

**Sango Academic Advancement Scholarship Form**

Please fill out this form. Provide all the necessary information and copies of the required documentation. Mail to: Sango Association, 965 Sycamore Court, Hoffman Estates, IL 60192 USA. Email: chairman@sangochiago.org

**PERSONAL INFORMATION**

Name: _____	
Address: _____	
Date of Birth: _____	Sex : Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/>
Sub-location: _____	Location: _____
Division: _____	District: _____
Name(s) of parents or guardians: _____	
Address: _____	
Other relationship(s) _____	

**ACADEMIC RECORDS AND PERFORMANCE**

Last Primary School attended: _____
KCPE Index number: _____ Points obtained in KCPE _____
Name of High School admitted to: _____
Current High School: _____
Current position in class _____ out of _____

**STATEMENT OF NEED**

Please describe why need for assistance from SANGO. Attach any additional documentation
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I have read the eligibility criteria and agree to the conditions of the scholarship. I also confirm that the information I have provided here is accurate and true.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Requirements**

1. Application letter from the applicant stating the financial need, family background, and what the applicant plans to do to the community on completion of their education.
2. Three letters of recommendations from
  - a) the headteacher or academic advisor or a teacher who is conversant with the students' academic performance;
  - b) chief or assistant chief from the applicant's sub-location;
  - c) a priest or religious leader from the applicant's church.
3. Original report forms for three terms, and a copy of KCPE certificate (or result slip).

### **Eligibility Criteria**

- Full time High School students in Kenya with exemplary performance (top 5% of their class), and in financial need based on income or other resources owned by the family such as land, livestock, rental houses, etc.
- A Luo by birth, marriage, or adoption unless otherwise decided by the committee.
- Willingness to volunteer his/her time to community activities such as assisting elderly people in villages, helping children with low aptitude in reading during school holidays, and other activities deemed necessary by the association.
- The amount of money to be awarded will be determined by the scholarship committee.

### **Selection Process**

- Applications are accepted throughout the year.
- The committee will announce deadlines for the selections.
- All the applications received by the deadline will be considered.
- The student must have the potential to excel academically, show exceptionally leadership potential, and can make an impact in the community through public service and help.

### **Progress Evaluation**

To qualify for continued support, an original transcript or school report **MUST** be mailed to Sango every semester or term, whichever applies. If the student does not maintain satisfactory performance (B or above) then financial support will be terminated at the end of that year.