



National Student Ambassador Program Frequently Asked Questions

What is a National Student Ambassador?

A National Student Ambassador is a Kids' Chance scholarship recipient who represents Kids' Chance of America at industry conferences, Kids' Chance events, and through social media.

Who is eligible to be an Ambassador?

Candidates will be in their final year of post-secondary education or training, or within three years of graduation from such a program.

How long does an Ambassador serve?

Two years.

What is the time commitment?

Approximately 4 hours per month (not including time at National Conference).

How is an Ambassador nominated?

Students may submit a letter of application, along with a resume, directly to programs@kidschance.org or be nominated by a Kids' Chance state organization.

What are the benefits of being an Ambassador?

Ambassadors will develop life-long leadership skills, gain experience in public speaking, network with national volunteers and industry leaders, gain valuable career exposure and employment opportunities, and be recognized on the KCOA website and in articles/social media.

Is this a paid position?

Yes. Ambassadors are paid a stipend of \$1,000 annually.

What are the responsibilities of an Ambassador?

Please see the full job description [here](#).

Do I need any training to be an Ambassador? Are special skills required?

All Ambassadors will receive training from the KCOA team in addition to a toolkit to help with social media. Training will include public speaking and networking.

Will travel be required? If so, will all those costs be covered?

Occasional travel will be required with all costs underwritten by KCOA. Travel may include attending industry conferences or the Kids' Chance National Conference.

If I do need to travel, will I know well in advance so that I can make work arrangements?

Yes. Travel assignments will be discussed with you and agreed on well in advance so that you have plenty of time to make arrangements with your employer.

How to apply?

Provide a cover letter outlining the reasons why you are interested in serving as a National Student Ambassador along with a brief resume or summary of activities and attributes. Send to programs@kidschance.org.

Is there a deadline?

The deadline for 2023 is January 27, although we encourage candidates to express their interest at any time of year.