



Please fill out this form if you are seeking a scholarship for a Lincoln Park Zoo LEAP: Learn, Explore and Play! program. Lincoln Park Zoo strives to provide outdoor educational opportunities for children of all income levels. Information listed on the scholarship application is strictly confidential.

Application Process:

- Complete Scholarship Application Form with all applicable information (Part 1).
- Attach a Letter of Request stating your reason for requesting a scholarship, your financial need, and which program(s) you would like to attend (Part 2).
- Once the completed Scholarship Application Form and Letter of Request have been received, the application will be taken under consideration. An application missing any of these documents will be considered incomplete and cannot be considered for a scholarship.

Scholarships are limited; a scholarship application does not guarantee a spot in a program. All scholarship applications are taken under consideration for either a full or partial scholarship, depending on the financial need of the participant.

Please fax your scholarship application to 312-742-2040 or mail it to:

Lincoln Park Zoo
Learning Department
Child and Family Programs Scholarship
2001 North Clark Street
Chicago, IL 60614

Part 1: Scholarship Application Form

Please Print Clearly

Include the names of all program participants, including adults if applicable.

SESSION(S)/DATE(S) DESIRED			
First Choice:		Second Choice:	
Are you a Lincoln Park Zoo member? YES or NO		MODE OF TRANSPORTATION	
CHILD'S NAME 1		BIRTHDATE	
CHILD'S NAME 2		BIRTHDATE	
PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME		OCCUPATION	
ADDITIONAL PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME		OCCUPATION	
ADDRESS		CITY	STATE ZIP
PHONE (PRIMARY)	PHONE (ALTERNATE)	EMAIL	
TOTAL COMBINED HOUSEHOLD INCOME FOR THIS TAX YEAR			
<input type="checkbox"/> \$0-\$9,999	<input type="checkbox"/> \$25,000-\$49,999	<input type="checkbox"/> \$100,000-\$149,999	
<input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000-\$14,999	<input type="checkbox"/> \$50,000-\$74,999	<input type="checkbox"/> \$150,000-\$199,999	
<input type="checkbox"/> \$15,000-\$24,999	<input type="checkbox"/> \$75,000-\$99,999	<input type="checkbox"/> \$200,000+	
HOUSEHOLD SIZE Please include all individuals living within your home.			
Number of Adults _____		Number of Children _____	
PRIMARY LANGUAGE(S) SPOKEN AT HOME			
HOW DID YOU HEAR ABOUT THIS SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITY?			
<input type="checkbox"/> Lincoln Park Zoo website	<input type="checkbox"/> Email from the zoo	<input type="checkbox"/> Have attended LEAP in the past	
<input type="checkbox"/> Lincoln Park Zoo social media	<input type="checkbox"/> Community organization	<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Scholarship flier	<input type="checkbox"/> Heard from a past participant		

Part 2: Letter of Request

Please explain why you are seeking financial assistance, and which program(s) you and/or your child would like to attend. Include the number of family members in the household who receive financial support, the number of children in college or private schools, special circumstances, such as high medical bills or unemployment, and any other pertinent information. This information will be kept confidential.

I certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

Signed: _____ Date: _____