

LAESTADIAN LUTHERAN CHURCH
LLC Opisto Scholarship Application

Personal Information

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| <hr/> <p>Name</p> | <hr/> <p>Birthdate: _____</p> |
| <hr/> <p>Street Address</p> | <hr/> <p>Place of Birth: _____</p> |
| <hr/> <p>City, State, Zip</p> | <p><input type="checkbox"/> I am applying for the LLC Scholarship</p> |
| <hr/> <p>Email address</p> | <p><input type="checkbox"/> I am NOT applying for the scholarship, and therefore will pay my own expenses (tuition, room & board, and flight) for the school year indicated.</p> |
| <hr/> <p>Cell phone</p> | <p><input type="checkbox"/> I have previously applied for this scholarship. Indicate year(s) below: _____</p> |
| <hr/> <p>Congregation</p> | |
| <hr/> <p>For Opisto Year: _____</p> | |
| <hr/> <p>Citizenship: <input type="checkbox"/> American <input type="checkbox"/> Canadian <input type="checkbox"/> Finnish Other: _____</p> | |
| <hr/> <p>Student's signature _____ Date _____</p> | <p><input type="checkbox"/> I have completed LLC Confirmation School:</p> |
| <hr/> <p>Parent's/Guardian's signature _____ Date _____</p> | <hr/> <p>Place of Confirmation _____ Year _____</p> |

Family Information

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| <hr/> <p>Father's name</p> | <hr/> <p>Father's profession</p> | <p>Siblings:</p> | <p>Did they attend an Opisto? List which one and year if possible.</p> |
| <hr/> <p>Father's Citizenship: _____</p> | | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| <hr/> <p>Father attend Opisto?</p> | | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ Where Year attended</p> | | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| <hr/> <p>Mother's name</p> | <hr/> <p>Mother's profession</p> | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| <hr/> <p>Mother's Citizenship: _____</p> | | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| <hr/> <p>Mother attend Opisto?</p> | | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ Where Year attended</p> | | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| <hr/> <p>Please note parent/guardian address below if different from your own:</p> | | <hr/> | <hr/> |
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Finnish Ancestry

If you, your mother or father, or their parents were born in Finland, complete this section. Write your relatives' first and last names in the first blank, the city or town in which they were born, then state their relation to you. **(If you were NOT born in Finland and/or do not have relatives born in Finland, skip this section.)**

1. _____ was born in _____, Finland.

(Relation)

2. _____ was born in _____, Finland.

(Relation)

3. _____ was born in _____, Finland.

(Relation)

4. _____ was born in _____, Finland.

(Relation)

5. _____ was born in _____, Finland.

(Relation)

6. _____ was born in _____, Finland.

(Relation)

Education

High Schools attended:

Name

Location

Name

Location

Colleges attended:

Name

Location

Name

Location

Technical or Vocational
Schools attended:

Name

Location

Name

Location

Certificates/Diplomas received:

Date

Date

I am currently a student - full-time part-time

I am currently NOT a student.

I plan to pursue - academic courses vocational courses

Work Experience

Current Employer: _____, _____
(Position)

Time of employment: _____

Last previous Employer: _____, _____
(Position)

Time of employment: _____

Language Skills

I have never studied a Foreign Language I have used a second language at home.

What? _____

I have studied a Foreign Language. What? _____

Briefly describe your Foreign Language interests and studies below:

If you have studied Finnish, please indicate your speaking, writing and reading abilities below:

(Code: 1 = Very little 2 = Somewhat 3 = Good)

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|---------|---|---|---|
| Speech | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| Written | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| Reading | 1 | 2 | 3 |

For the advanced student: Check here if you would be willing to translate for other students.

Opisto Preference

Please indicate if you have an opisto preference and explain why. **No Preference**

Jämsä – southern; near Helsinki **Räisjärvi** – north central, near Oulu **Ranua** – northern; near Rovaniemi

Health History

Indicate below if you have had or currently have any of the health concerns listed. Please provide explanation in the space below:

Rheumatic Fever

Ear Infections

Mumps

Convulsions

Chicken Pox

Tuberculosis

Diabetes

Measles

German Measles

Behavior

Allergies

Indicate below if you have had or currently have any of the allergies listed below. Please provide explanation in the space below:

Hay Fever

Asthma

Insect Stings

Penicillin

Other _____

Character References

Please provide three(3) letters of reference that speak to your suitability for this program.

- Each letter needs to be from an adult.
- Each reference needs to provide their contact information in the letter.
- One reference letter needs to be from a teacher, a counselor, or another adult that knows you in the school setting.

Application Process checklist

- Application completed
- Reference letters requested
- Reference letters received
- Mail to LLC office by **MAY 1.**

Then:

Upon receipt of Opisto application by LLC:

- LLC will send a copy of this application to your congregation Board for their input and awareness.
- Congregation will give input by **July 1.**
- The LLC will then forward all applications on to the *Opisto Scholarship selection committee* for their work.
- Students will be notified in early September regarding selection.