

Keeni Kessler Scholarship – KKG Mayfair

About the scholarship

The Keeni Kessler - KKG Mayfair Scholarship is open to secondary school students in the Malaysian public education system who are currently enrolled in a French language class in a public school. Applicants must show an interest in learning French and demonstrate good academic results. Two scholarships are available each year for eligible candidates and scholarship holders will be enrolled in Alliance Française de Penang (AFP).

The Keeni Kessler - KKG Mayfair scholarship includes:

- Access to one year of French language courses at the AFP
- AFP membership fee (student category)
- Costs of teaching materials (textbook and activity book)
- Registration for the DELF exam at the end of the course
- Access to Culturethèque and to the AFP library resources
- A special transport allowance depending on applicant's financial situation

This scholarship is only open to new learners of the Alliance Française de Penang. Current students of Alliance Française de Penang are not eligible.

Eligibility criteria:

- Age between 13 and 17 years old
- Currently enrolled in a public school in Penang
- Currently following a French language class in the public school curriculum
- Demonstrate a particular interest for the French language and culture
- Have a keen interest in learning the French language
- Be motivated and determined to follow a one-year French course in addition to the school's curriculum

Note: The scholarship recipient is required to make a short presentation in French at the end of the training year. This presentation may be used by the Alliance Française de Penang for promotional purposes on its various social media channels and those of its partners.

How to apply:

The candidate's application (application form) must include the following elements

- A complete application form (Refer Appendix 1)
- Copy of the school transcripts of the current and previous academic year
- Copy of any co-curricular certificates or awards obtained, if mentioned in the application form
- A supporting statement (250-300 words) from the current French language teacher on the applicant's background and academic ability to follow complementary training in parallel with the compulsory school programme



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Attach to the application form:

- A short video recording in which the candidate presents his/her activities and, in particular, his/her interest in the French language and culture.

Selection of the scholarship recipient

The Alliance Française de Penang's Scholarship Panel will receive and review all applications. Four applications will be presented to the Panel members, who will then select the best two for the award.



2021 KEENI KESSLER – KKG MAYFAIR SCHOLARSHIP APPENDIX 1.

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name :	<input type="text"/>	Family Name :	<input type="text"/>
I.C / Passport Number :	<input type="text"/>	Nationality :	<input type="text"/>
Sex :	<input type="text"/>	Birth Date (dd/mm/yy) :	<input type="text"/>
Are you a Malaysian citizen or Permanent Resident ?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
Have you taken a class before at Alliance Française de Penang ? *	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	

**If you have previously attended classes at Alliance Française de Penang, you are not eligible for this scholarship.*

CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS

Postal Address :	<input type="text"/>				
City :	<input type="text"/>	State :	<input type="text"/>	Postal Code :	<input type="text"/>
Telephone :	<input type="text"/>	Email :	<input type="text"/>		

HOUSEHOLD INFORMATION

Language Spoken at Home :	<input type="text"/>			
Preferred Correspondence Language :	<input type="checkbox"/> English	<input type="checkbox"/> Bahasa Malaysia		
Number of Household Member (including you) :	<input type="text"/>			
Annual Household Revenue (in RM) **: <input type="checkbox"/> Less than 30,000 <input type="checkbox"/> 30,000 - 59,999 <input type="checkbox"/> 60,000 - 99,999 <input type="checkbox"/> 100,000 - 124,999 <input type="checkbox"/> More than 125,000				

*** Please note that supporting documents may be required for shortlisted candidates.*

INFORMATION - PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN

Name : Family Name :
Nationality : I.C. / Passport No. :
Relationship to Applicant : Mother Father Legal Guardian
ADDRESS (if different from the above)

Postal Address :
City : State : Postal Code :

INFORMATION - PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN

Telephone : Email :

INFORMATION – CURRENT SCHOOL

Name of School :
School Year :
Do you attend a public school ? Yes No Are you a scholar ? Yes No
School Address :
City : State : Postal Code :
Does your school sponsor your studies? Yes No

IMPORTANT:

This scholarship is only open to secondary students aged 13 to 17 who are currently undertaking French language classes in the Malaysian public education system in Penang.

EDUCATIONAL HISTORY

List the name of schools you have attended in the past.

Name of School	City	Year – Year	Qualifications

CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Please list all the activities you have participated in in the past two years, including those in your current school year. Please indicate your role and how long you participated in the activity.

Student Clubs, Student Committees and Associations	
Artistic, Musical and Creative Activities	
Contests, Conferences, Special Programmes, Prizes or Recognition	
Sports Activities	
Other Activities	

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

Describe up to three community engagements that you were actively involved in over the past three years and your motivations and goals surrounding them. Please give details of your assignments and the time allocated. (Max 100 words)

Activity 1

Activity 2

Activity 3

ESSAYS

What are your reasons and motivations to learn French? (100 words)

Tell us about a challenge you have overcome and your lessons from it. (100 words)

Is there anything else you would like to share with us that may help strengthen your application? (100 words)

I, _____, certify that

- The information provided on this scholarship application form and in the accompanying documentation is true, correct, and complete.
- I have read the application rules for the Alliance Française de Penang’s Keeni Kessler Scholarship Programme and all the documents accompanying this application. I agree to be bound by the terms and conditions. In addition, I authorise Alliance Française de Penang to hold any information provided surrounding my elementary, secondary, community and other school information relating to my application, including, without limitation, personal assessments, and transcripts.
- I understand and I accept that :
 - i. This information, along with the personal information contained in this application, will be used by the Alliance Française de Penang’s Scholarship Panel for selection purposes and to facilitate ongoing administrative correspondence with applicants, necessary to advance the objectives of the Alliance Française and improve the selection process.
 - ii. My information will be treated confidentially and that the Alliance Française de Penang will not publish the evaluations of the applications or the results of the evaluation process, except to inform me whether my application has been successful or not.
 - iii. For any concerns regarding my personal information held by Alliance Française de Penang, including updates to it, I can contact Alliance Française de Penang at the address contained in the request.
 - iv. Finally, if I am selected for the award, I authorise the publication of my name, photo, school, city, and province of residence in the public communications of the Alliance Française de Penang.

Signature of Applicant

Signature of Parent