



SCHOLARSHIPS

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Some of these awards are locally sponsored and more easily obtainable than those that are national or state competitions. Essays are usually required. Please plan ahead and allow ample time to prepare all necessary documents.

Kami can be used to complete applications. Questions can be emailed to scholarships@hufsd.edu.

Please be sure to read the friendly reminders on the last page! Good luck!

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2024 STUDENT-VIEW SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM is offering thirteen scholarships between \$500 to \$5,000 to high school seniors who log on to <http://www.student-view.com/ScholarshipWmap.html> and complete a 15-20 minute application survey about colleges in your area. No essay, SAT/ACT scores, or fees required. Deadline is April 23rd.

THE ACTUARIAL FOUNDATION and several other organizations are teaming up to offer high school seniors and current college students who identify as Black, Middle

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Eastern, Latine, Native North American, or Pacific Islander, and plan to study the actuarial profession, scholarships of up to \$20,000. Interested students can learn more and apply by visiting <https://theactuarialfoundation.submittable.com/submit>. Deadline is March 31st.

ADVENTURELAND'S HELPING HANDS FOUNDATION is now accepting applications for the Vivian & Tony Gentile Scholarship and the Sachem Dental Group Endowment Scholarship. Students must be seniors who plan to attend a Long Island college or university full-time in the fall. Students applying to the Sachem Dental Group Endowment must pursue a degree in the medical/health/ or science fields. Four \$2,500 scholarships will be awarded. Students should log on to <http://www.helpinghandsli.org/> and click on Scholarship Fund to apply. Deadline is July 5th.

****THE ASSOCIATION OF SUFFOLK SUPERVISORS FOR EDUCATIONAL TECHNOLOGY (ASSET)** is offering (at least) \$2,000 scholarships to deserving students who will be entering into higher education and studying fields that integrate technology. Interested students must visit [here](#) for a digital application. The application deadline is March 27th.

THE BARBARA C. HARRIS SCHOLAR'S PROGRAM provides financial support of up to \$5,000 to Black, African American and Caribbean students interested in attending community college, four-year college or university, trade, or vocational school. Interested students can apply at <https://www.dioceseli.org/reparations>. Deadline is April 30th.

BP COMMUNITY SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM is available to seniors who are planning to attend a two or four-year college and can demonstrate financial need. Since its inception, the program has awarded over \$3.7 million and over 2,200 scholarships benefiting promising students. Interested students are invited to apply online at www.bpscholarships.com. Scholarship applications must be submitted online by March 22nd.

****THE DREAMS FOR YOUTH SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM** provides financial support so Long Island youth can pursue their dreams and aspirations. Their academic scholarship ranging from \$1,000 to \$2,500 is available to seniors and assists with costs at a college, university, private or vocational school. Applicants must demonstrate financial need and a commitment to community service. Interested students must apply at <http://www.unitedwayli.org/dreamsforyouth>. Deadline is April 28th.

FRIENDS OF THE HUNTINGTON PUBLIC LIBRARY has two \$750 scholarships available for all 2024 high school seniors that live within the Huntington School District. One to be awarded to a senior matriculating in a 2-year or 4-year college and the other to a senior attending a vocational program. Applicants must live within the Huntington School District, be Huntington Public Library card holders, and will be a 2024 graduate.

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Application should include a letter of recommendation, acceptance letter, and an essay on how visiting and using the Huntington Public Library impacted you as a reader, student, and/or in your pursuit of personal interests. Applications are available [here](#). Deadline is May 15th

****FRIENDS OF OHEKA OTTO KAHN AWARDS IN MUSIC, PERFORMING ARTS, AND FINE ARTS** are available for seniors within the Town of Huntington who are planning to enter college or specialized training in one of the three areas above. A questionnaire, two teacher letters of recommendations, samples of work (CD, DVD, or photos) and a headshot photo is required. Applications are available [here](#). Deadline is March 28th.

****HUNTINGTON LIONS CLUB** will award a \$5,000 scholarship, payable in installments. The award will be based on financial need, service to the community and school, academic accomplishments, and acceptance to an accredited academic institution. A copy of the Financial Aid Form, SAT scores, and a letter of recommendation must be included. Applications are available [here](#) and are due to Ms. Bonilla in Guidance West. Deadline is April 18th.

****THE HUNTINGTON MARINE CORPS** is offering two scholarships of up to \$2,000 to qualifying students who are related to a former marine. Candidates must plan on attending a college/university upon graduation and submit an essay. Interested student can click [here](#) for more information. Deadline is May 1st.

ISLAND FEDERAL CREDIT UNION will award eleven high school seniors scholarships of \$2,500 - \$10,000. Interested student should visit <https://www.islandfcu.org/Island-Scholarship.aspx> for more information. Deadline is April 19th.

JOVIA'S FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP is a \$3,000 scholarship awarded to high school seniors. Eligible seniors must have a 90 GPA or above, complete an essay, provide proof of 50 community service hours, participate in 3 extracurricular activities and/or sports, and be a Jovia member. Interested students should visit <https://www.jovia.org/learn/scholarships/family-scholarship-application> to apply. (Please copy and paste the link to your web browser if you are having trouble opening it.) Family Scholarship applicants will be eligible to apply for Jovia's Premier Scholarship which awards one \$50,000 scholarship paid out over four years. Deadline is May 1st.

****JULIE PEIERLS SCHOLARSHIP**, sponsored by Theatre Three, in the amount of \$1,000, will be presented to a Long Island senior planning to pursue a career in professional theatre, as well as pursue theatrical education at a college as a musical theatre major or at a conservatory. Completed application, audition, and interview are required. Applications are available at <https://theatrethree.com/julie-peierls-scholarship/>. Deadline is June 1st.

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THE LINKS INC. SCHOLARSHIP is a national public service organization of professional African American women who provide academic support and promote education among African American youth in Suffolk County. Interested students should have plans to attend college or vocational school, maintain a GPA of 3.0 or higher, and have a financial need. Students can click [here](#) for more information and for an application. Deadline is April 15th.

LONG ISLAND AUTHORS GROUP, INC. is offering all students a prize of up to \$500 if they place in an Essay Challenge based on Long Island. Interested student can learn more [here](#). Deadline is April 4th.

LONG ISLAND FAIR SCHOLARSHIPS will award up to ten \$1,000 scholarships to New York high school seniors and current college students. The application is open to all applicants regardless of field of study, however, additional consideration may be given to those pursuing a degree related to agriculture, fair management or the outdoor amusement business. Applications must be downloaded from <https://www.nyfairs.org/scholarships.htm>. Completed applications must be printed and signed by the applicant and parent/guardian. Application, with required attachments, must be sent together to local Member fair or to the NYSSA for endorsement. Deadline is April 12th.

THE MILLIE D'AGOSTINO SCHOLARSHIP is available to seniors interested in Musical Theatre or Acting. Interested students must visit <https://www.themilliedagostinofund.com/apply> for more information. Deadline is May 15th.

THE NETWORK OF ENLIGHTENED WOMEN ESSAY CONTEST invites high school juniors and seniors and college women to submit a 600-750 word essay for the chance to win a \$1,000 scholarship and the chance to be published in a national publication. Interested students can visit <https://enlightenedwomen.org/programs/new-essay-contest/> to apply and find more information. Deadline is March 31st.

****PERRY COMO LODGE** will award two \$1,000 scholarships to seniors of Italian-American ancestry who will enroll in a four-year college or university in the fall. Students must be able to attend the Annual Scholarship Awards Night on June 8th. A transcript, two letters of recommendation, list of activities, and essay are required. Interested students should click [here](#) for an application. Deadline is April 27th.

****THE REA JACOBS SCHOLARSHIP FOR DANCE** is a competitive scholarship for Nassau and Suffolk High School Graduating Seniors who are pursuing a four year college degree with a major or minor in Dance. One award of \$1000 will be given in 2023 to a male or female student. The scholarship is funded by the Long Island Dance Consortium and the Jacobs Family. Interested students should visit <http://www.huntingtonarts.org/programs/arts-in-education/scholarship-programs/> for an application. Deadline for receipt of required portfolio is May 1st.

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THE ROBERT KELEHER PRIVATE FOUNDATION provides scholarships to students from the community of Long Island in remembrance of Robert Keleher, a successful businessman and entrepreneur. Scholarship criteria includes GPA, community service, extra-curricular activities, letters of recommendation, financial need, and future academic interest. Applications are available [here](#). Deadline is April 30th.

****SANDI BLOOMBERG SCHOLARSHIP FOR DANCE** will award one Long Island senior a \$1,000 scholarship for continuing the study of dance in college. Interested students should visit <http://www.huntingtonarts.org/programs/arts-in-education/scholarship-programs/> for an application. Deadline for receipt of required portfolio is May 1st.

SUFFOLK COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE AND SUFFOLK FEDERAL award more than \$625,000 in scholarships for incoming, continuing and graduating Suffolk students. For more information, please visit <https://www.sunysuffolk.edu/apply-enroll/scholarships/> and <https://sunysuffolk.academicworks.com/opportunities>.

TZU CHI USA SCHOLARS is a scholarship program funded by Buddhist Tzu Chi Foundation to recognize and provide financial assistance to outstanding college-bound high school graduates and continuing undergraduate students in selected areas of the United States. Tzu Chi USA Scholars are selected based on their financial need, academic achievement, and community involvement. Each Scholar will receive an award of \$1,000. Interested students should apply at <https://tzuchi.us/scholarships>. (Please copy and paste the link to your web browser if you are having trouble opening it.) Deadline is March 31st.

****VIRGINIA W. SMITH SCHOLARSHIP** of \$2,500 is available to one Long Island senior who plans to further his/her education by majoring in horticulture, environment, or conservation studies. An interview is required. Students can access the application at <http://ncgc.org> by clicking on Scholarship. Deadline is June 1st.

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CONTESTS & PROGRAMS FOR ALL GRADES

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THE ABBOTT & FENNER SCHOLARSHIP of \$1,000 is available to all high school **juniors and seniors**. An essay describing educational career and life goals must be submitted. Interested students should visit <http://www.abbottandfenner.com/scholarships.htm>. Deadline is June 10th.

****THE DREAMS FOR YOUTH SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM** provides financial support so Long Island youth can pursue their dreams and aspirations. Their enrichment scholarship ranging from \$100 to \$2,500 is available to students **in grades 7-12** and assists with costs associated with activities that enrich mind, body, and spirit. Examples may include music, singing, dance, art lessons, computer graphics training, acting, photography, fashion design and specialized summer camps, etc. Funds may be used for enrollment fees and/or supplies. Applicants must demonstrate financial need and a commitment to community service. Interested students must apply at <http://www.unitedwayli.org/dreamsforyouth>. Deadline is April 28th.

THE JOAN ABOFF MEMORIAL ART SCHOLARSHIP is a competitive visual arts scholarship to Usdan; Summer Camp for the Arts for 10th and 11th grade students residing in the town of Huntington. The scholarship is funded by the Aboff family. Interested students can visit <https://www.huntingtonarts.org/programs/arts-in-education/scholarship-programs/>. Deadline is March 22nd.

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Students who have recommendation letters on file or need official transcripts must see Ms. Wallace in Guidance West.

*You have access to scholarships at any point in time by accessing your Naviance account. Just click "Colleges" and "Scholarships and Money" to find your **FREE** money!*

The following websites contain scholarship information as well:

www.fastweb.com

www.scholarships.com

www.Collegeanswer.com

www.scholarshipamerica.org/students

<https://www.cappex.com/scholarships>

<https://www.studentscholarships.org/>

<http://www.guaranteed-scholarships.com/>

<https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/scholarship-search>

www.scholarshipguidance.com

<https://www.usda.gov/youth/scholarships>

<https://www.maldef.org/resources/scholarship-resources/>

<https://lendedu.com/>

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