

SYRIAN-LEBANESE WOMEN'S CLUB OF GREATER BOSTON
P.O. Box 243
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March 23, 2021

Guidance Department

Re: Syrian-Lebanese Women's Club of Greater Boston Scholarship

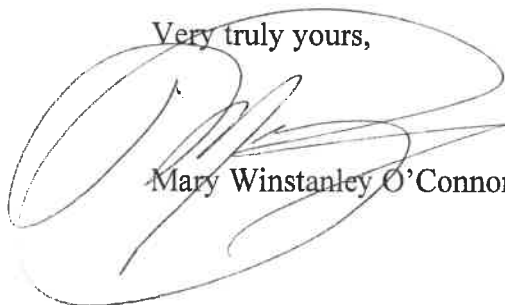
I attach the instructions and an application for the Syrian-Lebanese Women's Club of Greater Boston scholarships given annually. Please do not use other versions of this application.

Please publicize the availability of this scholarship for graduating (high school) female students of Syrian or Lebanese origin.

In the event you have any questions, please contact me at either (617) 523-1010, Ext. 223 or moconnor@koilaw.com.

I thank you.

Very truly yours,



Mary Winstanley O'Connor, Esq., Chairperson

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Enclosures

THE SYRIAN LEBANESE WOMEN'S CLUB OF GREATER BOSTON
(A Society of Arab-American Women)

INSTRUCTIONS FOR SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

PURPOSE: To aid women of Syrian or Lebanese origin, graduating from high school, intending to pursue a four-year college education, and residing in Massachusetts within a fifty-mile radius of Boston.

SCHOLARSHIP AWARD CRITERIA: Awards will be granted on the basis of academic achievement, involvement in charitable and civic activities, extracurricular activities and good character. **Each applicant must be in good academic standing in her school and possess those personal attributes which best serve the community.**

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

1. The applicant must be of recognized Syrian or Lebanese descent (**at least one parent or grandparent must be of Syrian or Lebanese origin**).
2. The applicant must be a **citizen** or be a **permanent resident** in the United States.
3. The applicant must **reside** within the **Commonwealth of Massachusetts** and **within a 50-mile** radius of Boston.
4. The applicant must be a **high school senior**, graduating from an accredited high school and attending an accredited four-year college or university in the fall.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS:

1. Complete and submit the Scholarship Application Form with a copy of your **official high school transcript**.
2. Enclose **one** letter of recommendation from a **teacher or guidance counselor** evaluating your academic performance and personal attributes.

The letter of recommendation should be addressed to the Scholarship Committee of the Syrian Lebanese Women's Club of Greater Boston, **placed in a sealed envelope and given to you to include with your application. Alternatively, it can be mailed directly to the Scholarship Chairperson.**

3. Enclose a photocopy of your **official SAT, ACT or TOEFL scores**.
4. Please use a separate sheet of paper to explain how your Syrian or Lebanese heritage has influenced your life. Essays should be no longer than one page, single-spaced in 12 point font.

ALL SUBMITTED INFORMATION IS SUBJECT TO VERIFICATION

APPLICATION DEADLINE: All required information must be postmarked no later than May 31, 2021. Mail application WITH ALL REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION to:

**Attorney Mary Winstanley O'Connor
Chairperson, Scholarship Committee
Syrian Lebanese Women's Club of Greater Boston
c/o Krattenmaker O'Connor & Ingber P.C.
One McKinley Square, 5th Floor
Boston, MA 02109**

Any incomplete application will automatically eliminate an applicant from consideration.

If you require any additional clarification, you may contact Ms. O'Connor at 617-523-1010 or by email at moconnor@koilaw.com. The Committee's decision as to recipients will not be made until July 31, 2021. The scholarships will be awarded in November, 2021.

THE SYRIAN LEBANESE WOMEN'S CLUB OF GREATER BOSTON
2021 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Name: _____ **Home phone:** _____

Address: _____ **Cellphone:** _____

_____ **Email address:** _____

Date of Birth: _____

Are you a U.S. Citizen? Yes () No () or Permanent Resident Yes () No ()

Father's name: _____

Address (if different from your own): _____

Mother's full maiden (family) name: _____

Address (if different from your own): _____

Name of country from which you derive your Syrian or Lebanese origin/ethnicity:

Parent from which you derive your Syrian or Lebanese origin/ethnicity:

Name of High School currently attending: _____

List any special recognition (prizes, honors, etc.) for scholastic excellence in high school:

List your extra-curricular activities, providing dates of participation:

List your civic or charitable activities or organizations outside of school, with dates of participation:

Identify the colleges where you have applied and the one you will be attending.

Names of Colleges:

Acceptance:

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| 1. _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> Wait List |
| 2. _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> Wait List |
| 3. _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> Wait List |
| 4. _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> Wait List |
| 5. _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> Wait List |
| 6. _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> Wait List |

Please identify your chosen field of major _____

Please use a separate sheet of paper to explain how your Syrian or Lebanese heritage has influenced your life. Essays should be no longer than one page, single-spaced in 12 point type. Please make sure your name is on the paper.

Checklist

Have you included:

1. ___ Scholarship application
2. ___ Official high school transcript
3. ___ SAT, ACT or TOEFEL scores
4. ___ Letter of recommendation
5. ___ Essay