At the YMCA of Greater New Orleans, every day, we work side by side with our neighbors to make sure that everyone, regardless of age, income or background, has the opportunity to learn, grow and thrive. The Y is, and always will be, dedicated to building healthy, confident, connected and secure people and communities.

Every year, the YMCA raises money to help provide financial assistance to children and families through our Annual Campaign. Those not able to pay the full fee for membership and programs may be awarded assistance based on their demonstrated ability to pay and the YMCA’s ability to provide funding. Because the demand for financial assistance is great, the YMCA must follow prescribed eligibility guidelines. Assistance will be awarded on a first come, first served basis, subject to available resources.

Financial assistance is granted only to YMCA members and will be awarded based on financial need as reflected by supporting income information and this application.

**HOW TO APPLY:**

- If you are currently a member of the YMCA receiving membership financial assistance:
  - Complete a Membership Financial Assistance renewal application.
- If you are not currently a member of the YMCA:
  - Complete a membership application
  - Complete a membership financial assistance application.
- Complete the summer camp financial assistance application.
- Provide a copy of your most recent year’s tax return.*
- Provide proof of income including two current and consecutive pay stubs or a letter from employer verifying salary.*
  - *If you are unable to provide the most recent year’s tax return, please provide previous year’s income tax return as well as a government letter verifying any assistance given including welfare, food stamps, social security, unemployment, disability, etc, court documents stating awards of child support, or verification of any additional income.
- Submit a typed letter stating why you are requesting financial assistance and how receiving it will benefit your family.
- Complete Summer Camp registration forms for each camper and attach to this application.

Please make sure to include all documents as they are required to review applications. When you have completed the financial assistance application, your materials will be reviewed and an award letter will be issued. Once the award letter is signed and returned, financial assistance will be applied to your summer camp registration(s).

*I have read and agree to comply with the West St. Tammany YMCA Financial Assistance Policies.*

Initials ___________  Date ___________
2020 Summer Camp Financial Assistance Application

Parent’s Name:___________________________ Phone #:___________________

How many weeks of camp are requested for the financial assistance? ___________

List dependent children in the YMCA program seeking scholarship assistance:

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I certify that the above information is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that I will be contacted regarding the status of this application and the amount of the scholarship funds I am eligible to receive after my application has be reviewed by the Program Director. I understand that false or incomplete information could jeopardize my eligibility to receive financial assistance.

Signature of Parent or Legal Guardian: __________________ Date: ________________

Office Use Only

All documents provided: Y / N Application Accepted: Y / N Date Award Letter Sent: ________________

Program Director Only

Number of Weeks Approved: _______ Parent/ Guardian Acceptance Date: ________________

% Discount Awarded by YMCA: _______ Program Director Signature: ________________

1st Child Name: _____________________ D/O/B: __________________ Fee/Wk: _______________

2nd Child Name: _____________________ D/O/B: __________________ Fee/Wk: _______________

3rd Child Name: _____________________ D/O/B: __________________ Fee/Wk: _______________

4th Child Name: _____________________ D/O/B: __________________ Fee/Wk: _______________

Weekly Total:_______________________

MSR Only

Membership Active at time of registration: Y / N
Registration date: ________________ MSR Initials: ______

*If membership is not active please do not apply above discount