

April 22, 2013

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Dear Eliza:

We are pleased to inform you that you have been selected to receive a 2013-14 NSLI-Y scholarship. The NSLI for Youth (NSLI- Y) selection committee believes that you have the ability to meet the challenges of a rigorous overseas language program. The NSLI-Y Scholarship is sponsored by the Government of the United States of America through the Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs of the U.S. Department of State. American Councils manages the overall operations of the scholarship program.

Your scholarship is for Year in the Arabic language. Your program will take place in Rabat, Morocco. The organization responsible for implementing your program is iEARN. Additional information about your assignment is included with this letter. Please contact iEARN if you have questions about your program. Please understand that your assignment to the Year program in Arabic implemented by iEARN is subject to your fulfillment of all medical, placement, academic and visa requirements and the ability of the overseas partner organization to place you as a student.

Please carefully review the enclosed program materials. Discuss the information with your parents or guardians and decide if you are willing and able to make a serious commitment to participate in this program. To accept the NSLI-Y scholarship, you must:

1. Acceptance Form: Complete the attached acceptance form and return it to American Councils by April 29, 2013. If you do not submit this form by the deadline, you will lose your scholarship and an alternate will be named to take your place. If you choose to decline the scholarship, please notify American Councils by email as soon as possible so that an alternate may be selected.
2. Passport: Submit a color copy of the biographical data page or "face page" of your valid U.S. passport to American Councils by e-mail by April 29, 2013. Files over 2MB will not be accepted. Please make sure that the information on your U.S. passport copy (not photo) is clearly readable. Note that the expiration date of your passport must be at least six (6) months beyond the anticipated end date of your NSLI-Y program. If you do not yet have a passport or if you need to renew your passport so that the expiration date is six months beyond the end of the program, please notify American Councils by e-mail as soon as possible.
3. Additional Documents: Provide any additional documents or medical information as requested by American Councils or the implementing organization by the stated deadline. If you do not provide the required documents, signatures, or other information in a timely manner, we will have to cancel your scholarship. If you have difficulties obtaining the requested documents or signatures, please notify American Councils as soon as possible.

The NSLI for Youth scholarship selection process is highly competitive, and you should be proud of your accomplishment. Congratulations on your outstanding achievement in qualifying for this wonderful educational opportunity for intensive language study. We look forward to having you as a NSLI-Y scholar. Should you or your parents have questions or concerns, please contact American Councils staff at [nsliy@americancouncils.org](mailto:nsliy@americancouncils.org) or 1-866-790-2086.