

Skyline

FOUNDATION

2024 Scholarship Information

Thank you for your interest in Camp Skyline and the Skyline Foundation's Scholarship Program. Camp Skyline is a nondenominational camp dedicated to the principles of Christianity. Skyline gives a select group of young girls the best of companionship, improves skills and increases self-confidence, teaches patience, consideration, courtesy, the value of cheerfulness, and the joys of getting along with others.

APPLICATION CHECKLIST

- Camp Skyline Camper Application; must be downloaded or filled out at www.campskyline.com
- Financial Assistance Form
- Proof of Financial Assistance: w-2, 1099, or tax return
- Parent Questionnaire
- Camper Questionnaire
- Reference Form 1: must from be from a guidance counselor or current teacher*
- Reference Form 2*
- Reference Form 3*

*All Reference Forms must be sent separately from application by the reference. Reference forms should be completed by someone who knows and/or works with the child; the first reference must be from a guidance counselor or a current teacher. A relative may not supply a reference for the applicant.

ALL materials must be submitted by **Friday, February 2, 2024** in order to be accepted. Any materials listed above not received by this date means the application will **NOT** be reviewed for consideration.

Email to: skylinefoundation1947@gmail.com (received by 11:50pm CST)

OR Mail: Skyline Foundation (postmarked by February 2, 2024)

P.O. Box 18

Mentone, AL 35984

Attn: scholarships

The GoogleForms Application, which can be found on campskylinefoundation.com website will be turned off at 11:59pm CST February 2, 2024

Applications are reviewed and decided upon during the April Skyline Foundation Board Meeting. Letters will be mailed or emailed on February 26, 2023.

Please note that upon receipt of a scholarship, we do require a **\$100.00 deposit** to secure a spot within two weeks of notification, which is **Tuesday, March 12, 2023**. Camp fills up fast and confirmation of acceptance is required.



CONDITIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS:

1. Household income must fall within the following ranges. If your household income exceeds these amounts, you are not eligible for **full** financial assistance.
 - Up to \$75,000 with 1 child
 - Up to \$85,000 with 2 children
 - Up to \$95,000 with 3 children
 - Up to \$105,000 with 4 children
2. Scholarships are awarded annually. Returning applicants must send a complete application including references. No preference is given to past recipients.
3. Returning applicants: As of the 2019 camp season, the Foundation will only award a single recipient a scholarship for up to 3 years.
4. If your child is selected as a scholarship recipient, please note that no other discounts the camp offers apply at this time.
5. Scholarships are not available for participants in the Equestrian Program.
6. The scholarship camper should not discuss her scholarship arrangements with other campers.
7. If there are any behavior problems associated with this child, the Camp Director must be made aware of them BEFORE a scholarship grant can be approved. Our staff is not trained to handle severe behavior problems. Camp Skyline cannot accept campers whose behavior or emotional problems will potentially cause a negative experience for other campers. A camper will be sent home if their behavior continually upsets other campers and distracts staff from giving equal time and effort to providing positive experiences for all campers

WHAT TO EXPECT:

8. Recipients of scholarships are asked to pay a non-refundable camp fee of \$100.00. This fee is payable when the camper is notified that she has received the scholarship and has decided to accept the scholarship. When the Foundation receives the camp fee, this acknowledges acceptance of the scholarship and holds your daughter's reservation for the camp session indicated. **DO NOT SEND ANY PAYMENT WITH THIS APPLICATION.**
9. The Skyline Foundation desires to assist as many girls as possible, therefore the majority of scholarships will be partial scholarships. Please begin planning now for your portion of the camp fee.
10. Scholarship recipients will be assigned to a session in which their scholarship is to be used. 90% of recipients receive their 1st or 2nd session choice.
 - SESSIONS 1, 2, 3, 4: Two week sessions, girls 6-16
 - MINI CAMP A, B, C: 1 week sessions, girls 6-8 (rising 3rd graders)

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Financial Assistance Form

Child's Name _____
Parents' Names _____
Home Address _____ City _____ State/Zip _____
Home Phone: (____) _____ Email _____
Birthdate: _____ Grade (entering): _____
Name of school: _____ Public _____ Private _____

Camp session (Place a "1" by your first choice and a "2" by your second choice):
1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ 4th _____ Mini session (6-8 (rising 3rd graders)) A _____ B _____ C _____

Parent/Guardian
Employer's Name: _____
Address: _____ City _____ State/Zip _____
Occupation: _____ Phone: (____) _____
Spouse /Guardian Spouse
Employer's Name: _____
Address: _____ City _____ State/Zip _____
Occupation: _____ Phone: (____) _____

Parent's Annual Salary	\$ _____
Spouse's Annual Salary	\$ _____
Guardian's Annual Salary (if applicable)	\$ _____
Annual Child Support Received	\$ _____
Annual Alimony Received	\$ _____
Social Security Received	\$ _____
Other Income	\$ _____
TOTAL ANNUAL INCOME	\$ _____

(Please attach a copy of the W2, 1099 or tax return for both parents or both guardians.)

Level of Assistance Needed (please select one): 100% _____ 75% _____ 50% _____ 25% _____

Number of dependent children: _____ Number of children in college _____ On college scholarship? _____

List any church/civic/social organizations in which family participates _____

Parents are: Married _____ Separated _____ Divorced/Single _____ Divorced/Remarried _____ Widowed _____

Residence (check one): Rent _____ Own _____
Amount of monthly rent/home payment: \$ _____ If own, Current value of home: \$ _____
Number of vehicles in household: _____ Make/Model/Year of each vehicle _____
The amount of car payment/lease is \$ _____ per month.

Has camper attended Camp Skyline before? _____ How many years? _____ Club? _____
Has the camper received a scholarship from the Skyline Foundation before? _____ Year(s)? _____

Does the applicant attend a private school? Yes ___ No ___ If YES: How much is the total annual tuition? _____ What portion of the annual tuition is the family expected to pay? _____

I certify that the information contained in this application is accurate and true to the best of my knowledge.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

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Community Service

Camp Skyline encourages girls to have a giving and a loving heart and to grow more and more like Christ each day. The Skyline Foundation had generously supplied over 150 scholarships since its inception in 2004. We would not be able to grant these scholarships without the continued charitable donations from our alumni, campers, counselors, board members and various corporations.

We believe that those who receive benevolence should also give back to their communities. We ask that parents encourage their daughters to seek out volunteer opportunities. We are not requiring any set number of hours, but we do ask that their choice of community service makes an impact on their community and that they understand their contribution.

For younger girls (grades 1-6): Examples (but is not limited to): Helping a teacher after school, helping a neighbor unpack groceries, setting up a lemonade stand benefitting a charity they believe in.

For older girls (grades 7-11): Examples (but is not limited to): Volunteering at a soup kitchen or the local Humane Society, running in a charity 5K or 10K or volunteering during one.

Please note that the school guidance counselor can also help to figure out a community service options that are age appropriate for your daughter.



Scholarship Reference Form 1

**must be from a school guidance counselor or current teacher*

_____ is applying for a scholarship to attend Camp Skyline this summer. Camp Skyline is an all-girls, residential, non-denominational Christian camp located in Mentone, AL. Please complete this form to the best of your ability for the consideration of our Board of Directors.

Name of person making referral: _____

Official Job Title: _____

Primary phone number: (____) _____ Email: _____

QUESTIONS: PLEASE USE THIS FORM ONLY.

How long have you known this child? In what capacity do you know this child?

What characteristics make this child a good candidate for Camp Skyline? Please be specific.

Describe areas of weakness for this child. Please be specific.

Describe her academic performance.

Describe this child's interaction with her peer group.

Describe this child's interaction with those in a position of authority.

Is there anything else you believe we should know about the applicant that would benefit her at camp?

Signature _____ Date _____

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Official Job Title: _____

Primary phone number: (____) _____ Email: _____

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Official Job Title: _____

Primary phone number: (____) _____ Email: _____

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Parent Questionnaire

Please use this form only.

1. How did you learn about this scholarship?

2. What characteristic strengths and weaknesses make your child a good candidate for camp?

3. Describe your child's interaction with siblings and peer group.

4. Describe your child's interaction with those in positions of authority.

5. Name activities in which your child participates when not in school.

6. Describe the circumstances you are experiencing that create a need for financial assistance.

7. In what Community Service project did your daughter participate? How do you feel she responded to her involvement?

8. Please give 2 references with phone numbers of people who are familiar with your need for financial assistance.
 1. _____ Phone (____) _____
 2. _____ Phone (____) _____

9. Please indicate how you would like to receive your notification letter. Please give email or physical address you would prefer. Email and Physical letters will be sent out on February 26, 2024. Physical letters will arrive after the 26th.

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Questions for the Camper

Please use this form only.

1. The Skyline Foundation expects all campers will be honest, respectful, responsible, and caring. What positive contributions do you feel you can add to Camp Skyline and to your cabin?
2. What do you like most about yourself? What do you like the least about yourself?
3. What are your interests and hobbies? What do you like to do when you are not in school?
4. In what Community Service project did you participate? What did you do while volunteering? How did you feel about your experience?
5. Why do you want to come to camp?
6. In which activities offered by Camp Skyline are you most interested?

Do you have any friends attending Camp Skyline this summer? If “yes”, who are they?