Purpose and Eligibility

The Dante Alighieri Society of Denver established a scholarship program in 1985 in order to assist qualified students in advancing their study of the Italian language and culture through study abroad programs in Italy. They are one-time, non-renewable awards.

To be granted one of these awards, the student must be accepted in an established study-abroad program in Italy and successfully submit the following by Friday April 13, 2018:

1. A completed application form.
2. A personal essay.
3. An official college transcript.
4. A detailed description of your proposed study-abroad program and a letter of acceptance to the program.
5. A financial worksheet.
6. Two letters of recommendation, one of which must come from an Italian language instructor.

Selection of winners will be made on the basis of quality of their essay, prior studies of the Italian language and culture, academic performance (GPA), length and quality of their proposed study-abroad program, non-academic activities, financial need and letters of recommendation.

Applications

Applications for these scholarships are available on-line at: www.dantealighieriofdenver.com

Deadline

All documentation as noted must be submitted electronically and must be received no later than Friday April 13, 2018.

Winners will be notified by April 21, 2017. Scholarships will be awarded at a luncheon to be held on May 6, 2018, the location to be announced. Winners must be present to receive their award.

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