



# COLLEGE YEAR IN ATHENS

## APPLICATION FOR SUPPLEMENTAL SCHOLARSHIP AID

Students should discuss with their study abroad and financial aid advisors the possibility of using all or some of their existing financial aid package toward the College Year in Athens fees. They should also be aware that their home institution, not College Year in Athens, must process all applications for federal and state aid.

### Award Amounts

College Year in Athens has set aside some funds for supplemental scholarships for academically qualified students who would not otherwise have the financial means to attend. The awards typically range in amounts from **\$500 to half a semester's tuition** per semester, as credit against the fees. College Year in Athens scholarship awards should not be used to reduce the financial aid package awarded through the home institution. Applicants should be *candid and realistic* in their assessment of costs, resources, and the amount of financial aid they request. There is a Cost of Attendance chart below

### For Financial Aid Officers

Please note that in order for College Year in Athens to grant supplemental scholarship aid, we need to have a thorough understanding of an applicant's financial situation. Our aim is to work with the applicant's financial aid officer to insure that all parties are fully informed and to avoid jeopardizing any financial aid the student receives from his/her home institution. CYA especially wishes to avoid situations in which students believe that CYA supplemental scholarship aid will make more financial resources available for the study abroad period when, in fact, it will simply replace aid from other sources. Please complete the form below with the applicant, add any pertinent information and notify CYA regarding changes or developments in the student's existing financial aid package.

### Deadline

The deadline for consideration in the primary allotment of aid for either semester is **April 1**. Later applications are considered and there is a second round of awards in the fall. However, as the funds available will be more limited, it is highly recommended that, when possible, applicants submit their applications by the first deadline of April 1. Applicants should direct questions regarding financial aid to College Year in Athens (617/868-8200). Please note: **Students who apply for supplemental scholarship aid will not be asked to pay the confirmation deposit until the award decisions are announced.**

### COST OF ATTENDANCE

Fall 2009 or Spring 2010		Full Year 2009-2010	
Tuition & fees	\$12,850	Tuition & fees	\$22,450
Room	\$3,400	Room	\$6,800
Board (lunch M-F in Athens except holidays)	\$950	Board (lunch M-F in Athens except holidays)	\$1,900
<b>TOTAL paid to CYA</b>	<b>\$17,200</b>	<b>TOTAL paid to CYA</b>	<b>\$31,150</b>
Estimated: Personal expenses, supplies, extra meals, etc.	3000	Estimated: Personal expenses, supplies, extra meals, etc.	6000
Travel (to/from Greece)	1500	Travel (to/from Greece)	1500
<b>Total COA</b>	<b>\$21,700</b>	<b>Total COA</b>	<b>\$38,650</b>

**Please note: Maximum CYA award for semester applicants = \$ 5,500  
Maximum CYA award for full year applicants = \$11,000**

### The following form must be completed and accompanied by:

- Copy of **both** parents'/guardians' last federal tax return (1040 only)
- Copy of the student's last federal tax return (1040 only) if applicable

**Please send all documents to the Admission Committee of College Year in Athens, to one of the following addresses:**

By mail: P.O. Box 390890, Cambridge, MA 02139-0010 or

By courier service: 2464 Massachusetts Avenue – Suite 316, Cambridge, MA 02140 (Tel: 617/868-8200)



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***To be completed by the applicant and his/her financial aid officer (if applicable)***

Applying for:  fall semester only 20\_\_  spring semester only 20\_\_  full academic year 20\_\_-20\_\_

Name of applicant \_\_\_\_\_

College/University \_\_\_\_\_ Major \_\_\_\_\_ Cumulative GPA \_\_\_\_\_

Financial Aid Officer

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Title \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_ Tel \_\_\_\_\_

Yes / No Is the student on financial aid that can be applied to fees at College Year in Athens?

Yes / No If yes, will any award given by College Year in Athens reduce the financial aid package?  
If yes, is there an amount below which an award will NOT affect the financial aid package? \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Yes / No Are College Year in Athens fees paid by the home institution?  
If yes, please specify if all  or tuition only .

Yes / No Awards given by College Year in Athens reduce the amount invoiced to the student or the home institution. If the institution pays, will that benefit be passed on to the student? (i.e. Will the fees the home institution charges the student be reduced?)

**Study Abroad Budget:** (Please see COA chart and/or check [www.cyathens.org](http://www.cyathens.org) for the latest figures.)

**Expenses:**

College Year in Athens COA for desired period of study (See chart.) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Plus additional amount, if any, to be paid to home institution \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Plus amount, if applicable, to be paid for application via another institution \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Cost** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Personal Resources** (Parental funds and personal funds) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Funds from Financial Aid Package**  
(Financial Aid administered by the home institution that can be applied to the costs of attending College Year in Athens.) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Expected Resources** (before any aid from College Year in Athens) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Amount of aid requested from College Year in Athens**  
(See COA & note. Please do not exceed maximum amounts listed.) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Additional information:**

Estimated family income (include both parents) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Number of dependents \_\_\_\_\_ Number in College or University \_\_\_\_\_

**Any other information that should be taken under consideration may be included in a separate statement.**

*I declare that the above statements are correct to the best of my knowledge. I will also undertake to inform all parties of any changes in my financial situation and financial aid.*

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\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Student / Date

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Signature of Financial Aid Officer / Date