

EDUCATION

MINORITY SCHOLARSHIP FOR STUDY ABROAD OFFERED

GREENWICH, CT - Applications for the American Institute For Foreign Study-College Division Minority Scholarship for the fall 1993 semester are now being accepted. The scholarship is being offered in an effort to help increase the participation of ethnic minority college students in study abroad programs.

The scholarship, which is applicable on fall 1993 semester AIFS programs in Austria, Britain, France, Italy, Mexico and Spain, includes tuition, room and board and round trip air fare.

Applications for the scholarship will be accepted from African Americans, Hispanic Americans, Native Americans, Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders who are currently enrolled as undergraduates.

Selection of the scholarship winner will be made based on the fulfillment of the program requirements, financial need, academic accomplishment, demonstrated leadership ability, extra-curricular activities and a

written statement by the applicant concerning the objectives for wanting to study abroad.

The College Division of the American Institute For Foreign Study is a nationwide organization that provides comprehensive overseas study and travel

programs. Since the company was founded in 1964, over 500,000 students and teachers have participated in programs in Europe, Australia, Asia, Mexico and Russia.

Deadline for receipt of all applications is April 15, 1993.

Application forms and further information may be obtained by writing: Minority Scholarship, American Institute For Foreign Study, College Division, 102 Greenwich Avenue, Greenwich, CT 06830 or by calling (800) 727-2437.

ANTIOCH COLLEGE OFFERS MIDDLE-INCOME LOANS TO LAS VEGAS STUDENTS

YELLOW SPRINGS, OH - Students from middle-income families in the Las Vegas area who are interested in attending Antioch College in Yellow Springs, Ohio may be eligible for an interest-free, forgivable loan of up to \$7,000 per year. Antioch, one of the nation's most distinguished private liberal arts colleges, is making its Middle Income Assistance Program (MIAP) loans available to Las Vegas-area students who are accepted to the college, and whose families qualify for little or no financial aid.

To be considered for an MIAP loan, Las Vegas students must apply to Antioch College by Feb. 1, 1993. To receive information

about Antioch College, the MIAP loan program, and other scholarship and financial aid opportunities available, Las Vegas students should call the Antioch College Office of Admissions at (800) 543-9436, or write to Antioch College, 795 Livermore St., Yellow Springs, OH 45387.

The Antioch College Middle Income Assistance Program is designed to assist middle income families who qualify for little or no financial aid but who, through some special set of circumstances, can't afford to attend Antioch.

This assistance is in the form of a no-interest loan that is forgivable when the student graduates from Antioch. To qualify for

an MIAP loan, families must show demonstrated need for assistance as determined by a financial aid award committee.

Antioch College is a distinctive national liberal arts college which draws students from across the United States and around the world. From its origins more than a century ago, Antioch has been a pioneer in

HOTLINE AVAILABLE TO HELP WITH ANY SUBSTANCE ABUSE QUESTIONS

If the holidays have got you down or if you're stressed out or if you're concerned about your drinking habits, information on those and many other related topics is at your fingertips.

A hotline featuring more than 60 taped messages relating to substance abuse education and prevention can be reached 24 hours a day by dialing 799-8414 from a touch-tone phone.

General topics covered by the hotline include suicide, stress and depression, "Just Say No," self-esteem and role modeling, marijuana, cocaine, tobacco, inhalants, alcohol and other substances. Community agencies that can be of assistance are also included on the tape.

A brochure listing the three-digit codes needed to access individual messages is available by calling the Substance Abuse Education Office of the Clark County School District at 799-8465. Messages may be ac-

NOTES FROM THE SCHOOL OF AFRICAN PHILOSOPHY

What's worse, having shackles around your ankles or having them around your mind? Hmmm! Silly question? It shouldn't be for either form of enslavement is a gross injustice against mankind. But we grapple with this dilemma constantly. How can we claim to be free, when our minds have not yet been emancipated? When you control a man's thinking you need not worry about his actions because you know what he'll do. Although our physical mobility may not be limited by shackles anymore, our mental potential for growth and elevation is still being impeded. Knowledge is the key to breaking those shackles. Until next week this has been the Minister of Information.

higher education.

Through its co-op program, Antioch pioneered the idea that college must be more than an ivory tower; it must balance scholarship with real-life work experiences.

Antioch College entered the 1990s with a cross-cultural and international curriculum designed to prepare its graduates

to face the global realities of the 21st Century.

This curriculum offers students the opportunity to be experienced in and sensitive to cross-cultural and international environments, to be conversant in languages other than English, and to be aware of cultures in the non-Western as well as the Western world.

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The hotline is funded by a grant from the Drug Free Schools

and Communities Act and is sponsored by the district's Curriculum and Instruction Division.

A Kid's Opinion



by Anika Jones

There are three important things going on in Somalia. One of them is people are dying of starvation, also the gangs are stealing food from the hungry and 3rd the U.S. Troops are guarding the cities.

President Bush decided to send the American Troops to Africa to guard the food. The first thing the troops did when they got there was put up the U.S. Flag. I have no idea why

people didn't help. Maybe its because they are racist. I just don't know what to tell you.

Maybe the world just didn't pay attention. Besides the United States, other foreign countries should help.

I think kids should help too. We could send chain letters to a far-away state or country saying something like this, "Kids, please, you should ask your parents or government to send food or money to help Somalia build grocery stores, buildings and homes!" If you do not want to do this you should at least say a prayer for Our African brothers and sisters.

Anika Jones is a nine year old student at Katz McMillian Elementary School. Her column focuses on people, politics, sports, entertainment and crime.

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