



THE JOHN STEWART COMPANY RESIDENT EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES PROGRAM 2012 APPLICATION

To be eligible you must be:

- Age 17 or older
- Currently attending high school, vocational, college or university
- A resident at housing that is managed by The John Stewart Company
- A resident in good standing
- Total household income may not exceed 80% of the area median

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- Prior recipients of this award are not eligible to re-apply; or
 - Apply to any other JSCo Opportunities Program.

**Applications must be received no later than
5:00 PM on Friday, December 9, 2011 to:**

The John Stewart Company
Attn: Resident Opportunities Fund
1388 Sutter Street, 11th Floor
San Francisco, CA 94109

FAXED APPLICATIONS ARE NOT ACCEPTABLE

2. School & City: _____ Dates Attended: _____
Degree/ Year: _____ GPA: _____ Full Time
 Part Time
What you studied: _____

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III. EDUCATIONAL GOALS

Please provide the name of the College, University, or Vocational School you have applied to; been accepted to; plan to attend or are currently attending (verification may be requested):

School Name: _____ City: _____

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How long will it take to complete your educational goals: _____ Years / Months

If awarded a John Stewart Company Employee Opportunities Program Scholarship, how would you use the award to further your educational goals? What do you hope to accomplish? Please describe in the space below:

Please describe any additional information related to your educational goals that you would like us to know:

IV. EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Although having an employment history is **not a requirement** of the grant, it helps to provide a more rounded profile of the applicant. Please provide your employment history. List your current or most recent place of employment first:

Company Name & City: _____ Dates of Employment: _____

Position/Title: _____

Job _____

Responsibilities: _____

Reason for leaving: _____

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V. FINANCIAL PLAN

The John Stewart Company Educational Opportunities Program provides funding which may be applied toward tuition, fees, books, classroom supplies and other associated costs. Funds of this type are not taxable. Grant funds may also be applied toward other expenses that may arise as you pursue your educational and career goals such as childcare and transportation. However, expense reimbursement of this type may be taxable.

Please submit a budget of your educational plan, including how much your plan will cost in total for one year and how much you are requesting.

EDUCATIONAL BUDGET: 1 YEAR AS STUDENT

ITEM	ANNUAL COST	REQUEST
Tuition and Fees	\$	\$
Books	\$	\$
Supplies	\$	\$
Other:	\$	\$
Other:	\$	\$
TOTAL:	\$	\$

VI. EXTRA-CURRICULAR AND COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

A. Please list your current or most recent activity first. (Service organizations, religious groups, political work, sports teams, etc.)

Organization/Location: _____ Active Dates: _____

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B. Please describe special interests such as computer skills, language skills, hobbies, music, sports, or any other interests and skills that you use for the benefit of yourself and your community.

VII. PERSONAL ESSAY

Please provide us with a personal essay describing yourself (attach essay to the application). Please include the following:

- a. Explain (i) the challenges in your life that you have overcome/are overcoming that have affected or motivated your educational goals, or (ii) how you will use your education to benefit the community?
- b. What led you to pursue your education at this time?
- c. How will your educational pursuits affect your future?
- d. Additional information to help us evaluate your application.

Use additional pages as necessary or attach a typed essay to this application. Essays should be 500 to 600 words (between 1 and 2 pages).

VIII. LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION

We request two letters of recommendation from persons who are qualified to give an evaluation of your character, ability, and accomplishments (e.g., a teacher, mentor, present or past employer). Do not include letters from relatives, Property Manager at your site or other John Stewart Employees.

These letters must be included with your submitted with you application included with and attached to the application (do not submit under separate cover). Please list their names and relationship to you below.

Name	Relationship to Applicant
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IX. APPLICANT SIGNATURE

JSCo does not unlawfully discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, gender, sexual orientation, national origin, age, disability, marital status, veteran status, or any other consideration made unlawful by federal, state, or local laws.

Please understand that there are more applicants than there are available grants. Some applicants may be more qualified than others. Accordingly, the Company must reserve the right to select, in its sole discretion, those persons whom it deems most qualified.

JSCo reserves the right to change the policies and procedures of this program at its absolute and sole discretion.

I certify to the best of my knowledge that I have read this application thoroughly and that all of the above statements are complete, true, and correct.

Applicant Signature	Date
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If the applicant is under 18 years old the signature of the parent or guardian is required:

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Applicant's Parent or Guardian Signature	Date
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