



PINEWOOD – THE AMERICAN INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL OF THESSALONIKI, GREECE

PINEWOOD IB SCHOLARSHIPS PROGRAM

APPLICATION 2012-2013

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Scholarships are available for incoming grade 11 (current grade 10) International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma students. The selected IB scholars will receive a 100%, 50% or 30% tuition fee waiver for the duration of the two years of IB Diploma studies at Pinewood. All other fees such as activities fee, technology fee, transportation fee, IB registration and exam fees, and any fees associated with non-Pinewood coursework are not covered.

Criteria for Eligibility

In order for a student to be considered for an IB scholarship at Pinewood–The American International School of Thessaloniki, the candidate must demonstrate the following:

- Excellent academic performance
- Proficiency and comfort using English in writing, listening and speaking
- An interest in learning in a culturally diverse environment
- Good citizenship and character
- A desire to continue to Higher education in a North American, British, or other university abroad in which English is the language of instruction
- Special interest or talent in an area outside of academics is highly desirable

Current grade 10 Pinewood students and prospective grade 10 students from other schools are invited to apply for the following scholarship opportunities:

IB Scholarships for grade 10 students currently enrolled at Pinewood

The following scholarships will be awarded:

- Up to one full tuition scholarship
- Up to two 50% scholarships (three if no full scholarship awarded)
- Up to three 30% scholarships (six if no 50% or full scholarships awarded)

Eligibility

In addition to the eligibility criteria described above, all interested students must demonstrate the following:

- Current enrollment in grade 10 at Pinewood
- All financial obligations to the school are met by the March 15 payment deadline

Application

All interested applicants must:

- Complete the application form
- Submit two academic/personal recommendations

Applications must be submitted to the Admissions Office (Ms Youli Andrianopoulou) or by email at scholarships@pinewood.gr

Deadline

Applications deadline is **March 30, 2012**.

IB Scholarships for new incoming grade 11 students

The following scholarships will be awarded:

- Up to one full tuition scholarship
- Up to six 50% scholarships (seven if no full scholarship awarded)

Eligibility

In addition to the eligibility criteria described above, all interested students must demonstrate the following:

- Currently enrolled in grade 10 (or equivalent) in a High School in Greece or abroad

Application

All interested applicants must:

- Complete the application form
- Submit two academic/personal recommendations
- Submit a minimum of two years of the previous years' school transcripts
- Take an English Placement Exam at Pinewood–The American International School of Thessaloniki

Applications must be submitted to the Admissions Office (Ms Youli Andrianopoulou) or by email at scholarships@pinewood.gr

Deadline

Applications deadline is **April 30, 2012**.

Costas Yakoumis IB Scholarship

The Costas Yakoumis IB Scholarship seeks to honor and sustain the memory of a beloved member of the Pinewood school community by offering a two-year full tuition scholarship for a qualified incoming IB student (entering grade 11) from the larger Thessaloniki community.

Eligibility

In addition to the eligibility criteria described above, all interested students must demonstrate the following:

- Currently enrolled in grade 10 (or equivalent) in a High School of the larger Thessaloniki area

Application

All interested applicants must:

- Complete the application form
- Submit two academic/personal recommendations
- Submit a minimum of two years of the previous years' school transcripts
- Take an English Placement Exam at Pinewood–The American International School of Thessaloniki

Applications must be submitted to the Admissions Office (Ms Youli Andrianopoulou) or by email at scholarships@pinewood.gr

Deadline

Applications deadline is **April 30, 2012**.

For all scholarships, following initial screening, candidates will have a school interview with a committee of faculty and administrative representatives (IB Scholars selection committee). Final selection will be made by the IB Scholars selection committee.

Applications may be obtained from the Admissions Office or downloaded from our website (<http://www.pinewood.gr/scholarships.html>). For more information about the scholarships please contact Ms Youli Andrianopoulou at the Admissions Office by phone (+30 2310 301221) or email (andrianopoulou@pinewood.gr).

Dear Applicant,

Thank you for your interest in Pinewood's IB SCHOLARSHIPS PROGRAM.

In order to apply for the IB Scholarships Program you should:

- Complete parts A, B and C of the IB scholarship application form
- Write the IB Scholars candidate essay as described on page 9
- Sign the declaration on page 10
- Have your parent sign the declaration on page 10
- Send the completed application form, essay and supporting documents to:

Ms. Youli Andrianopoulou
Administrative Assistant
Pinewood – the American International School of Thessaloniki
14th km Thessalonikis – N. Moudanion
P.O. Box 60606
GR-57001 Thermi, Thessaloniki
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Part A – Personal Information

First Name:		
Last Name:		
Middle Name:		
Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Date of Birth (dd/mm/yyyy): / /	Passport No.:
First Nationality:	Second Nationality:	
First Language:	Second Language:	
Name of Parent / Guardian:		
Relationship:	Occupation of Parent / Guardian:	
Home Address:		
Town / City:	Country:	Postal Code:
Home Telephone:	Mobile:	Email:
Work Address:		
Town / City:	Country:	Postal Code:
Work Telephone:	Work Fax:	Email:

Part B – Previous Education

I am applying for the following scholarship(s):
 (please check the appropriate box)

- IB Scholarships for grade 10 students currently enrolled at Pinewood
- IB Scholarships for new incoming grade 11 students
- Costas Yakoumis IB Scholarship

Previous High School(s) Attended:
 (please provide official transcripts)

School Year	Grade	School Name	City / Country
2008 – 2009			
2009 – 2010			
2010 – 2011			

Language Proficiency:

Language	Level	Details / Certification:
ENGLISH	<input type="checkbox"/> Native Speaker <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate <input type="checkbox"/> Beginner	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Native Speaker <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate <input type="checkbox"/> Beginner	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Native Speaker <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate <input type="checkbox"/> Beginner	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Native Speaker <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate <input type="checkbox"/> Beginner	

Part C – Additional Information

Complete the following questions. Please handwrite your answers in the space provided.

- I. List any co-curricular activities you have been involved in during the past two years, either in school or outside. Also Give details of leadership positions you may have held in school:

School Year	Activity – Leadership Position

- II. List any prizes or awards of achievements you have gained in any area:

School Year	Award(s)

III. List any community service or voluntary work you have done either in school or outside:

School Year	Community Service / Voluntary Work

IV. Write about a book you have read recently that has influenced or affected you. Explain why:

V. Give three words you would use to describe yourself:

VI. Please indicate the course(s) of study you would like to follow upon graduation. You may choose more than one if you are undecided:

<input type="checkbox"/> Architecture	<input type="checkbox"/> Engineering	<input type="checkbox"/> Media / Public Relations
<input type="checkbox"/> Art	<input type="checkbox"/> History	<input type="checkbox"/> Medicine
<input type="checkbox"/> Business and Management	<input type="checkbox"/> Languages	<input type="checkbox"/> Natural Sciences
<input type="checkbox"/> Computer Science	<input type="checkbox"/> Law	<input type="checkbox"/> Psychology
<input type="checkbox"/> Economics	<input type="checkbox"/> Mathematics	<input type="checkbox"/> Other:

VII. Please indicate the study destinations you are considering upon graduation. You may choose more than one if you are undecided:

<input type="checkbox"/> United States of America	<input type="checkbox"/> United Kingdom	<input type="checkbox"/> Canada
<input type="checkbox"/> Australia	<input type="checkbox"/> Other:	

Part D – IB Scholars Candidate Essay

Write an essay of about 300 words to explain why you would like to continue your High School studies in the International Baccalaureate Diploma Program and why you have chosen Pinewood for your IB studies.

Student Declaration

I declare that the above information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

I hereby submit an application to Pinewood – The American International School of Thessaloniki for the IB Scholarships Program.

I have attached the following supporting documents to my application:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____

Total number of attached documents: _____

Name of student: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Parent Declaration

I declare that I fully support my child's application to Pinewood – The American International School of Thessaloniki for the IB Scholarships Program, and that my child's tuition and fees is not company sponsored or covered by another third party (for the two year scholarship award period.)

Name of parent/guardian: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____