

Financial Assistance/Need Scholarship
davidji Masters of Wisdom & Meditation Teacher Training

The davidji Meditation Academy is committed to making a significant investment in our communities and helping make the Masters of Wisdom & Meditation Certification possible for individuals who may not otherwise be able to participate.

This Dharma Financial Assistance Scholarship is offered to individuals who have a strong interest in deepening their meditation practice and sharing the benefits of meditation and mindfulness with others.

Awarded once each training based on financial need and future impact, the Dharma Scholarship is intended to help make the training more accessible to someone who feels called to this journey but for whom the cost of tuition presents a significant barrier.

ABOUT THE SCHOLARSHIP

Each year, the davidji Meditation Academy offers two $1,500 Dharma Scholarships and two $750 Dharma Scholarships towards tuition for the Masters of Wisdom & Meditation Certification.

The scholarships are applied toward tuition for the 12-week training, which includes the online student dashboard, weekly lessons, videos and meditations, live weekly webinars, study groups, course manual, a one-on-one session with davidji and the full Virtual Certification weekend.

Upon certification, graduates also receive access to the Certified Teacher Resource Center and monthly all-teacher webinars with davidji.

Please note: Required books and other incidental expenses are not included.

Eligibility & Commitment

Applicants must:

- Have an established meditation and mindfulness practice.
- Have a sincere desire to deepen their practice and positively impact others.
- Commit fully to the 12 weeks of training, including weekly webinars, lessons and assignments.
- Attend the entire Virtual Certification weekend live.
- Be able to cover the remaining tuition balance, required books and incidental expenses.
- Submit the completed application, a 2-minute video and one reference letter.



SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION:

We want to get to know you. We aren't looking for perfectly written or polished answers. Please answer openly and authentically. All information shared in your application will be kept confidential.

Teacher Training Session Applied for: **Date of Submission:**

Name: **Email:**

City/State/Country **Phone:**

Website/Social Media Links:

1. Your circumstances.

Tell us about your current circumstances, why you are applying for a scholarship, and what receiving it would mean for you.

Please share only what you are comfortable sharing. We ask because financial need is an important part of our scholarship selection process.Maximum 150 words.

2. Your Meditation Practice

Tell us about your current relationship with meditation, including how long you have been meditating, how frequently you practice, the types of meditation you currently practice, and what role meditation plays in your daily life?

Maximum 100 words

3. Your Background & Previous Studies

What courses, trainings or certifications have you completed that would help us better understand your background and the path that has brought you here? These may include meditation, mindfulness, yoga, spiritual or wisdom studies, coaching, healing modalities, wellness, personal development or other areas.
Please include the course or training, teacher or organization, and approximate year completed, where possible.

4. Your Work & Interests

Tell us a little about your current work, vocation, area of expertise and interests that are important to you. Please also include any professional, creative, volunteer or community interests that help us get to know you.
Maximum 100 words.

5. Your Connection to davidji & This Training

How did you first discover davidji and his teachings, and why do you want to study with him? Also, what particularly appeals to you about the Masters of Wisdom & Meditation Certification?
Maximum 150 words.

6. Your Ripple Effect

How do you envision using and sharing what you learn through this training? Who do you hope to serve, support or positively impact? This may be through teaching meditation, your existing work, your community, your relationships, creative pursuits, service to others, or in ways you haven't fully discovered yet.

Maximum 150 words.

7. Financial Need & Other Options

The Dharma Scholarships provide either $1,500 or $750 toward tuition. Please help us understand what level of financial support would make the training possible for you. If you were awarded financial assistance, would an extended payment plan for the remaining tuition balance help make the training accessible to you?

□ Yes. With financial assistance and an extended payment plan, I could participate.
□ Possibly. It would depend on the amount of financial assistance awarded and the monthly payment.
□ No. Even with the scholarship and an extended payment plan, the remaining tuition would not be manageable.
□ I could participate through a payment plan without financial assistance, although receiving a scholarship would provide meaningful financial support.

Please briefly share anything you would like us to consider regarding your financial circumstances or the level of support you would need.

8. **Your Commitment**

If selected, are you willing and able to fully participate in the 12 weeks of training, complete the required lessons and assignments, participate in the weekly webinars and your study group, and attend the entire Virtual Certification weekend (Thursday - Sunday) live?

□ Yes, I am ready to make this commitment.
□ No

YOUR 2-MINUTE VIDEO

We'd love to meet the person behind the application.

Please submit a short video of no more than two minutes introducing yourself. It does not need to be professionally produced or polished. A simple video recorded on your phone is perfect. Please tell us a little about who you are, why this scholarship matters to you, and what you hope to do with this opportunity if you are selected. Most importantly, simply be yourself.

YOUR REFERENCE LETTER

Please include one reference letter from someone who knows you well and can speak to your character, commitment and suitability for this scholarship. Your reference may be a teacher, mentor, colleague, employer, community leader or another person who can offer meaningful insight into who you are.

Please ask your reference to briefly share how they know you, the qualities they believe you would bring to this training, and why they believe you would be a strong recipient of the Dharma Scholarship.

SUBMITTING YOUR APPLICATION

Please email the following to scholarships@davidji.com.

Completed application + 2-minute video + reference letter to :

Subject Line: *Dharma Financial Assistance Scholarship Application – [Your Name]*