the specific endeavor
- A description of your participation

Use additional sheets if necessary.

In order for the HGNA Scholarship Committee to get a clearer picture of who you are as a young woman, please answer the following question (limit answer to no more than one page).

You've just become a student ambassador member of the HGNA Board of Directors. HGNA's mission as a community organization is to provide programs and resources which empower adolescent girls (4th-8th grades) to positively enhance their lives and ultimately the lives of others. As a young woman who has already navigated the difficult pre- and early teens, you likely had many experiences from which you learned and grew. What issues as a Board Member would you bring to the Board that are important to you and your peers? If you could design a seminar or event that you felt would help young girls with this/these issues, what would the subject matter be and why?

