Spring 2020
Allston-Brighton Community Scholars Program

Spring 2020 Harvard Extension School Scholarship Information
Awarded by the Allston Civic Association

**WHAT:**
Full tuition remission on any one, 4-credit course at the Harvard Extension School.

**WHO:**
Residents of Allston-Brighton who are 18+

**APPLICATION DEADLINE:**
Friday, November 8 at 5:00pm to the Harvard Ed Portal

**SPRING COURSE DATES:**
January 27–May 16

**DECISION NOTIFICATION:**
Recipients will be notified by email from the Harvard Ed Portal on November 13. The Ed Portal will also send out a detailed email to all recipients with instructions on how to register at that time.

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**PLEASE INDICATE THE NAME, AND COURSE NUMBER YOU ARE INTERESTED IN:**
Course search available at: [www.extension.harvard.edu/course-catalog](http://www.extension.harvard.edu/course-catalog)

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**APPLICANT CHECKLIST**
All materials are due Friday November 8 at 5:00pm

- [ ] SCHOLARSHIP COVER SHEET (THIS PAGE)
- [ ] ONE PAGE PERSONAL STATEMENT (PLEASE SEE REVERSE SIDE WITH INSTRUCTIONS)
- [ ] PROOF OF RESIDENCY (PLEASE SEE REVERSE SIDE WITH INSTRUCTIONS)
- [ ] RETURN COMPLETED APPLICATION TO:
  
  Harvard Ed Portal
  224 Western Avenue
  Allston, MA 02134

**Questions?**
Please email: edportal@harvard.edu
or call: (617) 496-5022
The Allston Civic Association's purpose is to provide a regular consistent public forum for residents of the Allston-Brighton community to voice their individual ideas and concerns and to translate those ideas and concerns into effective, constructive action. The Allston Civic Association speaks and acts as an advocacy-action group on issues that directly affect the quality of life in - or the aesthetic or physical change of - the Allston-Brighton community. The Allston Civic Association is committed to preserving and promoting the identity of the Allston-Brighton community as a clearly defined, viable and valuable residential section of the City of Boston.

1) One Page Personal Statement
You must submit a personal statement in order to be considered for this scholarship.

**TOPIC:** Describe your involvement in the Allston-Brighton community. This should NOT be written as a resume of your education and achievements, but rather highlight the ways in which you have been involved as a resident.

- One page
- Typed or hand-written
- Please DO NOT include your first name, last name, or any identifying characteristics (reference to family members, etc.) in the personal statement. Any personal statement including identifying information will be disqualified.
- Please include this with your completed application.

2) Proof of Residency
In order to be considered for the Allston Brighton Community Scholars Program, you must be a resident of Allston or Brighton. Proof of residency, such as a photocopy of a utility bill or driver’s license showing your Allston/Brighton address, must be submitted as part of a complete application.

Upon review of the applications, up to 10 scholarship recipients will be selected by the Allston Civic Association Scholarship Committee. Applicants will be notified of decisions by email on November 13. Upon notification, recipients will be asked to register online.

Please note: previous Allston-Brighton Community Scholars may reapply, but will only be eligible for additional scholarship funding if there is a lack of suitable applicants for the term. There is a lifetime maximum of 3 scholarships/person. The Allston Civic Association reserves the right to award fewer than 10 scholarships if there are not enough qualified applicants. Recipients will also be asked to sign a release to allow enrollment verification data to be shared with the program administrator.