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GENERAL SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

What is the Community Foundations Scholarship Program?

The Community Foundations administers a wide variety of scholarship funds for area residents and others attending post-secondary, technical and vocational institutions of higher learning.

Am I eligible to apply?

All of the scholarships have very specific criteria that applicants must meet. The donor or advisory committees defined the eligibility criteria when the scholarship was established. However, the general criteria that apply to most scholarships is listed below.

Applicants must:

- ◆ plan to attend an accredited two or four-year college or university as an undergraduate student or
- ◆ plan to attend an accredited vocational or technical institution
- ◆ enroll as a full-time student (12 credit hours undergraduate)
- ◆ demonstrate academic achievement
- ◆ demonstrate financial need
- ◆ scholarships may not be applied to past due expenses

May I apply for more than one scholarship?

Yes. You may apply to any scholarship for which you meet the eligibility requirements. Check each scholarship description for further details.

How much does it cost to apply for a scholarship?

There is no charge to apply.

Will the scholarship awards cover the entire costs of my college education?

No. Scholarship awards are intended to provide only partial support. Most scholarships offer varying award amounts depending on the size of the fund, the number of qualified applicants and the criteria of the fund. Students should investigate additional sources of financial aid such as those listed in financial aid offices of high schools, colleges and public libraries. High school and college counselors can also provide information for federal financial aid.

Where can I attend school with these scholarships?

Most of the scholarships are for schools in the United States. Exceptions are noted in the individual scholarship descriptions.

Are the scholarship awards taxable?

Generally, scholarships used for educational costs, such as tuition, fees, books and supplies are not taxable. However, any portion of the scholarship used for room and board or miscellaneous expenses is taxable. Please consult a tax expert for advice.

Do I need to repay scholarship money?

No. Scholarships are charitable grants.

Will the Community Foundations release any of my personal information that it receives?

All information received is confidential and will only be reviewed by the appropriate scholarship review committee members who agree to maintain confidentiality.

Does Community Foundations make the decisions regarding who receives scholarships?

Each scholarship fund has its own advisory committee that reviews applications and makes recommendations for scholarship recipients to the Community Foundations' Board of Trustees.

When will I be notified?

All complete scholarship application submissions will receive a confirmation of receipt. All award recipients will receive notification after the selection committees meet, by late June in most cases. Applicants that do not receive notification were not selected for awards.

If I am awarded a scholarship, will I receive the check?

No. The check goes directly to the institution's financial aid or scholarship office.

If I receive a scholarship one year, will I automatically receive an award for the following year?

No. In most cases, scholarships are not renewable. A few scholarships do allow you to apply again in subsequent years. Several of the scholarships are multi-year and there are conditions for continuation. Check each scholarship description for further information.

Where would I send a thank-you letter if I receive a scholarship?

Address a thank-you letter to "Scholarship Committee" and mail it to Community Foundations, 80 Washington Street, Suite 201, Poughkeepsie, NY 12601. Thank you letters are encouraged and are appreciated by Donors and Committee members.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES

How do I apply?

Complete the appropriate **online application** via the **Scholarship Application Portal** on the Foundations' website www.communityfoundationshv.org. Complete applications along with all of the required attachments must be submitted online by **April 1**, unless a special deadline is noted.

A complete application includes:

- ◆ A completed online application
- ◆ Essay discussing your special interests, career goals, and activities (500 words or less). Some scholarships ask for an essay on a specific topic so look closely at the criteria. When requested, that specific essay should replace the general topic mentioned above.
- ◆ Most recent official academic transcript
- ◆ Copy of your Student Aid Report (SAR) and Expected Family Contribution (EFC) information, which you will receive when you complete and submit your Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). Only the summary page of the report is needed.
- ◆ Two current letters of recommendation from teachers, employers, coaches, clergy or persons other than family members who are familiar with your skills and abilities. Some scholarships may specify recommendations from specific individuals. Attach letters on official letterhead including a signature.
- ◆ List of extra-curricular activities and work experience and/or resumes.
- ◆ Any additional attachments listed in the description of the scholarship fund to which you are applying.

When is the application deadline?

Your application and all related attachments must be submitted by **April 1st** unless a special deadline is noted.

APPLICATION TIMELINE

January 1st	Applications are live on Community Foundations' website
April 1st	Deadline for most applications and all related attachments submitted online
April - June	Advisory Committees meet
June	Award notifications
July-August	Scholarship checks mailed to recipients' schools

Please note: All complete scholarship application submissions will receive a confirmation of receipt. All award recipients will receive notification after the review committees meet, by late June in most cases. Applicants that do not receive notification were not selected for awards.

Questions

If you have any questions, please contact the Community Foundations at (845) 452-3077 or scholarships@communityfoundationshv.org.

HELPFUL APPLICATION INFORMATION

The Application:

Most of the time, one or more people will see, read, review and score your application. It matters how you prepare your application. Here are a few things to keep in mind:

1. Follow the directions
2. Watch and correct spelling and grammar

1. Follow The Directions:

The Foundations will simply discard applications that are incomplete, missing attachments or do not comply with the stated instructions. Do not assume that you will be notified if your application is incomplete or missing attachments. It is solely your responsibility to submit a complete application. There is no benefit to turning in an incomplete application early.

2. Watch Your Spelling and Grammar:

Since you are applying for a scholarship to college, there are certain expectations. At a minimum, it is expected that you know how to use spell-check.

We provide you with an online application and recommend that you work from a Microsoft Word file so that you may save your work and copy/paste your responses into the online application. Perform a spell-check for all sections/attachments. Knowing that spell-check does not always catch everything, you should have a good speller proofread your work before you submit your application. It is difficult to compose, type, and proof your own work.

Remember: while Microsoft Word is a helpful tool to spell check, the software cannot read your mind. The words “their”, “there” and “they’re” are all spelled correctly, but they mean different things. Don’t rely on spell-check as a grammar check. You might also try reading your answers out loud as a way to identify spelling or grammar mistakes. Poor grammar and punctuation will kill a great application.

The Essay:

All applications require an essay. Some scholarships require a specialized essay. It is your responsibility to review the requirements for each scholarship and submit the correct materials. Not submitting the specific required essay will also kill an otherwise great application.

There are several key elements to writing a good essay. There are also several known rules when it comes to essays.

Any and all essays or papers you write should be your own work. Anything you copy or use that comes from someone else is their work - not yours. If you use someone else’s work and do not credit them for the thoughts and ideas, it is plagiarism.

If you are asked to attach a specific essay, write about the subject matter that is listed. Tie your essay to the scholarship. If it is a memorial scholarship, what does the scholarship description say about the donor or the person named in the scholarship? How can you relate to the description of the scholarship or person? You can use most of your essay over again, but the personal touches may help it stand out.

Read and follow all of the information above about grammar, punctuation, spelling and proofreading.

The Transcript:

Most scholarships for which you are applying require you to attach your official transcript(s), you will need to obtain a copy from the school you currently (or last) attend(ed) in advance of the application deadline. If you need more information, contact your guidance counselor, academic advisor or school office.

The FAFSA – Free Application for Student Aid:

Every student who wants to attend college and be considered for financial aid must fill out a FAFSA. Even if you do not think that you are eligible for Student or Financial Aid, most colleges and universities now mandate that you must complete the FAFSA. Non-Traditional students must also complete the FAFSA. Keep in mind that completing the FAFSA is a bit time consuming. You will need your most recent tax information. If you are someone's dependent, (this usually applies to students living at home who have just graduated from high school), you will need their tax information. For more information, contact your school guidance office, your academic advisor, or visit the FAFSA website at:

<http://www.fafsa.ed.gov>. You will need to complete the FAFSA in order to get your SAR (Student Aid Report) that contains your EFC (Expected Family Contribution) which is required for most scholarships. The FAFSA form should be completed well in advance of the scholarship application deadline to ensure the information is processed and returned to you in time to be included in the application. Only the summary page of the SAR (which includes the EFC data) is required.

The SAR – Student Aid Report:

Once you complete the FAFSA, you will receive a SAR. This report has all the pertinent information that your college, university or other institution of higher education needs in order to determine the amount of financial aid for which you are eligible. Most scholarships at the Community Foundations require you to attach your SAR to your scholarship application.

The EFC – Expected Family Contribution:

The EFC is usually located in the upper right corner of your SAR. Colleges, universities and other institutions of higher education use this number to determine the amount of financial aid for which you are eligible. We use it as a guide for financial need as well.

Letters of Recommendation:

The recommendations you supply should never come from people related to you. If all of your work experience is at a family-owned business, and your mom or dad was your boss for the last 3 years, do not use them as a reference. Use a teacher, a coach, a clergy member from your church, etc. – **anyone except family**.

It is a good idea to talk to the person recommending you about the scholarship you are seeking so they will know how to best represent you. Simply attaching a letter of recommendation from another use (i.e. your college application) will not help you stand out with the scholarship committee. Letters of recommendation should be on official letterhead and be signed by the person writing the letter.

Make sure to include people who know what type of person you are and who are familiar with your work. It is important to select individuals who know your distinctiveness so that they can provide a positive and accurate description of you.

Their recommendation of you should include:

- Their name and your name
- How they know you
- How long they have known you

OTHER SCHOLARSHIP RESOURCES

This Scholarship Directory is just a starting point. It makes sense to investigate all possible sources of assistance for which you may be eligible. Check with your guidance counselor. Prior to your senior year, read your hometown newspapers (especially in April, May and June) for the names of scholarships given in your area. If you think you may qualify, contact the sponsoring organization.

The Community Foundations in partnership with several other organizations offers additional scholarships through your guidance department and from our website at www.communityfoundationshv.org. These include the Miles of Hope Breast Cancer Foundation Scholarship and several scholarships from the Dutchess County Regional Chamber of Commerce through The Chamber Foundation. The Community Foundations also works with several school districts to offer scholarships and awards with recipients selected by the schools. We encourage you to check the Scholarship section of our website for additional scholarship opportunities.

You should also contact your house of worship (i.e. church, synagogue, mosque, etc.) to see if either the local or national organization offers any student aid programs. Contact local civic and fraternal organizations, religious groups, and veterans' posts; many local, state and national units sponsor some scholarship programs, especially for members' children. Sometimes these are limited to a specified high school; more often they are given to a local area that includes several high schools.

Ask your parents to check with their employers. Many employers have some form of scholarship or grant aid available to help employees' children meet educational expenses; sometimes these programs are competitive, with awards based on academic achievement, while others are based on demonstrated need alone.

If your parents are members of labor unions or trade and professional associations, they may discover that these organizations have some type of aid available to assist members' children. If one of your parents is a military veteran, you might also qualify for some help. Investigate programs that may be underwritten by local businesses and industries. Much assistance is still provided by the general government, the states, and increasingly, the schools and colleges involved.

USEFUL WEBSITES

www.college-scholarships.com – a valuable resource on many subjects

www.ed.gov - U.S. Department of Education

www.fafsa.ed.gov - to complete your FAFSA electronically

www.fastweb.com - FastWEB, the nation's largest FREE scholarship search engine

www.finaid.org - comprehensive annotated collection of information about student financial aid on the web

www.nylottery.org/index.php - one eligible graduating senior from every participating public and private high school in

New York State is awarded a \$4,000, four-year college scholarship, paid in \$1,000 annual increments.

www.mappingyourfuture.org - electronic entrance and exit interviews; financial aid and literacy information

www.nasfaa.org - National Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators

www.petersons.com - Peterson's Education & Career Center

www.salliemae.com - Sallie Mae student loan servicing

SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS

***Note: Unless a special deadline is indicated all applications must be submitted by April 1st ***



Acacio "Roger" Rodrigues Memorial Scholarship

Established by the Rodrigues family, in memory of Acacio "Roger" Rodrigues, scholarships will be awarded to graduating high school seniors who reside in Dutchess, Putnam or Westchester County, NY or Fairfield County, CT and who plan to study in a field which will lead to a career in the building/construction industry. The scholarships will be awarded to individuals who will be full time students at any accredited vocational school, college or university in the United States.

Award Amount: \$2,000 minimum
Number of Awards: Varies
Type of Award: Renewable up to four years payable to school
Eligibility Requirements:

- Graduating high school senior or a currently enrolled undergraduate student
- Reside in Dutchess, Putnam or Westchester County, NY or Fairfield County, CT
- Plan to study in a field which will lead to a career in the building/construction industry

Application: Online Application



Alexander Cervone Scholarship

Established in memory of gifted guitarist and musician Alexander Cervone, this scholarship is available to graduating high school seniors of Our Lady of Lourdes High School and Spackenkill High School who have demonstrated a passion or aptitude for music or history. The scholarship will be awarded to individuals who will be full time students at any accredited college or university in the United States. It may be used for tuition, books and fees.

Award Amount: \$1,000
Number of Awards: 1
Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school
Eligibility requirements:

- Graduating senior from Our Lady of Lourdes High School or Spackenkill High School
- Demonstrated passion for music and/or student/athletes who have demonstrated an aptitude for history while in high school

Alternative Materials: One letter of recommendation must be related to music or history
Application: Online Application



Andy Vito/ Harold Tompkins/ Ron Vece Scholarship

Established by the Hudson Valley Umpires Association, in memory of Andy Vito, Harold Tompkins and Ron Vece, this scholarship is available to Dutchess County high school graduates who have played high school baseball.

Award Amount: \$750-\$1,000
Number of Awards: Minimum of 2
Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school
Eligibility requirements:

- Graduating senior from a Dutchess County high school
- Participate in high school baseball

Alternative Materials: One letter of recommendation must be from your baseball coach
Application: Online Application



Applewood Leadership Scholarship: *(multi-year)*

The scholarship is available for incoming Dutchess Community College students of African or Caribbean descent who are residents of the City of Poughkeepsie and are 21 and under. Applicants must be current or former students at Poughkeepsie High School. Recipients of this scholarship will be part of the Applewood Leadership for High Achievement (ALPHA) Initiative at Dutchess Community College. Funds shall be used for educational purposes.

Award Amount: \$4,000
Number of Awards: 4 awarded annually
Type of Award: Renewable for an additional year
Eligibility Requirements:

- Be an incoming full-time Dutchess Community College student who is 21 and under
- Current or former student at Poughkeepsie High School
- Resident of the City of Poughkeepsie
- Be of African or Caribbean descent
- Demonstrate financial need

Conditions for Continuation: Must maintain “B-” or equivalent GPA to continue receiving funds while at Dutchess Community College

Application: Online Application



ATHENA Scholarship (Adult)

THE CHAMBER FOUNDATION INC.
SOWING THE SEEDS OF LEADERSHIP

The ATHENA Adult Scholarship was established by The Dutchess County Chamber and The Chamber Foundation to encourage increased career opportunities for women in our community. This scholarship is available to any female Dutchess County resident, who works or volunteers in Dutchess County, has graduated high school or its equivalent or has graduated college, and has been out of school for at least five years, and is pursuing education at an accredited New York State college, university or trade school or through an accredited online educational program.

Amount of Award(s): Awards range from \$1,000 - \$2,000
Number of Awards: Varies
Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school
Eligibility Requirements:

- Female Dutchess County resident, who works or volunteers in Dutchess County
- Has been out of high school for at least 5 years
- Pursuing education at an accredited New York State college, university or trade school or through an accredited online educational program while maintaining residency in Dutchess County

Application: Online Application



Bret Alan Frattellone Scholarship

Established in memory of Bret, this scholarship will be awarded annually to a graduating senior from Lakeland High School who plans to major in communications, music education or music performance at any accredited college or university in the United States.

Amount of Award(s): \$1,000
Number of Awards: 1
Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school
Eligibility Requirements:

- Graduating from Lakeland High School (Westchester County, NY)
- Plan to major in communications, music education or music performance.
(Communications majors may include related fields of study, i.e., marketing, public relations, journalism, etc.)

Application: Online Application



Charles S. North Scholarship for Music & Art

Established by the Dutchess County Regional Chamber of Commerce and sponsored by Paul Effman Music to encourage the pursuit of music and arts in education, this scholarship is available to any graduating high school senior who is a resident of Dutchess County and is majoring in music performance, music/art education or visual arts (ceramics, drawing, sculpture, printmaking, design, crafts, photography, video, filmmaking and architecture) at an accredited college or university in the United States.

Amount of Award(s): Awards range from \$1,000 - \$1,500

Number of Awards: 1

Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school

Eligibility Requirements:

- Graduating high school senior
- Resident of Dutchess County
- Pursuing a college degree in music performance, music/art education or visual arts

Application: Online Application



Christopher M. C. Ulanmo Memorial Scholarship

The Christopher M. C. Ulanmo Memorial Scholarship fund honors Chris' life by granting a scholarship to a senior at John Jay High School who plans to go to college. Chris was a kind, happy, fun loving, giving and intelligent person, who had a positive influence on everyone he knew. He was generous, loved family, community and had many friends. Chris was a teenager with a promising future and the ability to become anything. He aspired to become a doctor, because he believed in service to others. The scholarship has been established to help others, who exemplify generosity, intelligence, goodwill, and a love for life.

Award Amount: \$500 minimum

Number of Awards: 1

Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school

Eligibility requirements:

- Graduating from John Jay High School
- Entering a four year college or university full time
- Demonstrated academic achievement and a strong record of community service

Application: Online Application



Cosimo DiBrizzi Culinary Arts Scholarship

Established by the family of Cosimo DiBrizzi and the Dutchess County Regional Chamber of Commerce to honor his memory, this scholarship is available to any resident of the Mid-Hudson Valley who is pursuing a career at the Culinary Institute of America. (*Mid-Hudson is defined as Columbia, Dutchess, Greene, Orange, Putnam and Ulster counties.*)

Amount of Award(s): Awards range from \$1,500 - \$3,000

Number of Awards: Varies

Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school

Eligibility Requirements:

- Accepted and planning to enroll within the next 6 months or currently enrolled at the CIA
- Residency in the Hudson Valley must be for at least 5 years if currently enrolled at CIA
- Demonstrated interest in the culinary arts
- Financial need

Application: Online Application



David Jagaciewski Scholarship

Established by family and friends in memory of David Jagaciewski who passed away on November 29, 2006. David was a teacher of technology education at Poughkeepsie High School for 33 years. This scholarship is established to assist students in receiving a post-secondary education. The scholarship shall be applied to tuition costs at an accredited college or university in the United States.

Award Amount: \$1,000 minimum

Number of Awards: 1

Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school

Eligibility Requirement:

- Graduating senior from Poughkeepsie High School
- C+ average or better
- Pursuing a course of study in the arts, architecture or engineering, interior or fashion design, family or consumer science or landscape architecture

Application: Online Application



Dennis J. Markle Memorial Scholarship

Established by the family and friends of Dennis Markle, the scholarship is available to a graduating student of Poughkeepsie High School or Millbrook High School planning to major in Education (students planning to major in History will be considered if there is not an appropriate candidate majoring in Education). The scholarship shall be applied to tuition costs at an accredited college or university in the United States.

Award Amount: \$1,000

Number of Awards: 1

Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school

Eligibility Requirement:

- Demonstrate financial need
- Planning to major in Education (History majors may be considered)
- Graduating from Poughkeepsie High School or Millbrook High School
- Intended for “B” students
- Involved in extracurricular activities and/or community service

Application: Online Application



Doherty-Package Pavement Company Scholarship

Package Pavement Company, Inc., Red Wing Properties, Inc., and Stormville Trucking, Inc. began with the formation of Package Pavement Company by Walter G. and Marion J. Doherty in 1951. The company moved to Dutchess County in 1953 and has prospered here.

Walter Doherty’s love was teaching. His first job after college was teaching children with tuberculosis. Although he gave up the school setting, he never gave up teaching. He imparted knowledge to his children, grandchildren, friends and employees. Doherty family members were encouraged to believe in and love learning.

Education has always been a high priority with the Dohertys. Second generation Dohertys assisted with the education of local schoolchildren through plant tours, speaking, and gifts to area organizations. Third generation Dohertys now lead this group of companies, and in keeping with the family’s educational priorities, they and the Boards of Directors are pleased to offer this scholarship to the children of company employees. Students continuing their education beyond high school, whose parents or guardians have been employed by one of the companies for at least five years, are eligible to apply. The scholarship is generally not renewable, but winners may apply in up to four subsequent years.

Award Amount: \$500-\$3,000

Number of Awards: Varies

Type of Award: Not renewable but recipients may reapply in subsequent years

Eligibility Requirement:

- Applicant's parent/guardian must be an employee of the Package Pavement Company, Inc., Red Wing Properties, Inc., or Stormville Trucking, Inc. companies for at least five years
- Demonstrate ability to succeed in college
- Demonstrate financial need
- Involvement in volunteer activities or employment

Application:

Online Application



Eileen Hickey Nursing Scholarship

Established by the family of Eileen Hickey and the Dutchess County Regional Chamber of Commerce to honor her memory, this scholarship is sponsored by The Pines at Poughkeepsie and is available to any resident of Dutchess County who is pursuing a career in nursing at a college in New York state.

Amount of Award(s): \$1,500 minimum

Number of Awards: 1

Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school

Eligibility Requirements

- Dutchess County resident enrolling at/enrolled at a college in New York state
- Planning to pursue a career in nursing
- Good academic performance
- Financial need

Application:

Online Application



Elena Eckert Memorial Scholarship

The Elena Eckert Memorial Scholarship was established in loving memory of Elena Eckert, a New York State Corrections officer that served for roughly three decades. Her son Billy created the scholarship to honor two of his mother's strongest beliefs: helping high school seniors in the local community achieve their dreams of higher education; and, giving back to family members of those that selflessly protect and serve in police, corrections and the armed forces. The scholarship is available to Dutchess, Orange, Putnam and Ulster County high school seniors who are the children or grandchildren of current or former armed forces members, police officers or corrections officers.

Award Amount: Minimum \$1,500

Number of Awards: 1

Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school

Eligibility requirements:

- Graduating senior from Dutchess, Orange, Putnam or Ulster County
- Child or grandchild of current or former armed forces members, police officers or corrections officers (must provide name, department and rank/capacity of person).
- Have a B- or above grade point average

Alternative Materials:

Essay topic: "How has being a child or grandchild of an armed forces member, police officer or corrections officer impacted your life to this point, and how do you believe that experience will benefit you in your future endeavors?" (Approximately 500 words)

Application:

Online Application



Frank Thomas Groff Scholarship (multi-year):

The scholarship is available to members of a Roman Catholic Church who are graduating seniors of a high school in Dutchess County. The scholarship shall be applied to tuition costs of completing an Associate or Baccalaureate degree at an accredited college or university in the United States.

Award Amount: \$1,000

Number of Awards: 1 awarded every other year in odd # years (offered spring 2019)

Type of Award: Renewable for up to four years and payable to the school

Eligibility Requirements:

- Member of a Roman Catholic Church
- Graduating from a Dutchess County High School
- Involved in extracurricular activities or paid employment
- Demonstrate financial need

Conditions for Continuation: Must maintain "B -" or equivalent GPA to continue receiving funds while attending the undergraduate institution

Alternative materials: One recommendation must be from your parish priest

Application: Online Application



George A. and Catherine V. Quill Scholarship

Through the thoughtfulness and generosity of George A. Quill and his wife Catherine V. Quill, a scholarship fund has been established for the benefit of the residents of Dutchess and Orange counties. Mr. and Mrs. Quill were active in their community as residents of Beacon, New York for 35 years. The Quill's encouraged young people to have faith in God. They stressed the importance in getting a good education, being self-sufficient, and living a respectable and honest life. This scholarship is not necessarily intended for those students with the highest grade point average, but rather intended for those students who must apply themselves to prosper or those who are able to demonstrate financial need.

Amount of Award: \$1,000-\$1,500

Number of Awards: Varies

Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school

Eligibility Requirements:

- Graduating senior from Beacon High School, John Jay, Roy C. Ketcham, Poughkeepsie High School, or Newburgh Free Academy
- Ability to succeed in college but not necessarily the highest achieving student
- Demonstrated financial need
- Involvement in extracurricular activities, sports and employment

Alternative Materials: **Three letters of recommendation, one each from: teacher, employer and clergy**

Application: Online Application



H. Normington Schofield Scholarship

Established by the family and friends of Norm Schofield, scholarships are available to graduating seniors of Beacon, John Jay, Roy C. Ketcham and Our Lady of Lourdes High School planning to major in environmental studies or education.

Award Amount: \$1,000 minimum

Number of Awards: Varies

Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school

Eligibility Requirements:

- Graduating senior from Beacon, John Jay, Roy C. Ketcham or Our Lady of Lourdes High School
- Planning to major in Environmental Studies or in Education

Application: Online Application



Helen H. Huntington Memorial Scholarship (*multi-year*):

Established by her family to honor her memory, this scholarship celebrates the long and very full life of Helen H. Huntington who resided in New Paltz. This multi-year scholarship is open to graduating seniors of New Paltz High School who must apply themselves to prosper and who demonstrate financial need and who plan to attend an accredited college.

Award Amount: \$1,000 per year for no more than four consecutive years
Number of Awards: 1
Type of Award: Renewable up to four years and payable to the school
Eligibility Requirements:

- Graduating senior from New Paltz High School
- Applicants must have a minimum “B minus” or equivalent high school GPA.
- Financial Need

Conditions for Continuation: The scholarship is renewable for up to an additional three years. The scholarship is renewable based on the student having achieved a GPA of at least 2.7 (B-) in their freshman year; a GPA of at least 2.7 in their sophomore year and a GPA of at least 3.0 (B) in their junior year. A student attending a 2-year community college is eligible to receive the additional two years if they immediately transfer to a 4-year college or university and follow the GPA requirements.

Application: Online Application



Honorable Anthony L. Pagonés Memorial Scholarship:

Through the generosity of friends and the community, this scholarship honors the life of the Honorable Anthony L. Pagonés. Having grown up in Beacon, Judge Pagonés dedicated his life to serving the people and places of the area. He was elected as the Beacon City Court Judge and maintained that position until 1997. In addition to serving as the Attorney for the City of Beacon School District, and for the City of Beacon, he acted as legal counsel for many other charitable and volunteer organizations. A scholarship will be awarded to a Dutchess County graduating senior with a preference for a Beacon resident, who has the intention to study law, political science/government or criminal justice.

Award Amount: \$1,000
Number of Awards: 1
Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school
Eligibility Requirements:

- Graduating senior from Dutchess County school with a preference for a Beacon resident
- Planning to major in law, political science/government or criminal justice
- Community involvement
- Financial need

Application: Online Application



Hudson Valley Financial Professionals Scholarship

Established by the Hudson Valley Financial Professionals, one scholarship will be awarded to a graduating senior from a Dutchess County high school who wishes to pursue a career in the financial services industry at any accredited college or university.

Award Amount: \$500
Number of Awards: 1
Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school
Eligibility Requirements:

- Graduating senior from a Dutchess County high school
- Planning on a career in the financial services industry

Application: Online Application



Hudson Valley Guns and Hoses Scholarship

Established by Hudson Valley Guns and Hoses, a scholarship is available to paid or volunteer firefighters or law enforcement officers (or an immediate relative of a paid or volunteer firefighter or law enforcement officer) who are college bound or currently enrolled undergraduate or graduate college students in Dutchess, Orange, Putnam and Ulster Counties. The scholarship will be awarded to individuals who will be either a full time undergraduate or matriculated graduate students at any accredited college or university or vocational school in the United States who plan to major in Criminal

Justice, Fire Science, Public Administration or related fields. Students meeting the Hudson Valley Guns and Hoses scholarship criteria may be considered for the **Captain Jack Rose** or the **Deputy Sheriff Kristopher Cuddeback** Scholarship. Female students meeting the Hudson Valley Guns and Hoses scholarship criteria may be considered for the **Julia "JULES" Eurillo** Scholarship.

- Award Amount:** Minimum \$1,000
Number of Awards: Minimum of 2 awards
Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school
Eligibility Requirements:
- Paid or volunteer firefighters or law enforcement officers (or an immediate relative of a paid or volunteer firefighter or law enforcement officer)
 - College bound or currently enrolled undergraduate or graduate college students in Dutchess, Orange, Putnam or Ulster Counties.
 - Plan to major in Criminal Justice, Fire Science, Public Administration or related fields
- Application:** Online Application



Jay Lamando Scholarship

Established by family and friends to honor his personal challenges against diabetes, this scholarship recognizes the impact others can have on an individual life, celebrating character, discipline, family and teamwork. The scholarship will be awarded to graduating seniors from John Jay and Roy C. Ketcham High Schools who play on an athletic team or are active in after school club(s)/activities and plan to attend an accredited 4-year college or university or a 2-year community college full time.

- Award Amount:** \$500
Number of Awards: 2 awards– 1 at each school, minimum
Type of Award: One-time nonrenewable scholarship payable to school
Eligibility Requirements:
- Graduating senior of John Jay or Roy C. Ketcham High School
 - Minimum GPA of 2.5 or equivalent
 - Participation in sports, other extracurricular activities
 - Financial need

Alternative materials: Essay topic: Discuss someone who made an impact on your life who was an inspiration and how you have used this experience to “pay it forward” (include any or all of these aspects: character, discipline, family and/or teamwork). Two letters of recommendation, one of which must be from a coach and/or teacher involved with the after school club/activity.

Application: Online Application



Jennifer Coudrey Memorial Scholarship

Established by WRRV, this scholarship will be awarded to a young woman in the Hudson Valley who shares Jen’s positive attitude, desire to help others and determination to work hard pursuing a career in physical therapy.

- Amount of Award:** \$1,000
Number of Awards: 1
Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school
Eligibility Requirements:
- Female, graduating high school senior from schools in Dutchess, Orange or Ulster counties.
 - Intending to pursue a career in physical therapy.

Application: Online Application



John F. DeGilio Science Scholarship

In recognition of his 50 years as an educator and his 70th birthday, former students, family, friends and neighbors of John F. DeGilio established a fund to provide scholarships to college-bound graduating seniors of Poughkeepsie High School

who plan to pursue a career in science. The scholarship will be awarded to a full time student at any accredited college or university in the United States.

- Amount of Award(s):** \$500
Number of Awards: 1
Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school
Eligibility Requirements:
- Graduating senior from Poughkeepsie High School
 - Demonstrate an avid interest/ability in science and plan to pursue a career in it
 - Demonstrate financial need
- Application:** Online Application



John J. Csizmar Scholarship

Established by John Csizmar, scholarships will be awarded to one graduating male senior and one graduating female senior from Poughkeepsie High School who have achieved a strong academic record, and have participated in high school sports or and/or community service projects.

- Amount of Award:** \$3,500
Number of Awards: 2 (1 male and 1 female student)
Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school
Eligibility Requirements:
- Graduating senior from Poughkeepsie High School
 - Demonstrate ability to succeed in college
 - Participation in school sports, activities and/or community service projects
 - Demonstrate financial need
- Application:** Online Application



Joseph H. and Mildred C. McManus Scholarship (4 year)

Joseph H. McManus was born in Poughkeepsie in 1900 and graduated from Poughkeepsie High School. Mr. McManus lived in the Poughkeepsie area his entire lifetime until his death in 1988. His wife, Mildred Conklin, was born in Ulster County in 1902 and married Joseph McManus in 1940. Mrs. McManus died in 1985.

Mr. and Mrs. McManus loved young people, and it was their wish, which was expressed in the Last Will and Testament of Joseph H. McManus, to establish a Trust for the residents of their beloved Dutchess County. This scholarship is not necessarily intended for those with the greatest scholastic ability, but is intended for those who must apply themselves to prosper or who demonstrate financial need.

The scholarship is available to graduating seniors or graduates of high schools in Dutchess County. The scholarships shall be applied to tuition costs at accredited colleges or universities for a period not to exceed four (4) years.

- Award Amount:** \$1,500
Number of Awards: Varies
Type of Award: Renewable up to four years and payable to the school
Eligibility Requirements:
- Residents of Dutchess County who are graduating from or have graduated from a Dutchess County High School
 - Have a high school grade point average of at least a "B" or equivalent
 - Demonstrate financial need
- Conditions for Continuation:** Must maintain "B -" or equivalent GPA to continue receiving funds while attending the undergraduate institution
- Application:** Online Application



Joseph H. Gellert, Dutchess County Bar Association Scholarship

Created by the law firm of Gellert & Klein, P.C. in honor of its founder, The Honorable Joseph H. Gellert, and supplemented by members of the community, the *Joseph H. Gellert, Dutchess County Bar Association Scholarship* funds an annual scholarship (awarded through the Dutchess County Bar Association) to a resident of Dutchess County who is matriculated in an accredited law school. You must have completed at least one year of law school to apply.

Award Amount: \$1,000
Number of Awards: 1
Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school
Eligibility Requirements:

- Resident of Dutchess County who is matriculated in an accredited law school
- Completed at least one year of law school to apply

Alternative Materials: Two letters of recommendation (either academic or from a law-related employer); a copy of most recent law school transcript; an essay of approximately 500 words.

Application: Online Application
Special Deadline: May 1



Joseph S. Guarneri, Sr. Memorial Scholarship

Established by the Guarneri family in memory of Joseph Guarneri, Sr., the scholarship is for graduating seniors of Beacon High School who intend to be full-time students at an accredited college in the United States. The scholarship is intended for students who have overcome or are overcoming, personal, financial, family or emotional difficulties and are applying themselves to their studies with a goal of improving their lives through education.

Award Amount: \$650 minimum
Number of Awards: 1
Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school
Eligibility Requirements:

- Graduating senior from Beacon High School
- Having overcome personal, financial or educational obstacles

Alternative materials: Essay topic (up to 500 words): Describe how you overcame or are coping with obstacles in your life (ex: personal, emotional, family, financial, educational, economic, physical, developmental, etc.) and your future aspirations.

Application: Online Application



Juan Lafuente Leadership Scholarship

Established by the family of Juan Lafuente and the Dutchess County Regional Chamber of Commerce, this scholarship memorializes Juan who lost his life during the attacks on September 11. This scholarship is available to any resident of Dutchess County. Awards are based on student's demonstration of: academic achievement-especially in the areas of math and science; leadership contributions to school and community; and character. Students must attend an accredited NY State college, university or trade school.

Amount of Award(s): Award ranges from \$1,000 - \$1,500
Number of Awards: Varies
Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school
Eligibility Requirements:

- Dutchess County resident enrolling at a college in New York state
- Academic performance (especially in math and science)
- Community involvement
- Financial need

Application: Online Application



Judith Mitchell Drabkin 'On My Own' Scholarship

Established by Brian Drabkin in memory of his wife Judith in recognition of her success in college due to the scholarship support she received without the benefit of having parents to support her or giving her a place to live. The scholarship is available for graduating high school seniors or current undergraduates in Ulster County who have had to overcome obstacles in order to pursue higher education and can demonstrate financial need.

Award Amount: Minimum \$1,000
Number of Awards: 1
Type of Award: Not renewable but recipients may reapply in subsequent years
Eligibility requirements:

- Graduating high school senior or current undergraduate in Ulster County
- Overcome personal obstacles (preference for those lacking a support system)
- Financial need
- Academic achievement

Alternative Materials: Essay topic (up to 500 words): Describe how you overcame or are coping with obstacles in your life (ex: personal, emotional, family, financial, educational, economic, physical, developmental, etc.) and your future aspirations.

Application: Online Application



Kathleen H. Zwissler Memorial Scholarship

Established by Adams Fairacre Farms to honor her memory, this scholarship is available to seniors graduating from high school and students currently enrolled in accredited academic institutions and who works at, or whose parents or guardians are employed by Adams Fairacre Farms, Inc.

Award Amount: \$1,000
Number of Awards: 1
Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school
Eligibility requirements:

- Adams Fairacre Farms, Inc. employee or member of an employee's immediate family
- Maintain a B or better average

Alternative Materials: Recommendations from an employer and a teacher showing one's dedication to hard work and excellence in pursuit of personal/academic objectives.

Application: Online Application



Katie Filiberti Memorial Scholarship

In 2011, The Katie Filiberti Memorial Fund was established in memory of Katie Filiberti. Katie was a 2010 graduate of Franklin D. Roosevelt High School and a member of the FDR gymnastics team. Through the generosity of the community and the Filiberti family, a scholarship will be awarded to a graduating senior from Franklin D. Roosevelt High School who has participated in athletics; is a decent/average student; demonstrates support/empathy for their peers; has involvement in community service activities; and has financial need who will be full time student at any accredited college or university in the United States.

Award Amount: \$500
Number of Awards: 1
Type of Award: One-time nonrenewable scholarship payable to school
Eligibility requirements:

- Graduating senior from Franklin D. Roosevelt High School
- Demonstrated athletic skills
- Involvement in community service activities
- Financial need

Alternative Materials: A recommendations from a coach is required.

Application: Online Application



Leslie C. and Irene G. Roe Athletic Scholarship

The Leslie C. and Irene G. Roe Athletic Scholarship award was created to provide a multi-year award for Dutchess County students who have demonstrated outstanding athletic skills and will attend a New York State Community College or public College/University (CUNY, SUNY)

Award Amount: \$1,500
Number of Awards: Varies
Type of Award: Renewable for up to three additional years and payable to the school
Eligibility requirements:

- Senior at Dutchess County high school planning to attend a New York State Community College or public college/university (CUNY,SUNY)
- Demonstrated outstanding athletic skills

Alternative Materials: Two letters of recommendation one of which must be from a coach

Application: Online Application



Lisa Moray Memorial Scholarship

Established by the family and friends of Lisa Moray. Eligible students must be graduating high school female athletes from Roy C. Ketcham High School and will be judged on their embodiment of the character of Lisa Moray including participation in sports, sportsmanship, community service and mentorship of other athletes. The student must also plan to continue their education as full-time students at any accredited college or university in the United States.

Award Amount: \$1,000
Number of Awards: 1
Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school
Eligibility Requirements:

- Graduating high school female athlete from Roy C. Ketcham High School
- Participation in sports, sportsmanship, community service and mentorship of other athletes

Application: Downloadable Nomination Form (www.communityfoundationhv.org/scholarships)



Lorien Ninie Kimlin Scholarship

In memory of Lorien Ninie Kimlin who tragically died in an accident in 1998, Lorien's family and friends have established a scholarship to keep her memory alive. This scholarship has been made possible by the generosity of donations received from Dynege Inc. and its employees, residents of surrounding counties, friends and family. The scholarship will be awarded to a student attending either Marist College or Dutchess, Orange or Ulster Community College who plans to study the Spanish language abroad in Spain. The applicant must have graduated from a Dutchess, Orange or Ulster county high school.

Award Amount: \$4,500
Number of Awards: 1
Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school or program
Eligibility Requirements:

- Available to students at either Dutchess, Orange or Ulster Community College or Marist College who graduated from a Dutchess, Orange or Ulster county high school
- Plan to study the Spanish language abroad in Spain
- Must have at least a 3.5 GPA and have completed at least two semesters of Spanish language studies at the college level or three years of Spanish language study at the high school level

Application: Online Application



Luigi and Elisa Panichi Memorial Scholarship

Established by the family of Luigi and Elisa Panichi to honor their memory, this scholarship is available to seniors graduating from high school and students currently enrolled in accredited academic institutions including 4-year public and private colleges or universities, community colleges and trade schools whose parents or guardians are employed by Panichi Holding Corp. d/b/a Royal Carting Service Co. or Valley 82 Holding Corp. d/b/a Welsh Sanitation Service. *Children of owners, Board members or officers of Royal Carting Service Co. or Welsh Sanitation Service are not eligible.*

Award Amount: \$500-\$1,500

Number of Awards: Varies

Type of Award: Not renewable but winners may reapply in subsequent years

Eligibility requirements:

- Parent/guardian must be an employee of the Panichi Holding Corp. d/b/a/ Royal Carting Service Co. or Valley 82 Holding Corp. d/b/a/ Welsh Sanitation Service
- Demonstrate financial need
- Involvement in volunteer activities or employment
- Demonstrate ability to succeed in their chosen course of study

Application: Online Application



Maria E. McCarthy Ringwood Memorial Scholarship

Established by the family of Maria McCarthy Ringwood to honor her memory and love of theater, this scholarship is available to Roy C. Ketcham High School and Our Lady of Lourdes High School college-bound graduating seniors, who have actively participated in theater in school.

Amount of Award: \$500

Number of Awards: 2 (One from each high school)

Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school

Eligibility Requirements:

- Graduating senior of Roy C. Ketcham and Our Lady of Lourdes High School
- Active in theater

Alternative materials: One letter of recommendation must be from the theater director at your school

Application: Online Application



Marjorie A. Rifenburg Scholarship

The scholarship is available to provide assistance with college expenses to individuals of Native American descent. Graduating seniors of Dutchess County high schools and students enrolled in Dutchess County colleges are eligible to apply. The scholarship shall be applied to tuition costs at an accredited college, or university or trade school.

Amount of Award: up to \$4,000

Number of Awards: Varies

Type of Award: Not renewable but winners may reapply in subsequent years

Eligibility Requirements:

- Native American descent
- Attending a Dutchess County high school or college

Application: Online Application



Mark Milano Scholarship

In 2006, Mark Milano, died unexpectedly due to medical complications during the treatment of a high school football game injury. Mark was a gregarious human who was loved by many and a friend to all he knew. Through the generosity of the community, Rivera and Milano families and his cousins Mark and Jessie Milano, a scholarship will be awarded to a graduating senior from Spackenkill High School who will be full time student at any accredited college or university in the U.S.

Amount of Award: Up to \$5,000
Number of Awards: Varies
Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school
Eligibility Requirements:

- Graduating senior attending Spackenkill High School.
- Overcoming obstacles
- Demonstrates qualities of being, fun loving, loyal, caring, generous, sensitive, friend to all, and school spirited
- Financial need

Alternative Materials: Essay topic (up to 500 words): Describe how you overcame or are coping with obstacles in your life (ex: personal, emotional, family, financial, educational, economic, physical, developmental, etc.) and your future aspirations.

Application: Online Application



Mary Abdo Fashion Memorial Scholarship

Established by the family of Mary Abdo and the Dutchess County Regional Chamber of Commerce to honor her memory, this scholarship is available to any resident of the Mid-Hudson Valley who is pursuing a career in fashion at Marist College. (*Mid-Hudson is defined as Columbia, Dutchess, Greene, Orange, Putnam and Ulster counties.*)

Award Amount: \$1,000
Number of Awards: 1
Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school
Eligibility Requirements:

- Enrolled/Enrolling as a Fashion major at Marist College
- Resident of Columbia, Dutchess, Greene, Orange, Putnam or Ulster county
- Academic performance
- Financial need considered

Application: Online Application



Mary McKenzie Memorial Scholarship

The Mary McKenzie Memorial Scholarship is an award given to a graduating senior of African American descent from Beacon High School. The scholarship will be awarded to an individual who will be a full time student at any accredited college, university or vocational school in the United States. It may be used for tuition, books and fees.

Award Amount: \$500
Number of Awards: 1
Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school
Eligibility Requirements:

- Beacon High School senior of African American descent
- Academic performance
- Financial need considered

Application: Online Application



Maureen and Stan Straub Scholarship

Established by Maureen and Stan Straub to provide a scholarship to a graduating senior from Roy C. Ketcham High School or a student who resides in the RCK area who has demonstrated involvement/leadership in community service activities and an ability to succeed in their chosen course of study.

Award Amount: \$500
Number of Awards: 1
Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school

Eligibility Requirements:

- Graduating senior from Roy C. Ketcham High School or resides in the RCK area
- Involvement/Leadership in community service activities
- Demonstrated ability to succeed in their chosen course of study

Application:

Online Application -*part of the Wappingers Rotary/Paino/Straub Scholarship



Maynard and Ferne Brownell Family Scholarship (4 Year)

Established by the family of Maynard and Ferne Brownell. One scholarship will be awarded to a graduating senior from Beacon High School, John Jay High School or Roy C. Ketcham High School. The scholarship shall be applied to tuition costs at an accredited college or university for a period not to exceed four years. Candidates should have a strong academic record, strong participation in sports activities and/or community service and demonstrate financial need.

Amount of Award:

\$750

Number of Awards:

1

Type of Award:

Renewable up to four years payable to the school

Eligibility Requirements:

- Graduating senior from Beacon, John Jay or Roy C. Ketcham High School
- Demonstrate ability to succeed in college
- Participation in school sports, activities and/or community service projects
- Demonstrate financial need

Conditions for Continuation:

- Must maintain "B -" or equivalent GPA to continue receiving funds while attending the undergraduate institution

Application:

Online Application



Melissa D. Bisaccia Memorial Scholarship

Established by the family of Melissa Bisaccia to honor her memory. This scholarship is available to seniors graduating from Roy C. Ketcham High School who have faced and overcome obstacles and challenges that could have prevented them from achieving their goal of pursuing a college education.

Amount of Award(s):

\$1,000

Number of Awards:

1

Type of Award:

One-time scholarship payable to school

Eligibility Requirements:

- Graduating senior of Roy C. Ketcham High School
- Demonstrate perseverance in overcoming obstacles of significance
- Participation in extracurricular, employment or volunteer activity

Alternative Materials:

Essay topic (up to 500 words): Describe how you overcame or are coping with obstacles in your life (ex: personal, emotional, family, financial, educational, economic, physical, developmental, etc.) and your future aspirations.

Application:

Online Application



Melissa Gleichenhaus Choral Leadership Scholarship

The Melissa Gleichenhaus Choral Leadership Scholarship was established to provide scholarships to graduating high school seniors of Roy C. Ketcham High School who participated in the choral program a minimum of two years, including their senior year. The scholarships will be awarded to individuals who will be full time students at any accredited college or university in the United States.

Amount of Award(s):

\$500

Number of Awards:

Varies

Type of Award:

One-time scholarship payable to school

Eligibility Requirements:

- Graduating senior of Roy C. Ketcham High School

- Participated in the choral program a minimum of two years, including senior year
- Alternative Materials:** Essay topic (up to 500 words): Discuss the positive impact the choral program has had on you. Two letters of recommendation, one of which must be from the director of the choral program.
- Application:** Online Application



Michael P. Murphy Public Service Scholarship (Graduate School)

Established by the Dyson Foundation in honor of its' friend and board member, Michael P. Murphy, and supported by his family, friends and colleagues, the scholarship is awarded annually to a resident of Dutchess County who is currently enrolled in or planning to matriculate at an accredited graduate school with the intent to pursue a career in government.

- Amount of Award(s):** \$1,000 minimum
Number of Awards: Varies
Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school
Eligibility Requirements:

- Dutchess County resident.
- Currently enrolled in or planning to matriculate at an accredited graduate school with the intent to pursue a career in government

Alternative Materials: Essay topic: (up to 500 words): Describe your career aspirations and your interest in serving in local, state or federal government.

- Application:** Online Application
Special Deadline: May 1



Michael P. Murphy Public Service Scholarship (High School)

Established by the Dyson Foundation in honor of its' friend and board member, Michael P. Murphy, and supported by his family, friends and colleagues, the scholarship is for a graduating senior from Millbrook High School, Our Lady of Lourdes High School or Poughkeepsie High School who has demonstrated leadership in and a passion for giving back to their community and will attend an accredited college or university.

- Amount of Award(s):** \$1,000 minimum
Annual Awards: Varies
Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school
Eligibility Requirements:

- Graduate from Millbrook High School, Our Lady of Lourdes High School or Poughkeepsie High School
- Leadership/involvement in community service activities
- Excellent academic standing

Alternative Materials: Essay topic: Discuss your experience with community service and/or the importance of giving back to the community and how you would plan to continue it in your future (no more than 500 words).

- Application:** Online Application



Miles of Hope Breast Cancer Foundation Scholarship

The purpose of the scholarship is to assist students who have been directly affected by breast cancer in some way to achieve their college aspirations. Breast cancer can take a terrible toll on a family by taking a loved one, draining financial resources and creating emotional challenges. This scholarship is awarded to help graduating seniors who have been affected by breast cancer and who have turned those challenges into positive action. Students meeting the Miles of Hope scholarship criteria and plan to pursue a healthcare related field of study may be considered for the **Betty Howard Scholarship** and students pursuing a career in the arts may be considered for the **Betty Benecke Memorial Scholarship**. Students meeting the general criteria may also be considered for the **Michael Benecke Scholarship** and the **Dana Mintz Efron Scholarship**.

- Amount of Award(s):** Awards range from \$2,000-\$5,000
Annual Awards: Varies

Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school

Eligibility Requirements:

- Affected by breast cancer in some way
- Reside within one of the nine New York State counties covered by the *Miles of Hope Breast Cancer Foundation*: Columbia, Dutchess, Greene, Orange, Putnam, Rockland, Sullivan, Ulster and Westchester
- Plan to attend/or be attending an accredited college, university or trade school
- Participate in breast cancer related activities

Application: Online Application



Nora Zeller Strudwick Memorial Scholarship

Established by the family and friends of Nora Strudwick and the Wappingers Registered Professional Nurses Association to honor her memory, this scholarship is available to a senior graduating from one of the Wappingers Central School District high schools who plans to pursue a career in nursing. The recipient will demonstrate the potential for the compassionate nursing practice which best symbolized Mrs. Strudwick's nursing career.

Award Amount: \$1,000 minimum

Number of Awards: 1

Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school

Eligibility Requirements:

- Graduating senior from John Jay or Roy C. Ketcham High School
- Acceptance to a nationally accredited school of nursing
- Volunteer and community service

Alternative Materials: Essay topic: "How Nursing Changes Lives"

Application: Online Application



Norman and Rita Nussbickel Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship was established in 1987 by the Nussbickel family and the Greater Southern Dutchess Chamber of Commerce's Chamber Foundation in memory of Norman F. Nussbickel. The scholarship also honors Norman's wife, Rita, who passed away in 2006. The scholarship is awarded to graduating high school seniors at the selected schools who have demonstrated excellent academic and athletic achievement and have a meaningful record of community service.

Amount of Award(s): \$1,000 minimum

Annual Awards: 4

Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school

Eligibility Requirements:

- Graduating senior from Arlington, Beacon, John Jay or Roy C. Ketcham High Schools
- Good academic record
- Current involvement in community service work and school or community sports

Application: Online Application



Patrick G. Nestler Scholarship (*multi-year*):

Established in memory of Patrick G. Nestler to provide a scholarship to a graduating senior pursuing a career in engineering. This is a four-year scholarship which provides a \$4,000 scholarship annually.

Award Amount: \$4,000

Number of Awards: 1 offered in 2021

Type of Award: Renewable up to four years and payable to the school

Eligibility Requirements:

- Graduating seniors of the Arlington, John Jay, Our Lady of Lourdes, Roy C. Ketcham and Spackenkill High School.

- Planning to major in engineering
- Involved in extracurricular activities or paid employment

Conditions for Continuation: Must be fulfilling engineering major and maintain "B -" or equivalent GPA to continue receiving funds while attending the undergraduate institution

Application: Online Application



Paul S. Kleidman Memorial Scholarship

In 2000, Paul Kleidman, the father of three children, who were 15, 13 and 8, was diagnosed with pancreatic cancer. He underwent extensive surgery, chemotherapy and radiation treatments. For the next six years, Mr. Kleidman continued those treatments, while continuing to be a loving, caring and involved father. During that time he fought a courageous and inspirational battle, his children spent a large portion of their young lives watching their father's struggle and living on an emotional roller coaster, his ups and downs being theirs. As a result, the children were affected, emotionally, physically and academically. In recognition of the struggle that a child of a parent with cancer undergoes, this scholarship is offered in Paul Kleidman's name as a tribute to his children's valiant struggle, as well as the struggle faced by children similarly affected. This scholarship is open to graduating seniors of Arlington High School who will be attending a 4-year college/ university and whose life has been materially affected by the serious illness of a parent. The scholarship shall be applied to tuition costs at an accredited college or university in the United States.

Award Amount: \$1,000

Number of Awards: 1

Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school

Eligibility Requirement:

- Graduating senior from Arlington High School affected by the serious illness of a parent
- Ability to succeed in college
- Participation in sports, other extracurricular activities and/or paid employment
- Financial need and grades may be a consideration

Alternative materials: Essay Topic: Discuss how the serious illness of your parent(s) has materially affected your life.

Application: Online Application



Pawith Educators Scholarship

This scholarship is not necessarily intended for those with the greatest scholastic ability, but is intended for those who have demonstrated a strong work ethic, an ability to succeed in the chosen course of study and have demonstrated a strong record of community service. The scholarship will be awarded to graduating Poughkeepsie High School seniors who will be at least half-time students at any accredited educational institution in the United States.

Award Amount: \$500

Number of Awards: 1

Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school

Eligibility requirements:

- Graduating senior from Poughkeepsie High School
- Demonstrates financial need
- Involvement/Leadership in community service activities
- Demonstrated ability to succeed in their chosen course of study

Application: Online Application



Poughkeepsie High School Class of 1958 Scholarship

Established by the Poughkeepsie High School Class of 1958, this scholarship is available to graduating high school seniors of Poughkeepsie High School. This scholarship is not necessarily intended for those with the greatest scholastic ability, but is intended for those who must apply themselves to prosper. The scholarship will be awarded to an individual who will be a full-time student at an accredited college or university in the United States. It may be used for tuition, books and fees.

Amount of Award(s): \$1,000

- Number of Awards:** 1
Number of Awards: One-time scholarship payable to school
Eligibility Requirements:
- Graduating senior from Poughkeepsie High School
 - Demonstrate academic potential
 - Demonstrate service to the school and/or community
- Application:** Online Application



Richard W. Mitchell Workforce Development Scholarship

Established by family to honor the memory of Richard W. Mitchell, former President and CEO of the then Poughkeepsie Area Chamber of Commerce, with support from the Hudson Valley Young Professionals, this scholarship is available to residents of Dutchess County (with a preference for a participant of the Dutchess County Regional Chamber of Commerce and Chamber Foundation workforce development and leadership programming) who are faced with significant economic, physical, developmental or emotional barrier(s) while advancing their education. Student must attend an accredited New York State college, university or trade school.

- Amount of Award(s):** Award ranges from \$1,000- \$1,500
Number of Awards: Varies
Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school
Eligibility Requirements:

- Dutchess County graduating senior with a preference for a participant of the Dutchess County Regional Chamber of Commerce and Chamber Foundation workforce development and leadership programming.
- Demonstrate significant economic, physical, developmental or emotional barrier(s)
- Demonstrate financial need
- Enrolling at a college in New York state

Alternative Materials: Essay topic (up to 500 words): Describe how you overcame or are coping with obstacles in your life (ex: personal, emotional, family, financial, educational, economic, physical, developmental, etc.) and your future aspirations.

Application: Online Application



Robert K. and Clara Lou Gould Memorial Scholarship

The scholarship is awarded to graduating seniors from Beacon High School who have extensive community service experience and will attend a post-secondary institution after graduation.

- Amount of Award(s):** \$2,000
Number of Awards: 2
Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school
Eligibility Requirements

- Graduating seniors from Beacon High School
- Extensive community service experience

Application: Downloadable Application (www.communityfoundationshv.org/Scholarships)



Ronnie Berg Drummers Scholarship

Established in memory of gifted drummer Ronnie Berg, this scholarship is available to graduating high school seniors and/or students already in college who share Ronnie's enthusiasm for drumming. The scholarship will be awarded to individuals who will be full time students at any accredited college or university in the United States. It may be used for tuition, books and fees.

- Amount of Award(s):** \$1,000
Number of Awards: 1

Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school

Eligibility Requirements

- Entering or currently attending a two or four year college or university full time.
- Have a passion for playing the drums.

Alternative Materials: Essay topic: Discuss your career goals and passion for drumming (no more than 500 words) and two letters of recommendation, one of which must be from a music teacher

Application: Online Application



Ruth Oja Environmental Scholarship

Established by the Red Hook Town Conservation Advisory Council in honor of Ruth Oja, this scholarship is available to students who are residents of Red Hook, NY, who are college bound graduating high school seniors or the home-schooled equivalent, pursuing studies in environmental science or a related discipline or who have demonstrated a sensitivity to the environment through leadership/participation in pro-environmental programs like recycling, land conservancy, environmental cleanup projects, etc. This scholarship shall be applied to tuition costs at an accredited college, university or trade school.

Amount of Award(s): \$500

Annual Awards: 1

Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school

Eligibility Requirements:

- Resident of Red Hook, NY, who is a college bound graduating high school seniors or the home-schooled equivalent
- Pursuing studies in environmental science or a related discipline or who have demonstrated sensitivity to the environment through leadership/participation in pro-environmental programs like recycling, land conservancy, environmental cleanup projects, etc.

Application: Online Application



St. Stanislaus Knights of Columbus Scholarship

Established by the St. Stanislaus Knights of Columbus to provide a scholarship to a graduating senior attending an accredited technical school or pursuing a degree at an accredited two or four year college. Must be a child or ward of a contributing member of St. Stanislaus Parish or active and contributing member of St. Stanislaus Knights of Columbus for two years. **May 15th Deadline.**

Amount of Award(s): \$500

Number of Awards: 1

Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school

Eligibility Requirements:

- Must be a child or ward of a contributing member of St. Stanislaus Parish or active and contributing member of St. Stanislaus Knights of Columbus for a minimum of two years.
- Graduating senior from a high school in Dutchess County.
- Active participation in St. Stanislaus Church
- Participation in community service

Application: Downloadable Application (www.communityfoundationshv.org/scholarships)



Stephanie D. Brown and Barbara M. Murphy Memorial Scholarship

Established by the family of Stephanie Brown and Barbara Murphy to honor their memories. Stephanie was devoted to children and was tragically killed in a car accident. Barbara was a devoted mother to Stephanie, a Board member of the Community Foundations and held many job titles including that of teacher. This scholarship is available to female Dutchess County high school graduating seniors who intend to major or minor in Education with career plans to teach in Elementary, Middle or High School.

Award Amount: \$1,000-\$2,000

Number of Awards: 1-2
Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school
Eligibility Requirements:

- Female graduating student from a Dutchess County high school
- Majoring/minoring in Education with plans to teach in Elementary, Middle or High School
- GPA is B or B+

Alternate Materials: One recommendation must come from your employer or organization where you volunteer.
Application: Online Application



Steven A. Parascandola Art Scholarship

Established by Steven’s family in 2008 to honor his character, his talent, and his love of art. The scholarship is intended specifically for art students graduating from John Jay High School, who are interested in pursuing an art-related major in college. **Application due May 1st.**

Award Amount: \$500
Number of Awards: 1
Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school
Eligibility requirements:

- Graduating senior from John Jay High School
- Good academic record (85+ overall average)
- Demonstrated interest and involvement in the arts (extracurricular and/or JJHS art sequence)
- Participation in extracurricular activities

Application: Application available from either CFHV website or John Jay High School Guidance Office.



Steven and Linda Lant Family Scholarship for Business and Finance

Established by the Lant Family to support students in achieving their degree, this scholarship is available to any Dutchess County high school senior or Dutchess Community College student entering an accredited bachelor’s degree program with a major in business, finance or economics at a New York State college. The Lant Family has established this scholarship to support students with the motivation, work ethic, and academic skills necessary to succeed at college and in the work force. Financial need is considered. Up to four scholarships will be awarded each year.

Amount of Award(s): \$2,500
Number of Awards: 4
Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school
Eligibility Requirements:

- Resident of Dutchess County
- Pursuing education at an accredited New York State College or University in the field of business, finance or economics

Alternative Materials: Essay topic: Discuss your college aspirations, long-term career goals, how you currently or plan to balance work and college studies and what this scholarship would mean to you.
Application: Online Application



Through Dylan's Eyes, the Dylan Feller Memorial Scholarship

The scholarship was established in 2018 by the Feller family to honor the memory of Dylan Feller who was an Eagle Scout with a passion for photography. The scholarship is available for graduating students interested in photography and graphic communications attending FDR High School and/or DC BOCES/CTI.

Award Amount: \$1,000
Number of Awards: 1
Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school

Eligibility requirements:

- Graduating from FDR High School or DC BOCES/CTI
- Majoring in photography or graphic communications

Application:

Online Application



Vincent Paino Sr. Memorial Scholarship

Established by the Rotary Club of Wappingers Falls to honor Vincent Paino, Sr. for his many years of dedication to the Club as a charter member, longtime Sgt. at Arms and many hours of community service through Rotary. A scholarship will be awarded to a graduating senior from Roy C. Ketcham High School or a student who resides in the RCK area who has demonstrated involvement/leadership in community service activities and an ability to succeed in their chosen field.

Award Amount: \$2,000

Number of Awards: 1

Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school

Eligibility Requirements:

- Graduating senior from Roy C. Ketcham High School or resides in the RCK area.
- Planning to attend an accredited academic institutions including 4-year public and private colleges or universities, community colleges and/or trade schools
- Involvement/Leadership in community service activities
- Demonstrated ability to succeed in their chosen course of study

Application:

Online Application-***part of the Wappingers Rotary/Paino/Straub Scholarship**



William J. Nichols Medical Scholarship

Established by the Hyde Park Rotary in honor of Mr. Nichols, the scholarship will be awarded to graduating seniors living in the Hyde Park School District who plan to pursue a career in a medical field.

Award Amount: \$1,000

Number of Awards: 1

Type of Award: One-time scholarship payable to school

Eligibility Requirements:

- Graduating high school senior living in the Hyde Park School District
- Planning to major in a medical field
- Involved in extracurricular activities, community service or paid employment

Application:

Hard Copy Application available from the FDR guidance office and Community Foundations website



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Frank Thomas Groff Scholarship
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Dover High School

Acacio "Roger" Rodrigues Memorial Scholarship
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Franklin D. Roosevelt High School

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John Jay High School

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Millbrook High School

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Orchard View Alternative High School

Acacio "Roger" Rodrigues Memorial Scholarship
 Andy Vito/Harold Tompkins/Ron Vece Scholarship
 Charles S. North Scholarship for Music & Art
 Cosimo DiBrizzi Culinary Arts Scholarship
 Doherty-Package Pavement Company Scholarship
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Pawling High School

Acacio "Roger" Rodrigues Memorial Scholarship
 Andy Vito/Harold Tompkins/Ron Vece Scholarship
 Charles S. North Scholarship for Music & Art

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Poughkeepsie High School

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 Applewood Leadership Scholarship
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 Cosimo DiBrizzi Culinary Arts Scholarship
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Red Hook High School

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 Luigi and Elisa Panichi Memorial Scholarship
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 Mary Abdo Fashion Memorial Scholarship
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 Stephanie D. Brown Memorial Scholarship
 Steven and Linda Lant Family Scholarship for Business and Finance

Rhinebeck High School

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 Andy Vito/Harold Tompkins/Ron Vece Scholarship
 Charles S. North Scholarship for Music
 Cosimo DiBrizzi Culinary Arts Scholarship
 Doherty-Package Pavement Company Scholarship
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Roy C. Ketcham High School

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 Lisa Moray Memorial Scholarship
 Luigi and Elisa Panichi Memorial Scholarship
 Maria E. McCarthy Ringwood Memorial Scholarship
 Marjorie A. Rifenburg Scholarship
 Mary Abdo Fashion Memorial Scholarship
 Maureen and Stan Straub Scholarship
 Maynard and Ferne Brownell Family Scholarship
 Melissa D. Bisaccia Memorial Scholarship
 Melissa Gleichenhaus Choral Leadership Scholarship
 Miles of Hope Breast Cancer Foundation Scholarship
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 Stephanie D. Brown Memorial Scholarship
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Spackenkill High School

Acacio "Roger" Rodrigues Memorial Scholarship
 Alexander Cervone Scholarship
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Webutuck High School

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St. Stanislaus Knights of Columbus Scholarship

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Patrick G. Nestler Scholarship

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All High Schools in Columbia County

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Luigi and Elisa Panichi Memorial Scholarship
Mary Abdo Fashion Memorial Scholarship
Miles of Hope Breast Cancer Foundation Scholarship
Ronnie Berg Drummers Scholarship

Greene County

All High Schools in Greene County

Cosimo DiBrizzi Culinary Arts Scholarship
Doherty-Package Pavement Company Scholarship
Kathleen H. Zwissler Memorial Scholarship
Luigi and Elisa Panichi Memorial Scholarship
Mary Abdo Fashion Memorial Scholarship
Miles of Hope Breast Cancer Foundation Scholarship
Ronnie Berg Drummers Scholarship

Orange County

Newburgh Free Academy (only)

George A. and Catherine V. Quill Scholarship

All High Schools in Orange County

Cosimo DiBrizzi Culinary Arts Scholarship
Doherty-Package Pavement Company Scholarship
Elena Eckert Memorial Scholarship
Hudson Valley Guns and Hoses Scholarship
Jennifer Coudrey Memorial Scholarship
Kathleen H. Zwissler Memorial Scholarship
Luigi and Elisa Panichi Memorial Scholarship
Mary Abdo Fashion Memorial Scholarship
Miles of Hope Breast Cancer Foundation Scholarship
Ronnie Berg Drummers Scholarship

Putnam County

All High Schools in Putnam County

Acacio "Roger" Rodrigues Memorial Scholarship
Cosimo DiBrizzi Culinary Arts Scholarship
Doherty-Package Pavement Company Scholarship
Elena Eckert Memorial Scholarship
Hudson Valley Guns and Hoses Scholarship
Kathleen H. Zwissler Memorial Scholarship
Luigi and Elisa Panichi Memorial Scholarship
Mary Abdo Fashion Memorial Scholarship
Miles of Hope Breast Cancer Foundation Scholarship
Ronnie Berg Drummers Scholarship

Rockland County

All High Schools in Rockland County

Doherty-Package Pavement Company Scholarship
Luigi and Elisa Panichi Memorial Scholarship
Mary Abdo Fashion Memorial Scholarship
Miles of Hope Breast Cancer Foundation Scholarship
Ronnie Berg Drummers Scholarship

Sullivan County

All High Schools in Sullivan County

Doherty-Package Pavement Company Scholarship
Miles of Hope Breast Cancer Foundation Scholarship
Ronnie Berg Drummers Scholarship

Ulster County

New Paltz High School (only)

Helen H. Huntington Memorial Scholarship

All High Schools in Ulster County

Cosimo DiBrizzi Culinary Arts Scholarship
Doherty-Package Pavement Company Scholarship
Elena Eckert Memorial Scholarship
Hudson Valley Guns and Hoses Scholarship
Jennifer Coudrey Memorial Scholarship
Judith Mitchell Drabkin 'On My Own' Scholarship
Kathleen H. Zwissler Memorial Scholarship
Luigi and Elisa Panichi Memorial Scholarship
Mary Abdo Fashion Memorial Scholarship
Miles of Hope Breast Cancer Foundation Scholarship
Ronnie Berg Drummers Scholarship

Westchester County

Lakeland High School (only)

Bret Alan Frattellone Scholarship

All Schools in Westchester County

Acacio "Roger" Rodrigues Memorial Scholarship
Doherty-Package Pavement Company Scholarship
Luigi and Elisa Panichi Memorial Scholarship
Miles of Hope Breast Cancer Foundation Scholarship
Ronnie Berg Drummers Scholarship

Fairfield County, CT

All High Schools in Fairfield County

Acacio "Roger" Rodrigues Memorial Scholarship
Ronnie Berg Drummers Scholarship



COLLEGE/GRADUATE SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarships Available For Students Already Attending College or Graduate School

Specific Colleges

Culinary Institute of America

Cosimo DiBrizzi Culinary Arts Scholarship

Dutchess Community College

Lorien Ninie Kimlin Scholarship

Steven and Linda Lant Family Scholarship for Business and Finance

Marist College

Lorien Ninie Kimlin Scholarship

Mary Abdo Fashion Memorial Scholarship

Orange Community College

Lorien Ninie Kimlin Scholarship

Ulster Community College

Lorien Ninie Kimlin Scholarship

Undergraduate Schools

ATHENA Scholarship (Adult)

Acacio "Roger" Rodrigues Memorial Scholarship

Doherty-Package Pavement Company Scholarship

Eileen Hickey Nursing Scholarship

Hudson Valley Guns and Hoses Scholarship

Joseph H. and Mildred C. McManus Scholarship

Juan Lafuente Leadership Scholarship

Judith Mitchell Drabkin 'On My Own' Scholarship

Kathleen H. Zwissler Memorial Scholarship

Luigi and Elisa Panichi Memorial Scholarship

Marjorie A. Rifenburg Scholarship

Ronnie Berg Drummers Scholarship

Graduate Schools

ATHENA Scholarship (Adult)

Hudson Valley Guns and Hoses Scholarship

Joseph H. Gellert, Dutchess County Bar Association Scholarship (Law)

Michael P. Murphy Public Service Scholarship (Graduate School)