Yonkers Public Schools

Citywide Scholarships 2023-2024
December 2023

Dear Class of 2024:

You hold in your hands access and opportunity to increase your college options and decrease your financial burden. To assist you, the District compiled this resource of scholarships available to Yonkers students. I urge you to pay particular attention to the tremendous opportunities available to you with the State University of New York. These are described in the enclosed letter signed by Chancellor King and myself.

Community organizations and individuals believe in providing Yonkers' young adults with opportunities to access and excel in college, by sponsoring scholarships. To take advantage of the scholarships in this book, students must complete and submit applications to the scholarship sponsors, who will make the final determination as to scholarship award recipients. In addition to these, there are countless other opportunities available to graduating seniors to obtain support through the College Board and private organizations.

Therefore, it is important for you to carefully review this Scholarship Book with your parents/guardians. Additionally, you should also speak with your School Counselors, regarding additional scholarships available on a state and/or national basis. School Counselors will guide you through the various forms of financial aid assistance. Please note that all of our high schools also sponsor FAFSA/Senior events.

The Naviance Program (www.naviance.com/) is another useful tool for college and scholarship searches. More importantly, you can use it for completing online scholarship applications. Use your Naviance accounts to support you throughout the college process. If you do not have access to your log-in information, see your School Counselor in your school's Guidance Office. Additionally, use your College Board account for other scholarship opportunities, utilizing the BigFuture link at www.collegeboard.com, which is full of additional college planning features.

The Yonkers Public Schools District is ready to work with you and your family to achieve your career and college goals. Our schools are educating students to meet the challenges of an economically competitive, technologically advanced, culturally diverse, and knowledge-based 21st century global society. This YPS Scholarship Book is one of many tools available to help you achieve a meaningful post-secondary education.

Best wishes for your continued success.

Sincerely,

Dr. Luís Rodríguez

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Congratulations on all the hard work and dedication that has brought you to this point! As you consider your options, we want you to know there is a place for you at the State University of New York (SUNY)! In fact, you can apply to 7 affordable, high-quality SUNY campuses for free—with no application fee. Visit suny.edu/apply today to learn more!

SUNY includes 64 campuses, across every region of the state, offering 7,500 degree and certificate programs in virtually anything you could dream of studying. Degree programs at both two- and four- year schools are offered in high-demand fields such as the semiconductor industry, green careers such as renewable energy, engineering, education, and health professions.

SUNY is the nation’s largest and best comprehensive public statewide system of higher education. Our campuses promise pathways to exciting careers—from the arts to zoology, or anything in between. SUNY’s colleges and universities provide excellent educations, meaningful internships, and cutting-edge research opportunities that help students earn degrees and seize career success. SUNY is committed to supporting all of our students through graduation, and this year we brought the nation’s best retention and completion initiatives—called ASAP and ACE—to 25 SUNY campuses.

We also want to tell you about the Educational Opportunity Program (EOP), which can support your success in college. EOP provides academic support and advising, personal counseling, career support, tutoring, graduate school preparation, financial support for books and non-tuition expenses, extended financial aid eligibility and exciting enrichment opportunities. If you are eligible for free and reduced-price lunch, you are likely economically eligible for EOP and should apply to see if you meet the academic eligibility requirements. More information about EOP can be found at suny.edu/eop.

Whatever your college plans, it’s important that you complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid when FAFSA opens. You should register to get an FSA ID a few days before you fill out the FAFSA. If you need help completing your FAFSA, please contact your local SUNY campus financial aid office for help.

SUNY is committed to your success and to expanding opportunity for all students. We encourage you to consider SUNY and apply today at suny.edu/apply. We hope you have a fulfilling senior year and look forward to seeing you on a great college campus in the fall!

Sincerely,

Chancellor John B. King, Jr. J.D., Ed.D.  
Dr. Luis Rodríguez  
Interim Superintendent of Schools
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Students may apply using paper or online at our website, www.ahpwy.org. All applicants will be matched and considered for all our scholarships. Some may be considered for and/or receive more than one scholarship depending on qualifications. Students do not need to submit multiple applications. One application will be used to consider the candidate for all scholarships we offer. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

**Association of Hispanic Professionals, Inc. are funded by the generosity of the following donors:**

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Students who are selected to receive scholarships will receive their award upon submission of proof of registration in college.

Please mail to: P.O. Box 411, Yonkers, NY 10703

**APPLICATION DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 17, 2024**
BELLE SMITH BRUCE SCHOLARSHIP

SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS:
Two graduating students from each of the Yonkers Public High Schools. The student must be a Yonkers resident. Scholastic excellence, stability of character and responsible citizenship is to be of primary importance.

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE:
Award to be deposited in the recipient’s account at the college of his/her choice.

AMOUNT OF AWARD:
$100

BASIS OF AWARD:
Superintendents Scholarship Committee

SPONSOR:
Endowment Fund

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:
Submit one copy of the transcript and City-Wide Scholarship Application Form (located at the back of this handbook) to the District Guidance Department via your school counselor.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: MARCH 15, 2024
CHRISTYNA HUBICKYJ - RICHARD EDIE, JR. MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS:
One senior graduating from each of the Yonkers Public High School who is pursuing a career in the field of science

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE:
Acceptance at an accredited college or university

AMOUNT OF AWARD:
$500

BASIS OF AWARD:
Superintendent's Scholarship Committee

SPONSOR:
Endowment

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:
Submit one copy of the City-Wide Scholarship Application Form and your transcript to the District Guidance Department via your school counselor.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: MARCH 15, 2024
CULINARY ARTS SCHOLARSHIP

SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS:
This award goes to a graduating Saunders High School student who has maintained a minimum grade point average of 80% over the course of their three years in the Culinary Arts Program.

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE:
Acceptance at an accredited college or university to pursue a career in the Culinary Arts.

AMOUNT OF AWARD:
$500

BASIS OF AWARD:
• Recommendation from the culinary staff
• Essay of no less than 500 words on a topic to be determined by the Senior Chef
• To assist students in pursuing careers in the Culinary Arts

SPONSOR:
Chef Peter X. Kelly
X2O Xaviar’s on The Hudson Restaurant
71 Water Grant Street
Yonkers, NY 10701

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:
Student must complete the City-Wide Scholarship Application Form and submit to the District School Counseling Department via their school’s Guidance Counselor.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: MARCH 15, 2024
DENNIS E. RICHMOND, JR. SCHOLARSHIP FOR BLACK EXCELLENCE

Dennis “@NewYorkStakz” Richmond, Jr., is a journalist, writer, educator, and speaker. He knows how important it is for students to attend school. With that, he’s offering three students $100 to spend toward any college-related expense of their choice.

SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS:

• Student must be of African, African American, Caribbean, or Latinx descent.
• These awards are to be presented to three (3) high school seniors who demonstrate educational or professional excellence.

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE:

Applicants for the Dennis E. Richmond, Jr. Scholarship for Black Excellence should be attending an accredited 2-year or 4-year college or university in the fall.

Special consideration is given to those applying to an accredited Historically Black College or University (HBCU).

AMOUNT OF AWARD:

A one-time award of $100.

BASIS OF AWARD:

Community Engagement and/or Social Media Presence.

SPONSORS:

Ms. Alajah Whitehead, Mrs. Hortena D. Richmond, Mr. LaFarren Washington

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:

Please submit one copy of your transcript, and a letter of recommendation and the Dennis E. Richmond Scholarship Application to the address below:

Dennis Richmond, Jr.
ATTN: Scholarship for Black Excellence
342 Warburton Avenue Yonkers
New York, 10701

APPLICATION DEADLINE: APRIL 1, 2024
DONALD DEMATTEO MEMORIAL ATHLETIC SCHOLARSHIP

SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS

This award will be presented to a graduating senior from Charles E. Gorton High School who participated in the Yonkers Force Football Team. The applicant must display the qualities and attributes taught by longtime Coach Donald DeMatteo, such as good character, leadership and commitment to his team.

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE

Acceptance at an accredited school of higher learning

AMOUNT OF AWARD

ONE (1) award of $1,000

BASIS OF AWARD

The selection is to be made by the DeMatteo Memorial Scholarship Committee. The award will be presented to the recipient by a member of the DeMatteo Family.

SPONSOR

Submit one copy of the City-Wide Application along with three (3) letters of recommendation as well as a written essay to:

Coach Dan DeMatteo  
c/o Charles E. Gorton High School  
100 Shonnard Place  
Yonkers, NY 10703

APPLICATION DEADLINE: MAY 1, 2024
EMPOWERING CREATIVE MINDS SCHOLARSHIP

The Empowering Creative Minds Scholarship supports students in their efforts to pursue a post-secondary education in a field or profession of their choice. The scholarship will be awarded to a graduating senior in good standing from Roosevelt High School – Early College Studies. The applicant must demonstrate academic excellence, good character, and civic responsibility.

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE:
Acceptance at an accredited post-secondary educational institution

AMOUNT OF AWARD:
A one-time award of $1,000 payable upon proof of registration

BASIS OF AWARD:
Eligibility requirements include:

- An overall average of 80 or higher (must submit an official transcript for verification)
- Empowering Creative Minds Scholarship application
- An essay (500 words or less) on the topic "What is the legacy I want to leave?"
- Two letters of recommendation from a high school teacher, guidance counselor, or administrator
- Resume listing extra-curricular activities and community service

The final determination will be made by the Empowering Creative Minds LLC Committee chaired by Dr. Ida M. D'Ugo.

SPONSOR:
Empowering Creative Minds LLC

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:
Submit all required documents via email to info@ecminds.org or by mail to the following address:
Empowering Creative Minds LLC
1767 Central Park Avenue, Suite 242
Yonkers, NY 10710
Attn: Dr. Ida M. D'Ugo

APPLICATION DEADLINE: MARCH 15, 2024
Enrico Fermi Educational Fund of Yonkers

Entering our 61st year, The Enrico Fermi Educational Fund of Yonkers, Inc. ("Enrico Fermi") is proud to announce our Sixty First (61st) year of providing College scholarships for High School Seniors with traceable Italian heritage who are graduating from an accredited High School. The applicant must be a resident of Yonkers or Westchester County, regardless of the location of the high school they attend. The Science Scholarship is open to all Westchester County residents.

Each student applicant will be evaluated based upon their excellent scholastic results, evidence of involvement and leadership, service to the school and community, outstanding character, evidence of Italian heritage, residency requirement and meet the criteria as further described below. The Scholarship process is highly competitive with recipients selected by a Selection Committee composed of Trustees, Educators and Members.

Applications can be found and completed online through our website at www.enricofermi.org. Note that for purposes of residence, the legal residence is based on an actual physical address, not a postal zip code address.

• **Yonkers Scholarships**: This Scholarship is open to residents of The City of Yonkers, NY (only) who are of traceable Italian heritage, graduating from an accredited public or private high school, upon graduation plan on attending a college or university. There will be four (4) scholarships of, at least, $5,000 each.

• **Science Scholarship**: This Scholarship is open to legal residents of Westchester (including Yonkers). The applicant must have the endorsement of the high school to apply for this scholarship (only one per school). The Applicant must be of traceable Italian heritage, a resident of Westchester County NY, graduating from an accredited public or private high school who, upon graduation, plans on attending a college or university. It is expected that applicants would be engaged in some form of scientific research, have taken or are currently excelling in AP science courses, and are interested in pursuing a career in a STEM field. There will be One Scholarship of $5,000.

**Scholarship Eligibility Criteria**: The Enrico Fermi Educational Fund of Yonkers, Inc. offers Academic based scholarships to graduating seniors from an accredited public or private high school. Each student will be evaluated based upon his or her exceptional scholastic / academics, evidence of leadership and involvement, service to the school and the community through community activities, outstanding character, and evidence of traceable Italian heritage. Now in our Sixty First (61st) year of awarding scholarships to deserving high school seniors of Yonkers and more recently Westchester County, New York., we recognize that these scholarships are very competitive, considering the superior academic, leadership, extracurricular, community service and other qualities exhibited by applicants and, ultimately, the recipients.
In order to be considered, an applicant must:

- Be a member of the graduating class in the year of the application and graduate from an accredited public or private high school with the graduating class
- Be of traceable Italian heritage
- Be a resident of the City of Yonkers for the Yonkers Scholarship, and of Westchester County for the Westchester County and Science Scholarships. Residency is based on the actual physical legal address, not the post office zip code.
- Have applied or in the process of applying to a recognized and accredited College
- File a completed application on or before the Closing Date of our online application process, which, starting on January 4, 2024, can be found through our website at www.enricofermi.org. Note that the application process closes on March 10, 2024.

The completed online scholarship application must include (note that incomplete applications will be ineligible for consideration):

- An official school transcript. The transcript must include 12th grade mid-year grades, 3 year average, class rank (if available), and test scores (SAT and/or ACT scores, if available)
- A complete listing of extracurricular activities/awards
- A complete listing of service to the community
- At least two letters of recommendation from the school’s professional staff
- Various essays of at least 250 words each addressing the topic of how your Italian heritage has influenced your life and goals, as well as on community service, extracurricular activities and other topics
- A certification and acknowledgement form, which is part of the online application.

**Important dates:**

Following are the important dates in the 2024 Scholarship process

- January 5, 2024 - Online Application Process begins
- February 28, 2024 (no later than) - School submits in name of Science sponsored Applicant, one per school, if any
- March 10, 2024. Application deadline. Note that the online application process will be “shut down” and unavailable after March 10, 2024. As such, all applications must be received by 11:59 pm on this date.
- April 10, 2024 (on or about) - Students Recipients notified.
- April 28, 2024 - Sixty First (61st) Annual Enrico Fermi Scholarship Breakfast and Recognition Ceremony to be held at Mulino’s at Lake Isle. All recipients are required to attend.

Note that, once awarded, payment of the scholarships will be made to each recipient when actual attendance at the College of his/her choice is verified in writing and will be paid in installments ranging from two to four years.
EXCHANGE CLUB OF YONKERS  
_In Memory of Vince Iannucci_

SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS
A senior graduating from any of the Yonkers Public High Schools who must be a Yonkers resident.

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE
Acceptance at an accredited College/University

AMOUNT OF AWARD:
$1,000 cash award

BASIS OF AWARD
- Scholastic achievement
- Participation in extra-curricular activities
- Service to the school
- Service to the community (strongly recommended)
- Awards and honors received

SPECIFICS OF AWARD AND APPLICATION
Submit the City-Wide Scholarship Application (located at back of book) along with an official transcript. Please also include (2) letters of recommendation from high school teachers or counselors and a composition of at least 150 words on the importance of community service and your personal experience with it.

COMPLETED APPLICATIONS AND DOCUMENTATION SHOULD BE SENT TO:
Ms. Angela Labreglio  
386 Westchester Avenue  
Tuckahoe, NY 10707

APPLICATION DEADLINE: MAY 1, 2024
HAN4D (Help Advocate Now 4 Difference) Scholarship

SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS:
A graduating student from any one of the Yonkers public high schools. Student must be a Yonkers resident. A student known to his fellow peers, teachers, administrators for their advocacy to make a positive difference in their school and community.

Scholarship is awarded to ONE (1) graduating high school senior enrolled in the Yonkers Public School (YPS).

Required
• A Yonkers Public School High School Senior
• Anticipate graduation at the time of application submission. Must submit an official transcript for verification.
• Show proof of how they contributed to help bring awareness to “Bullying” and influenced DEI & “Kindness” in their school (i.e., created a club, held a position in a club, created awareness through events, flyers, school article, presentations etc.)

Optional but highly recommended to submit:
• Have a high school G.P.A. of 3.0 or higher
• Show proof of acceptance to a regionally accredited post-secondary institution • Show how you consistently advocated & brought awareness to HAN4D’s mission throughout the 4 years of high school.

Stability of character and responsible citizenship are to be of primary importance.

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE:
Applicants for the HAN4D Scholarship should be planning to attend an accredited 2- or 4-year institution.

AMOUNT OF AWARD:
$250.00 (non-recurring/non-renewable)

BASIS OF AWARD:
The mission of HAN4D is to help Advocate Now 4 Difference in our school community.
The scholarship was set up by three sisters – Hailey, Anabella, and Natalia Rijos, that strongly believe that if students continue to advocate now for a difference, they can all make a positive lasting impact. Our generation is the one that can make a change. They believe that together we can lend a hand to promote, empower, and encourage others to be kind, embrace diversity and inclusion, and advocate for change in our school, community, and each other. We are inspired by the African proverb, “If you want to go fast go alone, if you want to go far go together”. A student who has contributed to help bring awareness to “Bullying” and influenced DEI & “Kindness” in their school.


APPLICATION PROCEDURES: Applicants must submit the following to connect@han4d.org
• Application submissions start date April 1st, 2024 - Final deadline for submission April 15th, 2024.
• Submit one copy of your official student transcript and City-Wide Scholarship Application Form
• Submit essay on the topic of your active efforts "Advocacy to Make a Difference- Help Advocate Now.” (See Basis of Award for details)
• Submit a letter from one/ two peers on how you helped make a difference & advocated for them & your school.
• Submit a minimum of one letter of recommendation from a high school teacher or administrator.
• Submit one or two college letters of acceptance (optional)

Recipients are selected anonymously based on their school advocacy efforts, community service, academics, and overall impact they have with their peers, school, and community.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: APRIL 1 – APRIL 15, 2024
HERMAN B. FINE SCHOLARSHIP
Sponsored by the Kiwanis Club of Yonkers

SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS:
Students must demonstrate scholastic achievement. Merit, need, and acceptance into a program of higher education.

MERIT:
The nominee must include a list of activities he/she participated in both in and out of school. Also, list any awards or achievements received during his/her high school years. In addition, three letters of recommendation (No family members) should be submitted with the application.

NEED:
The awards will be evaluated based on the family’s net taxable income for the 2022 tax year. Please include a copy of parents’ New York State Tax return for 2022

CAREER GOALS:
The nominee must write an essay that describes why he/she wants to attend a program of higher education and include his/her plans aiming towards a meaningful career beneficial to both himself/herself and the community

AMOUNT OF AWARD:
$1,000 to be distributed as follows:
$500 – Awarded in June 2023
$500 – Awarded in January 2024 upon receiving your first semester grades

SPONSOR
Kiwanis Club of Yonkers

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:
Include the Herman B. Fine Scholarship Nomination Form (located at the back of this booklet), a copy of parents' NYS Tax return for 202, any SAT scores, and ranking when completing the requested package and forward to the District’s Guidance Department via tour school’s guidance office.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: MARCH 15, 2024
THE JOAN MOREN MEMORIAL II SCHOLARSHIP

SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS:
The Joan Moren Memorial Scholarship II will be awarded annually to a graduating senior from Roosevelt High School Early College Studies who has been accepted to an accredited school of higher learning.

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE:
An accredited college, university

AMOUNT OF AWARD:
$5,000

BASIS OF AWARD:
• Two letters of recommendation from an administrator, school counselor or teacher detailing the rationale for the student’s selection
• A copy of the student’s high school transcript and resume
• A brief biographical essay detailing the student’s extracurricular and leadership experiences

SPONSOR:
Roosevelt High School Early College Studies

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:
• The City-Wide Scholarship Application
• Two letters of recommendation (on school letterhead) from the principal, school counselor or teacher
• One copy of a transcript and resume
• An essay as indicated above

SEND TO:
Roosevelt High School Early College Studies
631 Tuckahoe Road
Yonkers, New York 10710
Attn: Principal, Mr. Edward DeChent

APPLICATION DEADLINE: MAY 31, 2024
THE JOSEPH & LISSY MULLAKARY COMMUNITY SERVICE SCHOLARSHIP

QUALIFICATIONS

High School seniors with a minimum GPA of 3.5 who demonstrate a strong commitment to community service and aspire to incorporate their passion for service in their post-secondary educational experience and/or future career.

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE

Acceptance at an accredited post-secondary educational institution

AMOUNT OF AWARD

(2) $500 one-time student award

BASIS OF AWARD:

Meet all qualifications stated above.

A completed application will include one (1) faculty letter of recommendation, an academic transcript, a resume/CV, and a student’s essay (maximum 500 words).

Please tell us: What’s drawn you to community service and how do you plan to incorporate service into your future educational experiences and/or career?

Recipients will be selected based on the overall strength of their essay and application materials.

SPONSOR:

Jenny Mullakary and Jonathan Vayalamkal

APPLICATION PROCEDURES

Submit completed paperwork to jenny.jonathan2024@gmail.com

APPLICATION DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 10, 2024
KEVINA NEWTON SCHOLARSHIP

SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS
To identify a graduating senior from Roosevelt High School Early College Studies who has achieved academic excellence, demonstrated leadership qualities, and participation in extracurricular activities with plans to attend a 2- or 4-years accredited college or university in Fall 2024. Students must have a strong desire to be impactful to society.

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE
Admission to a 2-year or 4-year college or university

AMOUNT OF AWARD
$500
Informal mentorship through college/university if desired

BASIS OF AWARD
• Be a graduating high school senior at Roosevelt High School Early College Studies
• GPA of 3.0 or higher
• Exhibit leadership experience and participation in extracurricular activities
• Essay of 500-800 words to the following prompt: What impact would you like to make in your community and/or the world after you graduate from college?

Evaluation of Essay:
• Content and practicality of impact
• Grammatical structure

SPONSOR
Kevina Newton (Roosevelt Alumni) & Debra Newton

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:
Submit the required documents below via email to kevina@nyu.edu using the scholarship as the subject line, “2023 Kevina Newton Scholarship – Last Name, First Name”
• Copy of High School transcript
• Copy of College Acceptance Letter
• Brief summary of leadership experience and participation in extracurricular activities
• Scholarship Essay

APPLICATION DEADLINE: APRIL 15, 2024
LYNN TISHMAN SCHOLARSHIP CLUB OF EAST YONKERS
Chartered in 1956

SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS:
A graduating student from any Yonkers High School who has been involved in community service, achieved academic excellence, needs financial assistance, and has not received any other scholarships.

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE:
Students must have been accepted for enrollment in an institution of higher learning.

AMOUNT OF AWARD:
$1,000 award

BASIS OF AWARD:
Selection to be made by East Yonkers Kiwanis Scholarship Committee

SPONSOR:
East Yonkers Kiwanis in the name of “Lynn Tishman Scholarship.”

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:
Submit one copy of the transcript, one copy of the City-Wide Scholarship Application, one letter of recommendation by the school counselor, and an essay in which you describe a problem in your community and how you have contributed toward its solution through a community service project. Would you continue this project? If yes, what changes would you make and why? What are the most important lessons you have learned? How has the overall experience shaped your character and prepared you for life?

APPLICATION DEADLINE: MARCH 15, 2024
MICHAEL NOLAN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS:
There will be one scholarship awarded to one graduating senior from Saunders Trades and Technical High School. The applicant must have a strong academic record (85 or higher) and must be a participant in an athletic sport.

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE:
Acceptance into an accredited school of higher learning

AMOUNT OF AWARD:
$500

BASIS OF AWARD:
Applicants must demonstrate responsibility, respect, and leadership both academically and athletically

SPONSOR:
The Michael Nolan Scholarship Fund

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:
Submit one copy of the City-Wide Scholarship Application Form, two (2) letters of recommendation, as well as an essay (500 words) written by the applicant describing how receiving the scholarship will assist him/her in reaching future goals. Qualifying applicants will be selected for an interview. Please forward completed applications to:

Mr. James Nolan
The Michael Nolan Scholarship Fund
P.O. Box 4287
Bronx, NY 10490

APPLICATION DEADLINE: MAY 17, 2024
MY BROTHER’S KEEPER SIXTH AND PROUD! SCHOLARSHIP

SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS

• Be a graduating senior
• Be a member in good standing of the chapter of My Brother’s Keeper for 3 or 4 years
• Demonstrated leadership and community service as a member of the organization
• Participated in a variety of extracurricular activities
• Plans to attend a 2- or 4-year accredited college/university/vocational institution upon graduation

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE
Accredited 2 or 4-year institution

AMOUNT OF AWARD

Four awards of $500 each to four MBK students attending a community college in Fall 2024
Four awards of $1,000 each to four MBK students attending a four-year college in Fall 2024
This scholarship will be renewed for a second year provided the awardees present a transcript for year one in the 2 to 4-year institution and proof of enrollment for year two.

BASIS OF AWARD:

Meet all qualifications stated above
Submit two letters of recommendation from an MBK liaison and classroom teacher
Submit an essay describing how becoming an MBK member in your high school has impacted/changed your life.
Complete the City-Wide Scholarship Application Form

SPONSOR:
Yonkers My Brother’s Keeper, Sixth and Proud! Scholarship Fund

APPLICATION PROCEDURES
Submit completed City-Wide Scholarship Application Form and required documents to the District School Counseling Department or email to Imaspons@yonkerspublicschools.org

APPLICATION DEADLINE: APRIL 12, 2024
MORSEMERE GARDEN CLUB SCHOLARSHIP

SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS:
The student must be a senior graduating from a Yonkers public high school who is interested in horticulture, floral design, landscape architecture, landscape design, agricultural sciences, forestry, botany, ecology, soil, and crop science or environmental concerns (environmental science, natural resource management, land use management, habitat science, green technology).
Applicant must submit a short statement (no more than 200 words) describing past activities and/or future career plans in one of the above fields.

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE:
Applicant must be planning to attend college, university, vocational, or trade school.

AMOUNT OF AWARD:
$350

BASIS OF AWARD:
The Morsemere Garden Club was founded in Yonkers in 1929 to stimulate interest in conservation, horticulture, artistic arrangement of plant material, and community service. This scholarship seeks to encourage students who are interested in pursuing a career in one of the fields listed above.

SPONSOR:
The Morsemere Garden Club

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:
Applicants should submit the Morsemere Garden Club Scholarship Application, a statement describing past activities and/or future career plans in one of the above fields and, one recommendation (optional) from a teacher, employer, or mentor with knowledge of the student’s interest or activities in that field to:

Shannon Daugherty
Morsemere Garden Club
140 Shonnard Terrace
Yonkers, NY 10701

APPLICATION DEADLINE: MARCH 22, 2024
The Nancy D’Ugo World Language Scholarship acknowledges seniors who have shown evidence of high achievement in a World Language throughout high school. The scholarship will be awarded to a graduating senior in good standing from Roosevelt High School – Early College Studies. The applicant must demonstrate academic excellence, proficiency in a World Language, good character, and civic responsibility. Nancy D’Ugo emigrated to the United States from Italy alone at the age of 21 to seek a better life for herself and her family. Through her hard work and determination, she learned English, found employment, saved money, and sponsored her immediate family members so they could join her.

**SCHOOL OR COLLEGE:**
Acceptance at an accredited post-secondary educational institution

**AMOUNT OF AWARD:**
A one-time award of $1,000 payable upon proof of registration

**BASIS OF AWARD:**
Eligibility requirements include:
- An overall average of 80 or higher (must submit an official transcript for verification)
- A three-year sequence of study in a World Language or Heritage credits with an overall average of 90 or higher (Applicant can be currently enrolled in a level 3 course or CpB2.)
- Nancy D’Ugo World Language Scholarship application
- A persuasive essay (500 words or less) on the topic: As a 21st-century citizen, explain how you would use what you learned in your World Language classes to become a better global citizen and contribute to your community.
- Two letters of recommendation from a high school teacher, guidance counselor, or administrator. One letter of recommendation must come from a World Language teacher.
- Resume listing extra-curricular activities, community service, and all achievements and contributions pertaining to a World Language.

*The final determination will be made by the Empowering Creative Minds LLC Committee chaired by Dr. Ida M. D’Ugo.*

**SPONSOR:**
Empowering Creative Minds LLC

**APPLICATION PROCEDURES:**
Submit all required documents via email to info@ecminds.org or by mail to the following address:
Empowering Creative Minds LLC
1767 Central Park Avenue, Suite 242
Yonkers, NY 10710

**APPLICATION DEADLINE MARCH 15, 2024**
NICHOLETTE R. MURRAY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS:
This award will be presented to a graduating senior from Saunders Trades and Technical High School who majored in the Architectural Technology Program. The applicant must display qualities and attributes such as good character, leadership, and commitment.

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE:
Acceptance to an accredited college or university

AMOUNT OF AWARD:
One (1) award of $1,000

BASIS OF AWARD:
- Architectural Technology Student
- Scholastic Achievement
- Volunteer work/community service
- The qualities that Nicholette R. Murray consistently displayed: respect, love for life, optimism, and a willingness to give to others

SPONSOR:
Nicholette R. Murray Memorial Scholarship Fund

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:
Applicant must submit a completed City-Wide Application form, one (1) letter of recommendation from a teacher, one (1) letter of recommendation from a student, and an essay explaining your commitment to and display of the qualities that Nicholette embodied. Please submit the above to:

Mr. Carlo Mitrione
Architectural Technology Instructor
Saunders Trades and Technical High School
183 Palmer Road
Yonkers, NY 10701

A committee consisting of Mr. Steven Mazzola, Principal, Mr. Carlo Mitrione, and Mr. and Mrs. Keith Murray will choose the awardee among the applicants.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: MARCH 30, 2024
PARKLEDGE BREAKTHROUGH SCHOLARSHIP

SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS:
Awards will be made to:

- Seniors who have been enrolled in a Yonkers public school for all four years of high school;
- Applicants in good academic standing;
- Applicants accepted to a post-secondary institution that leads to a degree, license or certification;
- Applicants living in federal, state, or city-subsidized/public housing and receiving rental/mortgage assistance of any kind

Note: Special consideration will be given to any staff member or family member of a staff member of the Parkledge Apartments organization.

The final selection will be made by the high school selection committee chaired by the Principal.

SPONSOR:
Parkledge Breakthrough Scholarship

AMOUNT OF AWARD:
$2,500 for one year

NUMBER OF AWARDS: 9

REQUIREMENTS:
A recommendation from a member of the faculty who knows the student well.
A personal statement from the applicant concerning his/her future community service goals and how his/her education will contribute to this goal

SCHOLARSHIP REDEMPTION:
Awards will be deposited into each awardee’s account at the college of his/her choice upon proof of registration (i.e., Bursar’s bill) no later than the following fall semester. This award may only be used to pay for tuition, books, and activities directly related to the student’s education. If a student discontinues his or her education, any unused portion of the scholarship will be immediately returned directly to the scholarship fund account.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:
Complete the City-Wide Scholarship Application form and submit it to a school counselor.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: MARCH 15, 2024
PATRICIA MANGOLD SCHOLARSHIP AWARD
Sponsored by the Yonkers Historical Society

SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS:
These awards are to be presented to two (2) high school seniors residing in Yonkers who have demonstrated both an educational and a significant personal interest in Yonkers history.

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE:
The applicant must be planning to pursue further education.

AMOUNT OF AWARD:
The first prize of $1,000 and the second prize of $500, both payable upon proof of matriculation at an accredited college.

BASIS OF AWARD:
Applicants will present a project showing understanding and appreciation for the history of Yonkers. The project may be in a medium chosen by the student: a written essay, photographic montage, video, mixed media, etc. A bibliography or reference list must be included when applicable. Students may choose any topic, but the project should contain more than a repetition of facts from the internet or textbooks. Possible themes for applicants to consider are the presentation of an argument based on Yonkers historical facts; relating Yonkers history to their own family; comparing the past and present in Yonkers, or showing Yonkers’ part in events of U.S. or World history. Projects are not limited to those suggestions. Several events, institutions, businesses, organizations, and cultures have shaped Yonkers’s history. People, starting with Native Americans through our most recent immigrants, are all part of this history.

SPONSOR:
Yonkers Historical Society

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:
If mailed, it must be postmarked by April 15, 2024. Submit one copy of the application form (also available upon request at yhsawards@gmail.com, projects, and student transcript to:

Ms. Kathleen Ennis
Yonkers Historical Society Education Committee Chair
Patricia Mangold Scholarship Award
P.O. Box 190
Yonkers, New York 10710

You may drop it off at the YHS Office in the Grinton I. Will Library, 1500 Central Park Ave., Yonkers, NY 10710, when the office is open. Call the Historical Society ahead of time at 914-961-8940 to confirm someone will be there, and please leave a message if necessary.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: APRIL 15, 2024
PTA/PTSA’S ATHLETIC SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS:
These awards are presented to two (2) seniors, one male and one female, who are students of the Yonkers Public Schools, have played a varsity sport for at least two (2) years and made a minimum of All-League status, have given back to the community, have at least an 80 (eighty) overall grade point average and are planning to play the same sport in college.

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE:
The students must be planning to matriculate to an accredited college or university no later than the fall following graduation. (The student must be playing the same sport at the college.)

AMOUNT OF AWARD:
Two (2) awards of $500.00 each (awarded to one male and one female student).

BASIS OF AWARD:
• Application
• Two (2) recommendations.

The final decision will be determined by the PTA/PTSA’s Athletic Scholarship Committee. Award money will be furnished after confirmation that the award winner is on the college team.

SPONSOR:
Yonkers Council of PTA/PTSA

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:
Submit one copy of the PTA/PTSA’s Athletic Scholarship Application to:

Mr. Robert Webb
Department of Health, Physical Education and Athletics
One Larkin Center
Yonkers, NY 10701

APPLICATION DEADLINE: APRIL 19, 2024
The RHS Latin Dance Scholarship is awarded to Roosevelt High School students who have been part of the RHS Latin Dance Club and have demonstrated a passion for promoting their culture through dance. The scholarship aims to support students in their pursuit of higher education.

**SCHOOL OR COLLEGE:**

Acceptance to an accredited two-year or four-year college or university.

**AMOUNT OF AWARD:**

The scholarship provides a one-time award of $500 to the selected student.

**BASIS OF AWARD:**

Be a graduating high school senior at Roosevelt High School Early College Studies
- Active member of RHS Latin Dance Club
- GPA of 3.0 or higher
- Resume listing extra-curricular activities and community service
- One letter of recommendation from a high school teacher, guidance counselor, or administrator
- An essay (500 words or less) on the topic: How has being a part of the RHS Latin Dance Club helped you embrace your culture and impacted your life while promoting your cultural heritage through dance?

**SPONSOR:**

The RHHS Latin Dance Club and Ms. Pena

**APPLICATION PROCEDURES:**

- One letter of recommendation
- Submit the required documents via email to openafortuna@yonkerspublicschools.org using the scholarship as the subject line, “2024 RHS Latin Dance Scholarship- Last Name, First Name”
- Copy of High School transcript
- Copy of College Acceptance letter

The final determination will be made by the RHS Latin Dance advisor Charyna Pena.

**APPLICATION DEADLINE: MAY 15, 2024**
SAMIR J. HATTAR SCHOLARSHIP
Sponsored by the Hattar Family

SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS:
The Samir J. Hattar Scholarship is awarded annually to an outstanding senior at Charles E. Gorton High School, who has demonstrated academic excellence, great leadership qualities and made outstanding contributions to the school community.

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE:
The applicant must have an acceptance to an accredited college/university

AMOUNT OF AWARD:
$500, is payable upon proof of matriculation at an accredited college/university.

BASIS OF AWARD:
Students must provide two letters of recommendation, an essay written by the applicant in support of his/her application, their high school transcript, and a copy of the college/university acceptance letter.

SPONSOR:
The Hattar family has created this scholarship in memory of Samir “Sammy” J. Hattar, who was born and raised in Yonkers. Sammy was an outstanding athlete, who graduated from Charles E. Gorton High School in 1995. He was an All-County football star at Charles E. Gorton High School and was recognized by the Westchester Chapter of the National Football Foundation’s “Golden Dozen”. Sammy earned a Bachelor of Science degree from Fordham University and a master’s degree in Public Health from Rockefeller University. At the time of his untimely death at the age of 36 in 2013, Sammy was the Vice President of Mission Budget & Operations at the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society. Sammy was a brilliant, kind, and compassionate person, who had a positive impact on the lives of many friends and family. He made significant contributions to his community to make it a better place. Sammy’s legacy continues through his loving family, including his young son, Christian J. Hattar.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:
Email one copy of the City-Wide Scholarship Application (back of this booklet) along with all other required documentation to:

Jacqueline Hattar, Esq. - jackiehattar24@gmail.com
Dr. Ronald Hattar - rhattar@optonline.net

APPLICATION DEADLINE: MAY 15, 2024
SULEIMAN RABADI SCHOLARSHIP FOR EXCELLENCE IN MATHEMATICS

SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS
This scholarship is available to Yonkers Public School students who have achieved at least an 85% average in 4 or more mathematic courses while enrolled in high school. In order to be considered. Students must have taken at least one mathematics course beyond the Algebra II level.

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE
Must attend an accredited undergraduate college or university

AMOUNT OF AWARD
$500.00

BASIS OF AWARD
Sergeant Major, Suleiman Rabadi was a math teacher in the Jordanian Army and later became a successful entrepreneur in Yonkers NY. He loved the field of education and would always encourage students to build their skills in math due to the diverse career options it offers. Family values and good education were of utmost importance which is why this scholarship is offered.

SPONSOR
Yonkers Avenue Family Medicine
Dr. Ammir Rabadi

APPLICATION PROCEDURES
Please apply using one of the following methods:
1. Click here to complete the application.
2. Scan the QR code below to access the electronic application.
3. Complete the paper application in the appendices of the Scholarship Book. Your application will be reviewed along with your transcript and upon completion of the application review, recipients from each school will be notified.

APPLICATION DEADLINE MAY 3, 2024
WOMEN’S CIVIC CLUB OF NEPPERHAN, INC
Shirley Williams Scholarship

SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS:
Graduating student of the Yonkers High Schools of African American descent, has good academic standing, participates in community service and exhibits leadership qualities, along with demonstrating a financial need.

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE:
Student must be accepted for enrollment in an institution of higher learning (i.e. an Accredited College or University, Community College, Business School, Trade School) in order to receive the scholarship. A letter from the Dean’s Office or Guidance Counselor’s office, on school letterhead, indicating that you are enrolled and attending classes is required to receive the scholarship.

AMOUNT OF AWARD:
Two (2) awards of $1,000

BASIS OF AWARD:
Selection by the Scholarship Committee of the Women’s Civic Club of Nepperhan, Inc.

SPONSOR:
Women’s Civic Club of Nepperhan, Inc.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:
Submit
- The Women’s Civic Club of Nepperhan, Inc. Application
- The City-Wide Application
- An essay (as indicated on the Women’s Civic Club Application)
- 2 letters of recommendation from the Principal, Guidance Counselor or Teacher (must be on school letterhead)
- One copy of a transcript

SEND TO:
WOMEN’S CIVIC CLUB OF NEPPERHAN, INC
P.O. BOX 1117
YONKERS, NY 10703

POSTMARKED ON OR BEFORE MARCH 1, 2024
YONKERS COUNCIL OF PARENT/TEACHER ASSOCIATION

Dr. Paul M. Mitchell Humanitarian Award

SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS:
A Yonkers Public School senior who has shown sensitivity to the problems of others; a student who has shown outstanding ability to deal justly with all regardless of racial, religious, ethnic, or economic background; a student who has demonstrated by word and deed, a sense of values based on the values of Dr. Mitchell (see 10/23/68 speech on following page); a student actively engaged in promoting human welfare and social reforms. Academic standing will not be a factor.

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE:
Optional

AMOUNT OF AWARD:
$500

BASIS OF AWARD:
Yonkers Council PTA/PTSA Scholarship Committee

SPONSOR:
Yonkers Council of Parent-Teacher Association

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:
Complete and submit the Yonkers Council of Parent/Teacher Associations Scholarship Application. Add 1 (one) letter of recommendation from a teacher, guidance counselor, or another sponsoring person, plus a short essay from the applicant, no more than one page, including one’s experience in volunteering and the effect it has had in their life. Also, attach a list of student activities and rewards received in a resume format.

Submit letter of recommendation, essay, resume, and application with copy of transcript to:

Arlene Burlingham
C/O Saunders Trades and Technical High School
183 Palmer Road
Yonkers, New York 10701
Email: awards@YCPTA.com

APPLICATION DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 16, 2024
In addition to courage and wisdom in innovation, a school district must also have a source of stability and vitality, a source that can be used as a yardstick to measure its educational progress. I believe these ideas, beliefs, and traditions which are interwoven in the American Creed constitute that source. The Creed is still a core of commonly accepted working principles, not absolute and subject to different interpretations, but has enough uniformity of meaning to be used as the moral basis of social justice and as a guide to social direction. I believe this uniformity of meaning would be found in the following beliefs:

A belief that all human beings are of supreme and equal moral worth;

A belief that human beings should be the architects of their destiny;

A belief that the state is a creation of the people and subservient to them;

A belief that human intelligence can build a better world;

A belief in the rule of self-imposed written law;

A belief in the rule of the majority with the protection of the minority;

A belief in the rights of peaceful social change;

A belief in the right of the individual to be free in all respects not harmful to the common good;

A belief in the rights of the individual to expect reasonable economic security.

In a time of which it is said that no man who is born today will die in the same world into which he was born, these beliefs can make it possible for a man to stand with his feet anchored in unshakable convictions; to breathe in an atomic atmosphere laden with change and with portends of greater change yet to come, and to reach into the unknown. He will be able to reach with the confidence that he can mold from the chaos of value conflicts a foundation, even different from his own if need be, but one upon which his sons may stand with the confidence and understanding necessary to go forward.
YONKERS COUNCIL OF PARENT/TEACHER ASSOCIATIONS

Mabel Bell Humanitarian Award

SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS:

An outstanding Yonkers High School senior who has dedicated time and effort in a multitude of activities, who unselfishly volunteers of him/herself, and who is respected by his/her peers

ACADEMIC STANDING SHALL NOT BE A FACTOR

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE:
Optional

AMOUNT OF AWARD:
$500

BASIS OF AWARD:
Yonkers Council PTA/PTSAs Scholarship Committee

SPONSOR:
Yonkers Council of Parent/Teacher Association

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:
Complete and submit the Yonkers Council of Parent/Teacher Associations Scholarship Application. Add 1 (one) letter of recommendation from a teacher, guidance counselor, or another sponsoring person, plus a short essay from the applicant, no more than one page, including one’s experience in volunteering and the effect it has had in one’s life. Also, attach a list of student activities and awards received in resume format.
Submit a letter of recommendation, essay, and application with copy of transcript to:

Arlene Burlingham
 c/o Saunders Trades and Technical High School
 183 Palmer Road
  Yonkers, New York 10701
  Email: awards@YCPTA.com

APPLICATION DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 16, 2024
YONKERS COUNCIL OF PARENT/TEACHER ASSOCIATIONS

Millie Yochman Recognition for Achievement

SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS:
A Yonkers Public Schools student officially designated as a disabled student by the Committee on Special Education (CSE); a graduating high school senior who shows interest in pursuing further education; a student who shows evidence of good attendance; a student who shows good citizenship by contributing to the welfare of the school; and a student who shows growth in achievement within the scope of a total academic program.

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE:
Optional

AMOUNT OF AWARD:
$500

BASIS OF AWARD:
Yonkers Council PTA/PTSAs Scholarship Committee

SPONSOR:
Yonkers Council of PTA/PTSA

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:
Complete and submit the Yonkers Council of Parent/Teacher Associations Scholarship Application and Student Awards and Activity Record.
Add 1 (one) letter of recommendation from a teacher, school counselor, or another sponsoring person, plus a short essay from the applicant, no more than one page, outlining future goals.

ACADEMIC STANDING SHALL NOT BE A FACTOR
Submit a letter of recommendation, essay, and application with copy of transcript to:
Arlene Burlingham
C/O Saunders Trades and Technical High School
183 Palmer Road
Yonkers, New York 10701
Email: awards@YCPTA.com

APPLICATION DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 16, 2024
YONKERS FEDERATION OF TEACHERS SCHOLARSHIPS

SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS:
Six (6) awards to graduating seniors of the Yonkers Public High Schools and three (3) awards to graduating seniors who are children of Yonkers Federation of Teachers members in good standing

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE:
Acceptance to an accredited college/university

AMOUNT OF AWARD:
Each award valued at $1,000 payable upon proof of registration

BASIS OF AWARD:
Applicants must have an overall average of 85 or better. Recipients will be selected by the Yonkers Federation of Teachers Scholarship Committee. Criteria for selection include academic credentials, extracurricular involvement, and community service.

SPONSOR:
Yonkers Federation of Teachers

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:
Special Yonkers Federation of Teachers Applications will be available in the School Counselor offices in the public high schools in Yonkers or by contacting:

Roselyn Kendrick-Jones at rkendrickjones@gmail.com

APPLICATION DEADLINE: APRIL 5, 2024
YPD CITIZEN POLICE ACADEMY ALUMNI ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP

YPD CPAAA SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM
YPD Citizen Police Academy Alumni Association
730 East Grassy Sprain Road
Yonkers, NY 10710

The YPD CPAAA recognizes that the future success of Law Enforcement demands properly prepared leaders and commitment to take action, thus the YPD CPAAA will provide financial assistance to selected student(s) who wish to pursue a career related to criminal justice. Examples of this could include a Police Officer, Attorney, Cyber Security, Computer Forensics or Criminal Investigator.

SCHOLARSHIP AVAILABLE: $750.00 top prize, for books and supplies. A check will be sent directly to the school the student will be attending.

REQUIREMENTS:

- Applicant must be a high school senior residing in the City of Yonkers.
- A copy of a high school transcript for all completed semesters must accompany this application. The Committee realizes that the school term may not be complete, so the most current records will be accepted.
- Two letters of recommendation from adults, who are not related to the applicant must accompany this application.
- Volunteer or work experience.
- A 300-word essay on what lead you to explore the possibility to a career in law enforcement.
- Scholarship applicants will also be judged on their volunteerism, extracurricular and out-of-school activities and leadership skills.

BASIS OF AWARD:
Attend a school of higher learning.
The completed application must be returned along transcript, letters of recommendation and essay to:

Yonkers Police Department Citizen Police Academy Alumni Association
ATTN: Captain Vincent Castelli, Training Division
730 East Grassy Sprain Road
Yonkers, NY 10710

Or by mail to: ypdcpaaascholarship@gmail.com

APPLICATION DEADLINE: MARCH 18, 2024
YONKERS LGBTQ+ PRIDE SCHOLARSHIP

SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS

- Demonstrated leadership and/or service in the community.
- Member or ally of the LGBTQ+ community
- Yonkers Public Schools Graduate
- Attend an accredited college, university, or vocational school in US or Canada
- Official transcript showing GPA of 3.0 or higher
- Demonstrated financial need
- Provide one letter of recommendation

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE

An accredited college, university or vocational school

AMOUNT OF AWARD

$1000

BASIS OF AWARD

Please answer the following questions (500 words max):

1. How have you demonstrated leadership and/or service in your community? specifically to the LGBTQ+ community if applicable.
2. How has your identity as a member of the LGBTQ+ community or ally ship shaped your high school experience?

SPONSOR

Yonkers Pride

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:

Please submit the following to chair@yonkerspride.org no later than 11:59 PM on May 15, 2024.

- Response of two questions above
- Official or unofficial copy of a recent transcript
- One letter of recommendation
- College Acceptance Letter
- Student Aid Report from FAFSA (consideration will be given to undocumented students who have not submitted FAFSA)

Award recipients will be invited to accept awards on June 7th & 8th, 2023 at Yonkers Pride. Consideration will be given to current College Students fitting the above criteria.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: MAY 15, 2024
YONKERS PHILHARMONIC ORCHESTRA SCHOLARSHIPS
Sponsored by the Fine Arts Orchestral Society
Announces the Forty-Fifth Annual Young Artist Concerto Competition

SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS:
High School Students (grades 9 through 12) who are residents of or who study in Westchester County.

FIRST PLACE: $1,000 was donated jointly by Dr. and Mrs. Robert Klein and Mr. Joseph D. Landi.
SECOND PLACE: $700 donated by Dr. Kathleen Pistone-Carucci in Memory of Pasquale A. Pistone, Founder and Conductor of the orchestra.
THIRD PLACE: $500 donated by the Sala family and Dr. and Mrs. Ronald Volino in memory of Shirley Sala, and her husband, Jerome Gino Sala, Music Director and Conductor of the orchestra for 30 years.
FOURTH PLACE: $400 donated by the family in memory of Sharon Calandra, a dedicated flutist with the orchestra for many years.
FIFTH PLACE: $100 donated by Mrs. Helen Henkel and Mrs. Joyce Henery.

AUDITION REQUIREMENTS: (15 minutes)

- **Instrumental Contestants** should be prepared to perform a solo concerto of the standard orchestral repertoire. All movements must be ready to be performed.
- **Piano Contestants** may perform either the first and second or the second and third movements of a standard concerto or a single-movement composition for piano and orchestra.
- **Vocal Contestants** should perform three solo arias in contrasting styles (e.g. florid vs. sustained) from the standard oratorio or operatic repertoire.

Top 5 Winners will be invited to perform their work with the Orchestra at its annual Concerto Competition Winners Concert on Sunday, May 5, 2024 in addition to receiving a cash prize.

CONTESTANTS ARE REQUIRED TO PROVIDE THEIR ACCOMPANIST

AUDITION DATES
Auditions will be held on March 24 and 27, 2024

REGISTRATION
Electronic Registration Form, with further detailed instructions, will be available on YPO’s website ([www.YonkersPhilharmonic.org](http://www.YonkersPhilharmonic.org)) starting early January. Registration Fee: $75 *(free for Yonkers residents)*

APPLICATION DEADLINE: February 9, 2024
YONKERS PUBLIC SCHOOLS LEADERSHIP SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship is available to all Yonkers High School Seniors accepted at an accredited post-secondary educational institution.

AMOUNT OF AWARD:

$2,500 to 1 student per High School

BASIS OF AWARD:

The Yonkers Public Schools Leadership Scholarship supports students in their effort to pursue post-secondary education in Civic Academic Leadership. The scholarship will be awarded to a graduating senior demonstrating academic excellence, good character, leadership qualities reflective of the Yonkers Public Schools Mission and Vision and Civic responsibility.

REQUIREMENTS:

- An overall average of 85 or higher (must submit transcript)
  - City-Wide Application
- Two letters of recommendation, one from an Administrator and one from a Guidance Counselor
- Resume including extra-curricular activities and community service
- All documentation should be sent by the Counselor to Lourdes Maspons at District School Counseling. Students will be chosen by the Superintendent’s Scholarship Committee.

Award announcement will be made during the 2024 Club 90 Awards on May 29, 2024 at Lincoln High School.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: MAY 15, 2024
NATIONWIDE

SCHOLARSHIPS
THE ACTUARIAL DIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP

The Actuarial Diversity Scholarship promotes diversity within the profession through an annual scholarship program for Black/African American, Latinx, Native North American, and Pacific Islander students. The scholarship award recognizes and encourages the academic achievements of full-time undergraduate students pursuing a degree that may lead to a career in the actuarial profession. Scholarships range from $1,000-$4,000

SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS:

- Must have at least one birth parent who is a member of the following minority groups: Black/African American, Latinx, Native North American, and Pacific Islander.
- Enrolling/enrolled as a full-time undergraduate student at an U.S. accredited educational institution.
- Minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 (on 4.0 scale); emphasis on math or actuarial courses.
- Entering college freshmen must have a minimum ACT math score of 28 or SAT math score of 620.
- Intent on pursuing a career in the actuarial profession.

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE:
An accredited full-time educational institution.

AMOUNT OF AWARD:
$1,000 - $4,000

SPONSOR:
The Actuarial Foundation

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:
Visit the website to apply at:
https://theactuarialfoundation.submittable.com/submit

The Actuarial Foundation
475 North Martingale Road
Suite 600
Schaumburg, IL 601-2226
Email: info@Actfnd.org
Tel: 1-847-706-3596
Daisy Hernandez Program Specialist

APPLICATION DEADLINES VARY BY SCHOLARSHIP
The APIA Scholarship is our largest scholarship program, open to AANHPI undergraduate students attending any U.S. accredited university or college. APIA Scholars has a special focus on supporting AANHPI students who live at or below the poverty line; are in the first generation of their family to attend college; are representative of the APIA community’s diversity, (geographically and ethnically), especially those ethnicities that have been underrepresented on college campuses due to limited access and opportunity. Strong applicants would also have an emphasis on community service and leadership.

**SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS**

- Be able to describe your ethnicity, heritage, or ancestry in relation to the countries, territories, or lands in Asia or the Pacific Islands
- Be a citizen, national, or legal permanent resident of the United States. Citizens of the Republic of the Marshall Islands, Federated States of Micronesia and the Republic of Palau are also eligible to apply
- Be enrolling or continuing as a degree-seeking undergraduate student in a U.S. accredited college or university in Fall 202
- Have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.7 on a 4.0 scale (unweighted), or equivalent, or have earned a GED
- Must apply for federal financial aid for the 2024-2025 academic year using the Free Application for the Federal Student Aid (FASFA) by early April 2024

**AMOUNT OF AWARD**

Scholarship amounts range from $2,500 one-year awards to $20,000 multi-year awards.

**APPLICATION PROCEDURES**

The APIA Scholarship Program application must be completed online and submitted electronically once all the required questions have been answered. You do not have to complete the online application in one sitting. However, once an application is submitted, you are not able to edit it.

The application will be available for the 2024-2025 academic year from September 13, 2023, until January 9, 2024, at 5:00 PM Eastern Time. Please apply at applicant@apiasf.org.

**APPLICATION DEADLINE: JANUARY 9, 2024**
BUICK ACHIEVERS SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

The Buick Achievers Scholarship Program is proudly sponsored by the General Motors (GM) Foundation, to render financial assistance to indigent students of the United States of America.

SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS

- Be a United States Citizen and in addition have a permanent residence in the States or Puerto Rico
- Be a high school senior, high school graduate or a university undergraduate. High school juniors are in no way allowed to apply.
- Have a minimum Grade Point Average (GPA) of 3.0 (for current university undergraduates only. The GPA specified above only serve as a benchmark for the application. Having a higher one gives a better chance of securing the scholarship.
- Be ready to pursue a Bachelor’s degree in Engineering/Technology/Design related courses or programs.
- Plan to enroll in a full time undergraduate program in any college or university located in the United States or Puerto Rico. Online and Proprietary institutions are not accepted at all.
- Be ready to pursue a career in the automotive or related industries after the completion of the program.

AMOUNT OF AWARD

$2,000 / $5,000 PER YEAR FOR 4 YEARS

BASIS OF AWARD

Special consideration will be given to students who are female, minorities, first generation college students and military dependents

APPLICATION PROCEDURES

https://buickachievers.scholarshipamerica.org
buickachievers@scholarshipamerica.org or call 1-800-537-4180

APPLICATION DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 27, 2024
ESA ENTERTAINMENT SOFTWARE ASSOCIATION FOUNDATION

The ESA Foundation provides scholarships to the next generation of video game innovators. Providing students with the tools and resources needed to succeed in STEAM careers diversifying the video game and related industries. The foundation offers two scholarships. Take a look!

- **The ESA Foundation Computer and Video Game Arts and Sciences Scholarship** - For students pursuing careers as video game creators – **APPLICANTS MUST BE:**
  - Woman or minority
  - Pursuing a degree leading to a career in computer and video game arts and sciences
  - Current high school senior or college freshman, sophomore or junior
  - Enrolled full-time in an undergraduate program at an accredited four-year college or university in fall 2024
  - US Citizen

- **The ESA Foundation Esports Scholarship** - For students who lay or manage esports on a collegiate team and are pursuing a four-year, academic degree – **APPLICANTS MUST BE:**
  - Woman or minority
  - Competing on your college esports team/club or confirmed to compete at the collegiate level in Fall 2024
  - Current high school senior or college freshman, sophomore or junior
  - Enrolled full-time in an undergraduate program at an accredited four-year college or university in Fall 2024
  - US Citizen

**SPONSORS**

**APPLY AT:**
eafoundation.org/scholarships

**APPLICATION DEADLINE: APRIL 1, 2024**
FANNIE AND SAM CONSTANTINO
First Generation Scholarship Program

SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS:

- Be a first-generation student whose parents are not college graduates
- Be a high school senior planning to attend St. John Fisher College the following fall semester
- Meet the college’s criteria of a minimum high school GPA 3.0

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE:

Plan to attend St. John Fisher College

AMOUNT OF AWARD:

Based on financial need, will range from $5,000 to half tuition and half-on-campus room/board (renewable)

SPONSOR:

Fanny and Sam Constantino First Generation Scholarship Program

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:

Must apply online at: www.sjfc.edu/admissions-aid/freshman-admissions/scholarships

Freshman Admissions 1-585-385-8064
admissions@sjfc.edu

Note: You must apply to the University before applying for the Scholarship

APPLICATION DEADLINE: JANUARY 15, 2024
GATES MILLENIUM SCHOLARS PROGRAM

SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS:

- Outstanding minority students; African American, Hispanic
- Be a high school senior
- Pell Eligible
- Be a US Citizen or permanent resident
- Have a minimum GPA of 3.3
- Plan to enroll in full time 4-year program accredited college

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE:

Acceptance at an accredited college/university.

AMOUNT OF AWARD:

_The full cost of college attendance_

BASIS OF AWARD:

- Outstanding academic record (top 10% of class)
- Demonstrated leadership ability (community service extracurricular)

SPONSOR:

The Gates Scholarship

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:

_Gatesscholarship.org_

Available every year starting in July 2024; deadline September 2024

APPLICATION DEADLINE: SEPTEMBER 15, 2024
GENERATION GOOGLE SCHOLARSHIP (NORTH AMERICA)

The Generation Google Scholarship was established to help aspiring students pursuing computer science degrees excel in technology and become leaders in the field. Selected students will receive $10,000 USD (for those studying in the US) for the 2023-2024 school year. The Generation Google Scholarship will be awarded based on the strength of each candidate's commitment to diversity, equity, and inclusion, demonstrated leadership, and academic performance.

The program is open to students who meet all the minimum qualifications and we strongly encourage students that identify with groups historically excluded from the technology industry, including Women, Black/African American, Hispanic/Latinx, American Indian, Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander, to apply.

ELIGIBILITY

- Intend to be enrolled in or accepted as a full-time student in a Bachelors, Master’s program at an accredited university or college in the United States.
- Be studying science, computer engineering, or closely related technical field.
- Demonstrate a strong academic record
- Demonstrate financial need
- Exemplify leadership and demonstrate passion for improving representation of underrepresented groups in computer science and technology.

APPLICATION PROCESS

- General background information (e.g. contact information and details about your current and intended universities)
- Family and household information
- Resume/CV
- Academic transcripts from your current (if you are currently enrolled) and prior institutions (if you have earned a prior degree)
- Responses to three short answer essay questions
- Recipients will be selected based on the overall strength of their essays and application materials compared to the entire applicant pool or respective academic peers (e.g. high school students compared to other high school students).

IMPORTANT: Before starting the application, please have the following ready for upload:

- PDF copy of your resume (if applicable, please include leadership positions, extracurricular activities, and diversity, equity, and inclusion efforts on your resume)
- PDF copy of your current or most recent transcript (unofficial is acceptable)
- PDF copy of your three short answer responses

APPLICATION PROCESS WILL BEGIN FEBRUARY TO MAY 2024
GE-REAGAN FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Honoring the legacy and character of our nation’s 40th President, the GE-Reagan Foundation Scholarship Program rewards college-bound students who demonstrate exemplary leadership, drive, integrity, and citizenship with financial assistance to pursue higher education.

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE:
- Must be a current high school senior
- Must demonstrate at school, the workplace, and within the community the attributes of leadership, integrity, drive, and citizenship
- Must demonstrate strong academic performance (minimum 3.0-grade point average/4.0 scale or equivalent)
- Must be a citizen of the United States of America
- Must plan to enroll in a full-time undergraduate course study at an accredited four-year college or university in the United States for the entire 2024-2025 academic year.

AMOUNT OF AWARD:
$10,000

SPONSOR:
GE-Reagan Foundation Scholarship Program

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:
To apply go to:
www.reaganfoundation.org/education/scholarship-program/

email: ge-reagan@scholarshipamerica.org
Tel: 1-844-402-0354

APPLICATION DEADLINE: JANUARY 4, 2024
HISPANIC SCHOLARSHIP FUND

SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS:

- Must be of Hispanic heritage
- Minimum of 3.0 GPA on a 4.0 scale (or equivalent) for high school students
- Minimum of 2.5 GPA on a 4.0 scale (or equivalent) for undergraduate and graduate students
- Must be enrolled as a full-time student in an accredited, not-for-profit, four-year university, or graduate school
- US Citizen, Permanent Legal Resident, DACA or Eligible Non-Citizen (as defined by FAFSA)
- Complete FAFSA or state-based financial aid application (if applicable)

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE:

Any 4-year college/university

AMOUNT OF AWARD:

$500 - $5,000

SPONSOR

Hispanic Scholarship Fund

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:

Visit website www.hsf.net/scholarship

APPLICATION DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 15, 2024
The Jackie Robinson Foundation provides a multi-faceted experience designed to not only address the financial needs of minority students who aspire to attend college but also to guide them through the process of higher education.

**SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS:**

- Be a graduating high school senior (minorities and others)
- Plan to attend an accredited 4-year institution in the US
- Show leadership potential
- Demonstrate dedication to community service
- Evidence of financial need
- Be a US Citizen

**SCHOOL OR COLLEGE:**

Any 4-year college/university

**AMOUNT OF AWARD:**

Up to $3,000 over 4 years

**APPLICATION PROCEDURES:**

Download application: [www.jackierobinson.org](http://www.jackierobinson.org)

For questions regarding the requirements and content of the scholarship application, contact the Jackie Robinson Foundation at [programs@jackierobinson.org](mailto:programs@jackierobinson.org) or call (212) 290-8600

**APPLICATION DEADLINE:** January 10, 2024
LAW SCHOOL OPPORTUNITY SCHOLARSHIP

SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS:
Planning to pursue a degree in Law
Be a United States Citizen
Be a High School Graduate

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE:
An accredited college, university

AMOUNT OF AWARD:
$1,000

BASIS OF AWARD:
Applicants must submit the following:
Contact Information, Headshot, Proof of Enrollment and a (5min) video answering the following:
What unique perspective will you bring to the legal field?
How will this perspective help you to achieve your goals as a legal professional?

SPONSOR:
Salvi & Maher, LLC

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:
All materials for the scholarship application must be submitted prior to 11:59 PM March 7, 2024 at scholarships@salvimaher.com

APPLICATION DEADLINE: MARCH 7, 2024
LEAGUE FOUNDATIONS SCHOLARSHIP LGBTQIA+

SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS:

▪ Be an openly self-identified member of the LGBTQIA + Community
▪ Graduating from high school
▪ Be a US Citizen or legal immigrant
▪ Attend an accredited college, university, or vocational school in US or Canada
▪ Official transcript showing GPA of 3.0 or higher
▪ Compete for two personal essays
▪ Provide two letters of recommendation
▪ Detailed list of community involvement

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE:

An accredited college, university, or vocational school

AMOUNT OF AWARD:

$2,500 to $4,000

BASIS OF AWARD:

(see above)
Consideration will be given to community involvement and leadership roles to gay, lesbian, bisexual, and transgender communities

SPONSOR:

League Foundation

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:

Applications accepted January 2024 through April 2024

info@leaguefoundation.org

APPLICATION DEADLINE: APRIL 14, 2024
Lockheed Martin launched the STEM Scholarship Program in 2018 as part of investment in the next generation of STEM talent. We are committed to providing access to pathways through education and into the STEM workforce for all students, particularly those from diverse backgrounds and communities historically underrepresented in STEM fields.

QUALIFICATIONS

- US Citizen
- Demonstrates Financial Need
- High School Senior with a 2.5 or above GPA or a freshman or sophomore with a 2.5 or above GPA
- Current or planned 4-year degree enrollment in the following majors:
  - Aerospace Engineer
  - Computer Engineer
  - Computer Science
  - Electrical Engineering
  - Electrical and Computer Engineer
  - Mathematics
  - Mechanical Engineer
  - Physics

SELECTION OF RECIPIENTS

- Scholarship recipients are selected based on consideration of academic performance, demonstrated leadership and participation in school and community activities, work experience, a statement of career and educational goals and objectives, unusual personal or family circumstances and an outside appraisal.
- Additional consideration will be given to applicants who self-identify as members of groups that are traditionally underrepresented in STEM careers, including: Women; Racial and ethnic minorities; Individuals with a disability (as defined by the Americans with Disabilities Act); Individuals that identify as LGBTQ; Individuals that are or will be first-generation college students; Active Duty U.S. Military, including Reserves and National Guard; U.S. Military Veteran, including Reserves and National Guard; Spouse of U.S. military Active Duty, Reserve, National Guard, or Veteran.
- Selection of recipients is made by Scholarship America; in no instance does any officer or employee of Lockheed Martin play a part in the selection. All applicants agree to accept the decision as final.
- Lockheed Martin promotes equal opportunity and intentional inclusion.

APPLICATIONS OPEN IN JANUARY 2024

Scholarship Program Administrator
lockheedmartin@scholarshipamerica.org
1-507-931-0465 ask for STEM Scholarship Program

APPLICATION DEADLINE: MARCH 31, 2024
MOMENI FOUNDATION SCHOLASTIC ACHIEVEMENT SCHOLARSHIP

SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS:

- Must be of Iranian descent. Provide supportive documents.
- Must enroll as a full-time student in an accredited college.
- Minimum cumulative GPA of 3.5 is required.

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE:

Attend an accredited 4-year college.

AMOUNT OF AWARD:

$1,000

BASIS OF AWARD:

Please submit the following:
- A resume including a list of extra-curricular activities
- A short essay (less than 500 words) describing your goals and motivation
- Must show proof of Iranian descent: copy of applicant’s or parents’ birth certificate or passport

SPONSOR:

The Momeni Foundation

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:

Visit the website for application
Www.momenifoundation.org
momenifoundation@aol.com

Please mail your complete application package to:
Momeni Foundation
P.O. Box 322
Clearwater, FL 33757

NOTE: EMAILED FILES NOT ACCEPTED

APPLICATION DEADLINE: JUNE 30, 2024
NATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP THE DREAM

The National Scholarship Award is for high school students who have DACA, TPS, or came to the United States before November 1, 2015, and otherwise meet the DACA eligibility criteria.

SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS
- Must have current DACA or TPS status.
- Must have come to the US before the age of 16.
- Must have continuously resided in the US since November 1, 2015, up to the present time and have no lawful status.
- Must be currently in high school or have graduated from a US high school
- Graduated or will graduate with a GPA of 2.5 or higher on a 4.0 scale

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE
2-4 years of college

AMOUNT OF AWARD
- Up to $16,500 for an associate degree
- Up to $33,000 for a bachelor’s degree

SPONSOR
National Dream US

BASIS OF AWARD
- Must be a low-income student based on financial information provided
- Focus on volunteer, community service as indicators of motivation to succeed
- Significant emphasis on two essays required

APPLICATION PROCEDURES
To apply go to: www.thedream.us/scholarship/national-scholarship/
Email: TheDream.US@applyISTS.com
Tel: 1-855-376-7076 ask for The Dream Scholarship Program

APPLICATION DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 29, 2024
NATIONAL LEASED HOUSING ASSOCIATION (NLHA)
The AIMCO Cares Opportunity Scholarship

SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS:

Our goal is to establish and implement a scholarship program to benefit a graduating senior or undergraduate student to facilitate and provide opportunities to pursue higher education. The Board of Directors shall appoint a committee to review applications for this scholarship and make recommendations based upon the scholarship criteria.

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE:

Funds will be paid directly to the institution of higher learning and may be used for tuition, books, and activities directly relating to the student’s education.

AMOUNT OF AWARD:

To be determined by sponsor

BASIS OF AWARD:

The AIMCO Cares Opportunity Scholarship has been established within the NLHA Education Fund’s Scholarship Program by one of the nation’s largest providers of affordable rental housing Apartment Investment and Management Company (AIMCO). The AIMCO Cares Opportunity Scholarship is intended to provide educational grants to residents of affordable housing to support their goals of attending college.

SPONSOR:

Apartment Investment and Management Company (AIMCO)

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:

Specific criteria have been developed for each scholarship category and consideration will be afforded to all eligible candidates who apply. All applicants must apply electronically through NLHA’s website at: http://www.hudnlha.com/education_fund/index.asp or directly at https://nlhascholars.communityforce.com. Awards are expected to be announced in early June.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: MAY 30, 2024
NATIONAL LEASED HOUSING ASSOCIATION (NLHA)
The Bill Gandert Memorial Scholarship

SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS:

Our goal is to establish a scholarship program to benefit a graduating senior or a returning student to allow them the opportunity to pursue further education in a specific trade or vocation outside of traditional undergraduate schools. The NLHA Education Fund Board of Directors shall appoint a committee to review applications for this scholarship and make recommendations based upon the scholarship criteria.

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE:

Funds will be paid directly to accredited trade school and may be used for tuition, books, equipment/tools, and expenses directly relating to the student’s education. Scholarship winners will be notified by phone and/or by mail. Decisions will be made mid-late April.

AMOUNT OF AWARD:

To be determined by sponsor

BASIS OF AWARD:

Bill Gandert was instrumental in the creation of numerous public housing authorities in the State of Ohio and served as general counsel for many of them, as well as Executive Director of the Mansfield, Crawford, Huron, Marion, and Seneca County Metropolitan Housing Authorities. A vocal advocate for the poor, Bill helped found several poverty programs in his state and was an active NLHA member, serving as the organization’s 7th President.

SPONSOR:

The Bill Gandert Memorial Scholarship Fund

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:

Specific criteria have been developed for each scholarship category and consideration will be afforded to all eligible candidates who apply. All applicants must apply electronically through NLHA’s website at: http://www.hudnlha.com/education_fund/index.asp or directly at https://nlhascholars.communityforce.com. Awards are expected to be announced in early June.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: MAY 30, 2024
**NATIONAL LEASED HOUSING ASSOCIATION (NLHA)**

The Mary Lou Manzie Memorial Scholarship

**SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS:**

Our goal is to establish a scholarship program to benefit non-traditional students in an encouraging and non-discriminatory way, allowing them the opportunity to pursue higher education or other training. The NLHA Education Fund Board of Directors shall appoint a committee to review applications for this scholarship and make recommendations based upon the scholarship criteria.

**SCHOOL OR COLLEGE:**

Funds will be paid directly to the school and may be used to pay for tuition, books, or other expenses necessary to allow the student to attend classes/training. Successful applicants will be notified in late April with the awards being made in June.

**AMOUNT OF AWARD:**
To be determined by sponsor

**BASIS OF AWARD:**

Mary Lou Manzie was a woman who dedicated her career to providing safe, decent, and affordable housing. She was always willing to look at new and effortless ways to achieve that goal. A member of the National Leased Housing Association from 1975 until she died in 2006, she served as an Officer and Director of NLHA for many years. We dedicate this scholarship to her memory.

**SPONSOR:**
The Mary Lou Manzie Memorial Scholarship Fund.

**APPLICATION PROCEDURES:**

Specific criteria have been developed for each scholarship category and consideration will be afforded to all eligible candidates who apply. All applicants must apply electronically through NLHA’s website at: http://www.hudnlha.com/education_fund/index.asp or directly at https://nlhascholars.communityforce.com. Awards are expected to be announced in early June.

**APPLICATION DEADLINE:** MAY 30, 2024
SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS:

Our goal is to establish a scholarship program for graduate-level study. The Board of Directors shall appoint a committee to review applications for this scholarship and make recommendations based upon the scholarship criteria.

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE:

Funds will be paid directly to the institution of higher learning and may be used for tuition, books, room, board, and activities directly relating to the student's education.

AMOUNT OF AWARD:

To be determined by sponsor

BASIS OF AWARD:

Neil Churchill, a true Section-8 advocate, served at HUD working with the state agencies that were financing the program. In the private sector, he was a developer, bond underwriter, and FHA specialist. Before his death in 2003, he served as Vice-President with GMAC and was a past President of NLHA. Neil's entire career was devoted to affordable housing.

SPONSOR:

The Neil Churchill Memorial Scholarship Fund.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:

Specific criteria have been developed for each scholarship category and consideration will be afforded to all eligible candidates who apply. All applicants must apply electronically through NLHA's website at: http://www.hudnlha.com/education_fund/index.asp or directly at https://nlhascholars.communityforce.com. Awards are expected to be announced in early June.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: MAY 30, 2024
P. BUCKLEY MOSS ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP

SCHOLARSHIP BACKGROUND
In keeping with the goals of renowned artist P. Buckley Moss, who struggled with dyslexia during her school years, this scholarship represents her dedication to young people who have learning differences and have inspirations for a career in the visual arts.

The P. Buckley Moss Society established this endowed scholarship in 2006 with an initial donation of $20,000, and it was first awarded in 2007. The P. Buckley Moss Society was established by Moss collectors in 1987 to foster an awareness of the art of P. Buckely Moss and to promote charitable endeavors consistent with her ideals. To learn more about the P. Buckely Moss Society please visit http://mosssociety.org

The P. Buckely Moss Endowed Scholarship provides up to $1,000 financial award annually to one graduating high school senior who plans a career in the visual arts. Awards are sent directly to the college to be applied towards tuition. The scholarship may be renewed for up to three consecutive years based on eligibility. The amount of the award may vary from year to year.

SCHOLARSHIP ACCEPTANCE PERIOD AND DEADLINE
P. Buckely Moss Endowed Scholarship Application acceptance period is January 1, 2024 – March 31, 2024

Applicant must meet the following criteria to be considered for the Scholarship

1. Verified language-related learning difference
2. Graduating High school senior
3. Verified financial need
4. Acceptance to an accredited four-year college or university or two-year community college in the United States.
5. Pursuing a career in a visual arts field with art classes taken each semester

Verified language-related Learning Difference: This scholarship focuses on students with language related learning differences. Learning differences are defined as disabilities in specific language processing, including but not limited to dyslexia, written expression, reading comprehension, central auditory processing, visual perception, word recognition and sequencing. Verification of such diagnosis must be provided by a case manager or counselor. Students with ADD or ADHD alone are not eligible.

Verified Financial Need: - Submit parent’s most recent 1040 tax form

Acceptance of accredited four-year college or university or two-year community college: Applicant to attend accredited four-year college or university or two-year community college in the United States
Pursuing a career in a visual arts field with art classes taken each semester - Visual art defined as an art form that creates work which are primarily visual in nature, such as ceramics, drawing, painting, sculpture, architecture, printmaking, and photography. Students in the performing arts are not eligible. Applied arts also not eligible. Applied arts include industrial design, graphic design, fashion design, and interior design.

About the Endowment:

**Application Requirements and Checklist of items to be provided**

Applications must be postmarked no later than March 31, 2024, and all materials for each applicant must be included in one mailing. The application is to be sent to P. Buckley Moss Foundation, 74 Poplar Grove Lane, Mathews, VA 23109.

- Four copies of the completed P. Buckley Moss Endowed Scholarship Application Form
- For language-related learning disability verification - Provide a letter (maximum two pages) from your case manager or counselor which details diagnostic information and progress. **Do not** send an Individualized Education Plan (IEP).
- High School Transcript - unofficial
- Provide two letters (2) of recommendation; one from a faculty member at your school and the other one from a person who knows you outside of the school setting, who is not a relative.
- For Financial Need verification - provide parent's most recent 1040 tax form. Please cross out social security numbers.
- Provide printed portfolio consisting of 4 to 5 photos of visual arts projects.
  1. Select three words that best describe you, and provide evidence and examples of these qualities.
  2. Explain your specific learning disability, how it has challenged you, specific strategies you have used to cope, and the effects it has had on your life.
  3. Where do you intend to go to school and why there? How do you plan to use your artistic talent? (What do you see yourself doing in 10 years with your art?)
- Provide a copy of the acceptance letter from your college.

**Send Completed Application (s) to:**
P Buckley Moss Foundation for Children’s Education
74 Poplar Grove Lane
Mathews, VA 23109

For inquiries:
foundation@mossfoundation.org
1-800-430-1320

To Donate
Donations to the endowment can be made to the P Buckley Moss Foundation. The P. Buckley Moss Foundation is a certified 501 © non-profit organization, and all donations to the Scholarship Fund may be tax deductible. Please note on your check that the funds are for this Endowment.

**APPLICATION DEADLINE: MARCH 31, 2024**
The Ron Brown Scholar Fund is a 501 © public charity, managed by an independent Board of Trustees. The program which was named for the late Secretary of Commerce Ronald H. Brown and inspired by his dedication to public service focuses on encouraging civic engagement among scholars while promoting academic excellence, community, and lifelong interactions. Recipients are young African Americans of outstanding promise who are offered academic scholarships, service opportunities, and leadership experiences.

SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS
- Must be Black/African American
- Must excel academically
- Must exhibit exceptional leadership potential
- Must participate in community service activities
- Demonstrate financial need
- US Citizen or hold a permanent resident visa card
- Current high school at the time of your application

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE
Any degree-granting four-year accredited college

AMOUNT OF AWARD
Four-year tuition $40,000
($10,000 each year)

BASIS OF AWARD
- Two letters of recommendation
- Official Transcript
- List of extra-curricular activities
- List of Awards and Honors

SPONSOR
Ron Brown Scholar Program

APPLICATION PROCEDURES
Apply online at www.ronbrown.org
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APPLICATIONS DATELINE: APRIL 14, 2024
THE SMALLEY SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION

QUALIFICATIONS

• Financial Need: Student would not be able to attend a four-year college without financial aid.
• Scholastic Ability: Student must show intellectual promise. Student must have the scholastic ability to complete a full four-year college degree.
• Responsibilities: Students must have some maturity, and have shown a sense of responsibility to himself/herself, his/her family, and the community.
• Essay: Discuss in your essay any challenges or obstacles you have dealt with and overcome in life and how this will help you succeed in college and beyond. Describe how volunteer, community service or extra-curricular activities have shaped who you are today and what it has taught you. May also include future educational plans and career goals.

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE
An accredited reputable four-year college or university in the United States of America.

AMOUNT OF AWARD
A maximum of $25,000 renewable every year. This scholarship will be renewed yearly for a maximum of four consecutive years, provided the selected person completed work towards receiving a four-year degree.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES
All documentation, including application, transcript and essay must be returned via email or by mail no later than March 15, 2023 to: admin@thesmalleyfoundation.org or via mail to: The Smalley Foundation, Inc. P.O. Box 1088 Manhasset, NY 11030

APPLICATIONS DATELINE: MARCH 1, 2024
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS
ASSOCIATION OF HISPANIC PROFESSIONALS, INC.
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

STUDENT INFORMATION:
Name ____________________________  Email _______________________________
Telephone ________________________
Address __________________________  Apt. #___________________________
Date of Birth_______________________  Place of Birth_____________________
If born outside of the US, in what year did you arrive in the U.S.?____________________
If born in the U.S., what is your Hispanic heritage? ________________________________

School you attend: _________________  School District:________________________
Previous schools attended:______________________________________________
Colleges/Universities you have applied to:
1. _______________________________  Accepted? ____________________________
2. _______________________________  Accepted? ____________________________
3. _______________________________  Accepted? ____________________________
4. _______________________________  Accepted? ____________________________

Career you are interested in: _________________________________________________

Do you work?  Yes  No  Where?___________________________________________

Community/Volunteer Service?  Yes  No  Where? _____________________________

Awards, Honors or other Scholarships:
_______________________________________________________________________
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ASSOCIATION OF HISPANIC PROFESSIONALS, INC.
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

PARENT’S INFORMATION:

Father’s Name: ___________________________  Birthplace____________________
Address: (if different from student)_________________________________________
Occupation: ____________________________________________________________

Mother’s Name: ____________________  Birthplace: ___________________________
Address (if different from student)_________________________________________
Occupation: ____________________________________________________________

Name of brothers or sisters living at home or away at school:

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Please collect and submit the following documents

- An autobiographical essay that should include your career goals and how you arrived at that career decision and any other information which you think will be helpful to the Scholarship Committee to select you from a very competitive group of applicants.
- A copy of your parent’s 1040 tax form
- SAT or ACT results
- Two letters of recommendation
- Transcript
Please be sure to enter all information, applicants without a prospective college/university cannot be considered for scholarships. All documentations must be submitted with application as per the scholarship requirements.

NAME OF SCHOLARSHIP

PERSONAL INFORMATION

First Name: ______________________ Gender: ______________________ Date Of Birth: ____________

Identification: ______________________ Full Address: ______________________

Mother: ______________________ Occupation: ______________________

Father: ______________________ Occupation: ______________________

E-Mail: ______________________ Postcode: ______________________

Social Security#: ______________________ City / Country: ______________________

Present High School: ______________________

Other Family Members: ______________________ Age: ______________________ School: ______________________

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Age: ______________________ School: ______________________

Are you presently employed?: ______________________

If you receive this scholarship, how will it help you?: ______________________

Hobbies: ______________________

Applicant's Signature: ______________________

THANK YOU FOR YOUR INFORMATION
DENNIS E. RICHMOND, JR. SCHOLARSHIP FOR BLACK EXCELLENCE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Name: _____________________________________________________________

Today's Date: ______________________ Date of Birth: ________________________

Address: _____________________________________________________________

Phone Number: ________________________________________________________

What Gender Do You Identify As: __________________

Last Four Digits of Your Social Security Number: ____________________________

Current High School: ___________________________________________________

What Colleges/Universities Are You Most Interested In:

______________________________________________________________

What Will This $100 Help You With (Books, Food, Etc.)? __________________________

Write a three-paragraph essay answering the following question and attach it to this document.

Why do you want to go to college? In your essay, introduce yourself, your hobbies, etc.

Are You Presently Employed? If Yes, Where? ________________________________

Signature: ___________________________________________________________
EMPOWERING CREATIVE MINDS SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Please print the following information clearly:

Applicant’s Full Name:

(Last Name) __________________________ (First Name) __________________________ (Middle Name) __________________________

Address:

(Street Address) __________________________ (Apartment #) __________________________ (City and State) __________________________ (Zip Code) __________________________

Telephone Number(s): __________________________ __________________________ (Home) __________________________ (Cell) __________________________

Present School: __________________________

Father’s Name: __________________________ Occupation: __________________________

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Career you are interested in: __________________________

Post-secondary institution you will be attending: __________________________

Tuition: ______ Room and Board: ______ Total Expenses: ______

Other scholarships received:

1. __________________________ Amount: __________________________

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Are you presently employed? Yes ____ No ____ If yes, where?

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This scholarship will go towards: (Please check one): Books: __ Tuition: __ Other: __

Signature: __________________________ Date: __________________________

Please make sure to attach your essay, transcript, resume, and two letters of recommendation to this scholarship application.
THE ENRICO FERMI EDUCATIONAL FUND OF YONKERS, INC.

PERSONAL AND FAMILY INFORMATION

APPLICANT’S NAME:__________________________________________________________

ADDRESS, CITY, AND ZIP CODE:______________________________________________

HOME PHONE:____________________ CELL:____________________ EMAIL:__________

SCHOOL PRESENTLY ATTENDING:______________________________________________

__________________________________________________________________________

FATHER’S/GUARDIAN’S NAME:____________________________________ LIVING:____
DECEASED:______

HOME ADDRESS:___________________________________________________________(IF DIFFERENT THAN APPLICANT’S)

HOME PHONE:____________________ CELL:____________________ EMAIL:__________

OCCUPATION:______________________________________________________________

EMPLOYER:_______________________________________________________________

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MOTHER’S/GUARDIAN’S NAME:____________________________________ LIVING:____
DECEASED:______

HOME ADDRESS:___________________________________________________________(IF DIFFERENT THAN APPLICANT’S)

HOME PHONE:____________________ CELL:____________________ EMAIL:__________

OCCUPATION:______________________________________________________________

EMPLOYER:_______________________________________________________________

__________________________________________________________________________

TOTAL FAMILY INCOME: (PLEASE CIRCLE ONE)

Less than $20,000  $21,000-$40,000  $41,000-$60,000  $61,000-$80,000  $81,000+

__________________________________________________________________________

PLEASE VALIDATE YOUR TRACEABLE ITALIAN HERITAGE (I.E. PARENTS, MATERNAL/PATERNAL
GRANDPARENTS – NAME AND BIRTHPLACE)

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OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS LIVING AT HOME OR AWAY AT COLLEGE:

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WHAT DO YOU PLAN TO STUDY?

WHAT PROFESSION DO YOU WISH TO PURSUE?

HOW DO YOU PLAN TO FINANCE YOUR COLLEGE EDUCATION?

PLEASE LIST THE SPECIFIC FINANCIAL AID, MONETARY AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS YOU HAVE APPLIED FOR AND THOSE WHICH YOU HAVE ALREADY BEEN AWARDED:

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WHAT DID YOU DO LAST SUMMER?

WHAT ARE YOUR PLANS FOR THIS SUMMER?

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ENRICO FERMI EDUCATIONAL FUND OF YONKERS, INC.
www.enricofermi.org

Certification and Acknowledgement

I, the undersigned, hereby acknowledge that I am the Applicant for the Enrico Fermi Scholarship, and do hereby state as follows:

That I have reviewed the information provided on the application and certify, to the best of my knowledge, that all information as stated on this application (and attachments, if any) is true and correct:

That I understand and acknowledge that as a candidate for an Enrico Fermi Scholarship, the Enrico Fermi Educational Fund of Yonkers, Inc. Scholarship Committee (hereinafter referred to as “the Committee”) has relied upon and considered the information and representations provided to the Committee by me:

That I further understand that the information provided to the Committee is used for the sole purpose of determining whether I should be awarded a scholarship offered by the Enrico Fermi Educational Fund of Yonkers, Inc.:

That I understand, that if I should receive a scholarship from the Enrico Fermi Educational Fund of Yonkers, Inc., and the Committee learns at some future date that the information supplied was false, inaccurate, and/or misrepresented to the Committee by me, that in that event, the scholarship received by me may be forfeited and any monies received by me shall be immediately returned to the Enrico Fermi Educational Fund of Yonkers, Inc.:

That I make these statements with the knowledge that the Committee is relying upon my representations as to the truth and accuracy of the statements and information being submitted.

______________________________
Print Name (Applicant)

______________________________
Signature

______________________________
Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date: ___________________________
HERMAN B. FINE SCHOLARSHIP NOMINATION FORM
Sponsored by Kiwanis Club of Yonkers

__________________________________________________________________________ hereby nominates

NAME OF HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

NAME OF NOMINEE

NAME OF HIGH SCHOOL:

__________________________________________________________________________

NOMINEE’S STREET ADDRESS CITY STATE ZIP CODE

PLEASE FILL IN THE NECESSARY INFORMATION AND ATTACH THE REQUIRED EXHIBITS

A. SCHOLASTIC ACHIEVEMENT
1. The nominee's rank in class is _________ of _________ students.
2. The nominee’s combined SAT scores are ______ or the composite ACT score is______

B. MERITS
1. The nominee must include a list of activities he/she participated in both in and out of school.
2. Also list any awards or achievements received by the nominee during his/her high school years.
3. Submit three (3) letters of recommendation on behalf of the nominee (teachers, counselors, employer, clergy, or community leaders).

C. NEED
The awards will be evaluated based on the family’s net taxable income for the 2022 tax year.
Please include a copy of the parents' New York State Tax return for the year 2022.

D. CAREER GOAL
The nominee must write a short essay that describes why he/she wants to attend a program of higher education and include his/her plans aiming towards a meaningful career beneficial to both himself/herself and the community.
MORSEMERE GARDEN CLUB
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Please Type or Print Clearly

NAME: _______________________________________________________________

STREET ADDRESS: ______________________________________________________

Apt _____ ZIP CODE _________________________________________________

EMAIL ADDRESS: _______________________________________________________

HIGH SCHOOL: _________________________________________________________

GUIDANCE COUNSELOR: ________________________________________________

CAREER(S) IN WHICH YOU ARE INTERESTED: _____________________________

____________________________________________________________________

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE YOU PLAN TO ATTEND: _____________________________

____________________________________________________________________

STUDENT’S SIGNATURE: _____________________________ DATE: ____________

QUALIFICATIONS: Students must show interest in horticulture, floral design, landscape
architecture, landscape design, agricultural sciences, forestry, botany, ecology, soil and
crop science, environmental sciences, green technology, or other related fields.

CHECKLIST:
__ COMPLETED SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
__ STATEMENT (no more than 200 words describing past activities and/or future career plans
in one of the above fields)
__ RECOMMENDATION (optional) from teacher or mentor familiar with the student’s activities
in one of the above fields

SEND TO: SHANNON DAUGHERTY, MORSEMERE GARDEN CLUB, 140 SHONNARD TER,
YONKERS, NY 10701
or sdaugherty@optonline.net
NANCY D'UGO WORLD LANGUAGE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Sponsored by

Please print the following information clearly:

Applicant's Full Name:

(Last Name) (First Name) (Middle Name)

Address:

(Street Address) (Apartment #) (City and State) (Zip Code)

Telephone Number(s): (Home) (Cell)

Present School: ________________________________

Father's Name: ________________________________ Occupation: ________________

Mother's Name: ________________________________ Occupation: ________________

Career you are interested in: ________________________________

Post-secondary institution you will be attending: ________________________________

Tuition: __________ Room and Board: __________ Total Expenses: __________

Other scholarships received:

1. ________________________________ Amount: ________________

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Total Amount Received: ________________

Are you presently employed? Yes ____ No ____ If yes, where? ________________

This scholarship will go towards: (Please check one): Books: ___ Tuition: ___ Other: ___

Signature: ________________________________ Date: ________________

Please make sure to attach your essay, transcript, resume, and two letters of recommendation to this scholarship application.
PATRICIA MANGOLD SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
Sponsored by Yonkers Historical Society

NAME: ___________________________________________ DATE OF BIRTH: ____________

ADDRESS: _______________________________________________________

TELEPHONE #: ____________________

PRESENT SCHOOL: ________________________________________________

FATHER’S NAME: ________________________ OCCUPATION: ________________________

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CAREER IN WHICH YOU ARE INTERESTED: ________________________________________________

SCHOOL OR COLLEGE IN WHICH YOU WILL ENROLL: _______________________________________

OTHER SCHOLARSHIPS RECEIVED:

1. ______________________________________ AMOUNT: ____________
2. ______________________________________ AMOUNT: ____________
3. ______________________________________ AMOUNT: ____________

TOTAL AMOUNT: ____________

ARE YOU PRESENTLY EMPLOYED? ____________ IF YES, SALARY: ____________

IF YOU RECEIVE THIS SCHOLARSHIP, HOW WILL IT HELP YOU? ________________________________

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COULD YOU ATTEND COLLEGE OR SCHOOL WITHOUT THIS SCHOLARSHIP? YES ___ NO ___

HOBBIES: __________________________________________________________

SIGNATURE: __________________________________ DATE: ____________
ATTACH STUDENT TRANSCRIPT TO THIS PACKET
P. Buckley Moss Endowed Scholarship Application Form

Applicant's Name: ______________________________ Date: ____________________

Address, City, State, Zip: _______________________________________________________

Telephone: ______________________ E-Mail: _______________________________________

Name of Parents or Guardian: __________________________________________________

Father's Occupation: ______________________ Mother's Occupation: __________________

Names & ages of brothers or sisters: ____________________________________________

IMPORTANT: Please submit 4 completed applications in the order listed below. You will need to include the ORIGINAL form with 3 additional copies. We do not accept CD's (audio/video) or web links. You need to print out photographs. Zip drives are acceptable as long as there is 1 for each application copy.

☐ Verification of a language-related learning disability. Provide a letter (maximum two pages) from your case manager or counselor which details diagnostic information and progress. Do not send an Individualized Education Plan (IEP).

☐ High school transcript – (unofficial)

☐ Provide a copy of the acceptance letter from your college.

☐ Two letters of recommendation, one from a faculty member at your school and the other from someone who knows you outside of the school setting (not from a relative).

☐ Evidence of financial need, submit parents' most recent 1040 tax form. Please cross out social security number.

☐ Portfolio consisting of 4 to 6 photos of visual art projects

☐ Essay responses to the following three questions (be specific and convincing) Please limit responses to 100 words per question.

1. Select three words that best describe you and provide evidence and examples of these qualities.

2. Explain your specific learning disability, how it has challenged you, specific strategies you have used to cope, and the effects it has had on your life.

3. Where do you intend to go to school and why there? How do you plan to use your artistic talent? (What do you see yourself doing in 10 years with your art?)

INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE REVIEWED

Incomplete means any of the items listed are not included in one envelope of information. Make sure there are four (4) completely assembled applications in the above listed order. If you have questions, please contact the Foundation office at foundation@mossfoundation.org, or call 800-430-1320.

Applicant grants permission to the P. Buckley Moss Foundation or any P. Buckley Moss publication to use in whole, or in part, the essay submission for promotional purposes.

APPLICATION PACKETS MUST BE POSTMARKED ON OR BEFORE MARCH 31st.

P Buckley Moss Foundation for Children's Education 74 Poplar Grove Lane, Mathews, VA 23109
PTA/PTSA ATHLETIC SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

NAME ___________________________ MALE _____ FEMALE ___

HOME ADDRESS __________________________________________________________

TELEPHONE NUMBER____________________ HIGH SCHOOL ________________________
GRADE POINT AVERAGE __________________
HIGH SCHOOL VARSITY SPORTS PLAYED: ______________________________

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PLEASE LIST AWARDS/HONORS: ________________________________________________
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COLLEGE ATTENDING: ______________________________________________________

WILL YOU BE PLAYING A SPORT IN COLLEGE? IF SO, WHAT SPORT WILL YOU BE PLAYING?
________________________________________________________________________
________________________________________________________________________

HAVE YOU RECEIVED ANY OTHER SCHOLARSHIPS FOR ATHLETICS? IF SO, WHAT SCHOLARSHIPS?
________________________________________________________________________
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LIST ALL COMMUNITY SERVICES: ____________________________________________
________________________________________________________________________
Suleiman Rabadi Scholarship for Excellence in Mathematics (2023-2024)

This scholarship is available to Yonkers Public School students who have achieved at least an 85% average in 4 or more mathematics courses while enrolled in high school. In order to be considered, students must have taken at least one mathematics course beyond the Algebra II level. Please complete every question below in order to be considered.

Student Name: _______________________________________________________
Student ID#: ____________________________
E-mail Address: _______________________________________________________
Best Phone Number: ______________________________
In which Yonkers high school are you currently enrolled?

Please list all math courses you have taken while enrolled in high school.

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In the space below, please discuss your experience as a mathematics student in Yonkers Public Schools and what qualities of yours qualify you for this scholarship. (Responses should contain a minimum of 200 words)

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WOMEN’S CIVIC CLUB OF NEPPERHAN, INC.
Shirley Williams Scholarship Application

DATE: ______________________

NAME: ____________________________________________________________

ADDRESS: ____________________________________________________________

City: ___________________________ State: ___________ Zip ________

TELEPHONE NUMBERS: (Home) ______________ (Cell) __________

AGE: ________________

NAME OF HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATED FROM: ____________________________

ACADEMIC AVERAGE: ___________ GRADUATION DATE: ________________

COLLEGE YOU WISH TO ATTEND: ______________________________________

_____________________________________________________________

COLLEGES YOU APPLIED TO: ______________________________________

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POTENTIAL COLLEGE MAJOR: ______________________________________

WRITE A BRIEF ESSAY THAT DESCRIBES:

• YOUR COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT
• SPECIAL AWARDS & HONORS
• A SUMMARY OF FUTURE GOALS

SIGNATURE: ________________________________________________________

“THE END CROWNS THE WORK”

APPLICATION DEADLINE:

MUST BE POSTMARKED BY MARCH 1, 2024
YONKERS COUNCIL OF PARENT/TEACHER ASSOCIATIONS
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

NAME OF SCHOLARSHIP: ________________________________________________

NAME: ___________________________________________ DATE OF BIRTH: _____________

ADDRESS: ___________________________________________ ZIP: _______ TEL.#: ______________

MALE ___________ FEMALE ___________

CURRENT SCHOOL: ___________________________________________________________

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ARE YOU PRESENTLY EMPLOYED? _______ IF YES, SALARY? ___________________________

IF YOU RECEIVE THIS SCHOLARSHIP, HOW WILL IT HELP YOU? ___________________________

______________________________________________________________

COULD YOU ATTEND COLLEGE OR SCHOOL WITHOUT THIS SCHOLARSHIP? _____YES _____NO

HOBBIES: _____________________________________________________________

SIGNATURE: ___________________________ DATE: _____________________________

ATTACH STUDENT TRANSCRIPT TO THIS PACKET
Name: ____________________________________________________________
Address:__________________________________________________________________________________________________________
Phone: ( )_______________________ E-Mail: ________________

EDUCATION
1. High School: ________________________________________________________________________________________________
2. College or University Planning to Attend: _______________________________________________________________________

College or University Mailing Address: ____________________________________________________________________________

Have you been accepted? ________ Major: _______________________________________________________________________

VOLUNTEER/WORK EXPERIENCE (add additional sheets if necessary)

Name of Organization/Business: _____________________________________________

Address: _______________________________________________________________________________________________________

Dates of Service: ____________________________________________ # of hours volunteered/worked: ___________________________

Position: _______________________________________________________________________________________________________

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EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES (add additional sheets if necessary)
List your personal interests and achievements. Include hobbies, extra-curricular clubs and organizations, sports, positions of leadership in high school, certifications, awards and recognitions received.

APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED NO LATER THEN MARCH 18, 2024.
For more information please contact Sandra Jakominic at 914-473-3432 or sandrago84@aol.com
→ All completed applications must be received on or before the stated deadline by District Guidance or Sponsor.

→ All applications received after the due date will not be processed.

→ Please be mindful that funds held by the District will not be released to colleges/universities unless we receive confirmation that the student is enrolled, this can take up to 6 weeks of processing, therefore, please submit Bursar’s bill to the District School Counseling Department (914) 376-8454 as soon as you receive it.
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UNDERSTANDING COLLEGE COSTS

Paying the college bills has become an expressive proposition for American student and their families. Like most items that we purchase in America, college costs have risen consistently. Today, four years at a private college can average between $100,000 and $175,000. The cost of four years at a public institution ranges from $40,000 to $75,000 for resident students. Out-of-State students will sometimes pay more. At the high end of the scale, a small number of private colleges currently cost $44,000 or more per year. Public colleges at the other end of the scale may cost as little as $12,000 annually.

At the same time, more students are competing for the financial assistance made available by the government, institutions, and private sources to students each year in post-secondary education.

All of these conditions warrant students’ and their families’ understanding of just what they are paying for and exercising control when options exist. College costs fall into categories: fixed and controllable.

**FIXED COSTS** – These costs are the same for all students, they include:
- Tuition
- Room and Board
- Student Fees

Tuition is the cost of your education and is set by the institution or by the governing authority overseeing the institution or system of higher education.

Room and Board costs are fixed if the student is required to live on campus, a situation that is often the case for first-year students.

Student Fees range from the activities fee (providing access to athletic and cultural events) to library fees.

*Note:* Several colleges have experimented with fixed or limited increase tuition plans. In these situations, students entering college at a particular point will know the cost of tuition and the adjustment they can expect to see during their total enrollment period.
CONTROLLABLE COSTS – These are the costs for which the student can exercise some degree of spending authority. They include:

- Books and Materials
- Personal Expenses
- Transportation
- Room and Board (on-campus versus off-campus)

Book Costs can be controlled somewhat by the acquisition of used books.

Personal Expenses such as entertainment, clothing, and toiletries are influenced by preference, need, and consumption rates. Think about the items (e.g., shampoo, snacks, stamps) you need and consume today. When you get to college, the cost of these things will come out of your expenses budget.

Transportation between the students’ home and the campus and other travel costs are affected by the method of transportation that one uses to get back and forth and how often the students travel.

Room and Board costs can be controlled when the students reside off-campus or have variable campus meal plans available.

Given the range of expenses and the limited ability that students have to exercise control, costs, aid opportunities, and positions must be fully examined and understood. Costs should never be used as the factor or criterion that guides exploration, and no college should ever be excluded from consideration due to cost until the student knows what type of financial assistance package might be assembled by the financial aid office.

*Understanding college costs is only half of the information that students and their families must possess. You must also understand the college students’ financial aid system and the various available forms of assistance. It is information you won’t regret searching for.*

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FINANCIAL AID

TYPES AND SOURCES

Education after high school is a major investment for the family and financing of higher education today has become a major challenge. Part of that challenge is to learn how the financial aid system works and the degree to which the various forms of student financial aid will offset the rising costs.

The financial aid system in America’s higher education operates according to the following basic principle: students and their families contribute to the cost of college. The difference between their ability to contribute and the cost of going to college is referred to as “need”.

STUDENT/FAMILY CONTRIBUTIONS = FINANCIAL AID ELIGIBILITY

Since much of the students’ assistance in this nation comes from federal sources, guidelines established by Congress and administered by the U.S. Department of Education provide the structure for many of the other students’ financial aid programs and policies.

To qualify for federal assistance and much of the aid offered by related sources, students must demonstrate need. At its simplest level, a student’s financial need is the difference between the cost of attendance and the amount the family can be expected to contribute to the student’s education.

Even though college costs may vary, the family contribution remains constant. The student’s financial aid eligibility increases as the cost increases, one important reason that the students should not exclude colleges from consideration simply based on cost.

THREE BASIC TYPES OF FEDERAL FINANCIAL AID

GRANTS are gift aid and do not have to be repaid. The amount of the federal grant will vary from year to year, depending on the funds that have been appropriated for the grant programs.

WORK-STUDY is student assistance in the form of employment at your college. This part-time employment provides an opportunity for you to earn money (at least at current federal minimum wage levels) to offset the cost of your schooling.

LOANS enable students and parents to borrow funds to meet educational costs. These loans must be repaid-with interest. Beyond the federal aid programs, students find financial aid available from New York State, private sources, and colleges themselves. New York State requires demonstrated need and residency but may have other eligibility criteria as well.
PRIVATE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMS are offered by school districts, corporations, private donors, public service and fraternal organizations, foundations, labor unions, and other groups. These are both merit and need-based. Once you have narrowed the list of colleges to a reasonable number, inquire about the availability of scholarships and grants from those institutions utilizing resources such as this book and/or using the websites provided. This requires you to invest some time searching online. High-cost colleges
Students and families need to be aware of the terms under which aid is offered and any requirements (e.g. maintenance of a specific grade point average) for its continuance. The perception that only the neediest of families qualify for financial assistance often results in many students not even applying for aid. All families should examine the various sources of aid and determine the extent to which they can and should participate.
School counselors can provide general information about sources and types of financial assistance and often know about special scholarships and awards that are unique to the school, community, or region. College financial aid officers are experts in the federal, state, and institution programs and can provide details about the lending opportunities and terms offered at commercial banks. Financial aid websites such as www.fafsa.ed.gov and www.fastweb.com are excellent sources of information.

MAKING THE FINANCIAL AID FORMS WORK FOR YOU
If completing the collection of college admissions forms you have assembled was not enough, you will soon discover that financial aid applications will require equal time and attention. If applying for financial assistance you will need to file original forms and update or re-file them each year you wish to remain an aid recipient.

The process begins by making certain that you have the right forms. Some will be available from www.fafsa.ed.gov or the Guidance office. Others will come directly from the college, agency firm, or organization making the award. Other forms, such as loan applications, must be obtained from the banks or lending institutions. It is a good idea to ask for financial aid forms at the time you are gathering your admissions applications.

Once assembled, it is always a good idea to review all of the forms to determine what information you will need to respond to the questions. Since financial aid is often based on need, many of the questions will address family financial matters. Your parents need to be involved in their completion and must attest to their accuracy. To be considered for the Federal Student Aid Programs (e.g. Federal Pell Grants and Federal Family Education Loans) a student must complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). This application collects financial; aid and other information used to calculate the Expected Family Contribution (EFC) that ultimately determines the student’s eligibility for aid.

Since eligibility for the federal programs serves as the basis for other financial aid programs, the FAFSA is the first and, in many cases, the only, financial aid form the students will complete. The information that accompanies the FAFSA will direct the applicant regarding the application processing cycle.
Approximately four weeks after submitting the FAFSA, you will receive a Student Aid Report (SAR). The SAR contains information that you provided on the FAFSA, plus your (EFC) Expected Family Contribution. This is the figure the college will use in determining your eligibility for federal student aid. It is your responsibility to check the SAR and make sure that everything is correct. Also, be certain that your current address is always on file with the United States Department of Education.

If you are an applicant for institutional aid, you may be required to complete the CSS Financial Aid PROFILE or a college-specific financial aid application. These forms will request information beyond that on the FAFSA, information that the colleges feel is important in their assessment of need.

The college financial aid officer can tell you what forms will be required to apply for institutional aid and offer any guidance you may need in their completion.

For help with the FAFSA contact Federal Student Aid Information Center or check with your YPIE School Representative. Call toll free 1-800-FED-AID (1-800-433-3243) for federal student aid information, or visit the site at www.fafsa.ed.gov

In addition to the FAFSA, CSS Financial Aid PROFILE, and college-specific forms, you will need several other items when you and your parents sit down to complete this important task. These include:

- Your most recent tax return
- Your parents’ most recent tax return, and
- Other records such as W-2 forms, statements, business/farm records, and investment records.

During the process of completing the various forms, make certain that you answer all of the relevant questions with the most current and accurate information. Sign each form (some require both student and parent signatures) and send them to the appropriate processing agency or office (make sure you make copies for yourself). Be sensitive to deadlines as many scholarships, grants, and institutional awards have application periods by cycles or award the assistance on a first-come, first-served basis.

WHEN YOU APPLY TO COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES YOU HAVE RESPONSIBILITIES
Before You Apply:

- You have the responsibility to research and understand the policies and procedures of each college or university regarding application fees, financial aid, scholarships, and housing. You should also be sure that you understand the policies of each school regarding deposits that you may be required to make before you enroll.
- Be sure to forward your proof of enrollment to the District Guidance Department as soon as you receive it, IF, you are a scholarship recipient of a local of the YPS Scholarship Handbook Scholarships.

Funds will not be released to the college or university of your choice if paperwork is not received.
As You Apply:

- You must complete all materials that are required for application, and submit your application on or before the published deadlines. You should be the sole author of your applications.
- You should seek the assistance of your school counselor early and throughout the application period. Follow the process recommended by your high school for filing college applications.
- It is your responsibility to arrange, if appropriate, for visits to and/or interviews at colleges of your choice.

After You Receive Your Admission Decision:

- You must notify each college or university which accepts you whether you are accepting or rejecting the offer. You should make these notifications as soon as you have made a final decision as to the college that you wish to attend, but no later than May 1st. It is understood that May 1st will be the postmarked date.
- You may confirm your intention to enroll and, if required, submit a deposit to only one college or university. The exception to this arises if you are put on a waitlist by a college or university and are later admitted to that institution. You may accept the offer and send a deposit. However, you must immediately notify a college or university at which you previously indicated your intention to enroll.
- If you are accepted under an early decision plan, you must promptly withdraw the applications submitted to other colleges and universities and make no additional applications. (If you are an early decision candidate and are seeking financial aid, you need not withdraw other applications until you have received notification about financial aid.) If you think that your rights have been denied, you should contact the college or university immediately to request additional information or the extension of a reply date. In addition, you should ask your counselor to notify the president of the state or regional affiliate of the National Association for College Admission Counseling. If you need further assistance, send a copy of any correspondence you have had with the college or university and a copy of your letter of admission to NACAC N Highland Street, Suite 400, Arlington, VA 22201, info@nacacnet.org

WHAT TO EXPECT AFTER THE APPLICATION

When the application for admission has been reviewed by a college, one of the following actions can result. If you have explored properly and applied to colleges where the students reflect the academic characteristics and personal qualities that you present, there is a strong likelihood that an acceptance letter will find its way to your mailbox.

If an application is not accepted, there are four other outcomes. Let’s look at each:

**CONDITIONAL ADMISSION** - A conditional admission means that your admissions are dependent upon your meeting some special or additional requirements (e.g. summer study, mid-year enrollment). Contact the college admissions office directly to make certain you understand the terms of the admission and your timeline for meeting these requirements.

**DEFERRED** - Early decision/Early action candidates are placed in a regular decision pool.
WAIT-LISTED - If you are wait-listed, you have the right to know the wait-list history of the institution. In other words, how many people are typically moved from the list to general admission? If you can review this information for the previously entering class or two, you will get some sense of your status and whether or not you should hold out hope of enrollment. If your applications result in a combination of acceptances and wait-list responses, you will need to consider the result in a combination of acceptances and wait-list responses, you will need to consider these variables like the date approaches for responding to your offers of admission. Again, it is wise to consult with the admission officers and your counselor for interpretation and guidance.

APPLICATION DENIED - Some students who are denied admission take it upon themselves to appeal the decision, especially if they feel that the decision did not take all the appropriate factors into account. While certainly a long shot, this avenue is open to you and should be taken if there is any indication that the college acted without full information. If all of your applications are rejected, you should contact your counselor immediately and map out an alternate course of action. There may be appropriate colleges that are still taking applications, even at this late point in the admission cycle. If you need to strengthen your academic status, you might wish to enroll in a junior or community college or engage in additional preparatory studies and reapply as a transfer applicant. A student receiving acceptance letters should be prepared to inform the one college that he/she wishes to attend by May 1, the date viewed by the collegiate community as the universal reply date. Along with your letter of notification, you may be asked to send an admission or housing deposit to confirm your enrollment intentions.

Under no circumstances should you declare your intention to enroll at more than one college.

If you are faced with the situation in which you have been accepted to more than one college, you must once again weigh the criteria that you studied in making your application decisions and determine which one of these colleges will present you with the best learning and living situation. When the academic and social scales are even, it may boil down to cost or the financial aid offer, but avoid using these criteria as your primary guide. After notifying the college/university know you are accepting their offer of admission, let the others that tendered you an acceptance know about that decision.

Keep your academic work up throughout the remainder of your senior year and begin making plans to be a college freshman. Congratulations. The exploration, decision-making plans, and application journey are now complete. Exciting times await you at the college you have selected!
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