

Smithtown CSD Senior Scholarship Bulletin

January 2023

East Counseling Center – (631) 382-2750

West Counseling Center – (631) 382-3020

This bulletin contains scholarship information received by the Counseling Center. If you are interested in further information, visit the website noted or the Counseling Center. Review all information and take note of application dates and eligibility requirements. Be sure to obtain all school provided documents in advance of scholarship deadline dates as some deadlines may occur during school closures.

Copies of the bulletin are available in the Counseling Center, through Naviance, the Counseling Center Google Classroom and the high school website. Please be sure to check the bulletin each month for SHSE or SHSW specific scholarships. <u>Access this bulletin online to print applications and link directly to websites.</u> Applications can also be printed in the Counseling Center.

<u>Unofficial Transcripts</u> - To access electronically, please log in to the Parent Portal using your username and password. Once logged in click on the "Document Portfolio" link on the left side of the screen. Click on the "Unofficial Transcripts" tab on the top of the screen. Finally, select the transcript on the left side of the screen. Please note that only parent/guardian accounts can access the Document Portfolio.

<u>Nominations</u> - If it is indicated that a scholarship requires a nomination by Smithtown High School, students must submit their names for consideration to the Counseling Center prior to the nomination date.

Dante Foundation of Nassau County

DEADLINE: January 10, 2023

Criteria:

- At least one parent must be of Italian descent.
- Students who have achieved high standards in academics.
- Participated in extra-curricular activities.
- Scored above average on SAT/ACT exams (if taken).
- **NOMINATION SCHOLARSHIP** Come to the Counseling Center for nomination consideration.

Naval Reserve Officers Training Corps Marine Option Scholarship

- Must be a US citizen. Dual citizens may also apply.
- Must attain at least one of the below test scores before or during the application process: SAT: 1000 combined score or better or ACT: 22 combined score or better.
- Armed Service Vocational Aptitude Battery (ASVAB) Test: 74 or better.
- Applicants should be highly physically fit and will take the Marine Corps Physical Fitness Test (PFT) during the application process.
- For more information, please visit: <u>https://www.netc.navy.mil/commands/naval-service-training-command/nrotc/apply/</u>

Susan Satriano Memorial Scholarship

Criteria:

- Smithtown High School graduating senior who will be attending college in the fall.
- Has a parent(s) presently battling cancer, in remission or unfortunately had a parent(s) succumb to the disease.
- For nomination consideration <u>click here</u> for SHS East and <u>click here</u> for SHS West. If you have any questions, please come to the Counseling Center or email: <u>dcoppola@smithtown.k12.ny.us</u> for East and <u>amadden@smithtown.k12.ny.us</u> for West.

BigFuture Scholarships

Criteria:

- BigFuture offers multiple opportunities to receive scholarships throughout the college application process.
- Open to all students.
- No essay, application or minimum GPA required.
- Various deadlines apply throughout the year.
- For more information, please visit: <u>https://opportunity.collegeboard.org/?excmpid=vt-00248</u>

AFA's Teen Alzheimer's Awareness Scholarship

Criteria:

- High School Seniors who have been impacted by Alzheimer's disease
- Must be attending a U.S. college or university in the fall
- For application, <u>click here</u>.

Lori DeMonte Memorial Scholarship

Criteria:

- Smithtown High School graduating senior.
- Must be pursuing a teaching degree.
- Applicant must demonstrate leadership qualities and participate in community service.
- Minimum 3.0 GPA.
- For application, <u>click here</u>.

DEADLINE: February 28, 2023

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DEADLINE: March 21, 2023

DEADLINE: March 1, 2023

DEADLINE: January 31, 2023

UNICO Italian Heritage Scholarship Islip-Smithtown Chapter

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- Smithtown High School college bound senior of Italian-American ancestry.
- Minimum 2.6 GPA.
- Applicants should be of fine moral character.
- <u>Click here for application.</u>

Daniel Distefano & Michael Western Memorial Scholarship (Remember Dan and Mike)

Criteria:

- Smithtown High School graduating senior.
- Applicant must respond to the following: In your estimation, what exemplifies good character, and how have you demonstrated this?
- Applications are available at: http://www.rememberdanandmike.com/.

The Honorable Peter Fox Cohalan Scholarship in American History DEADLINE: March 31, 2023

Criteria[.]

- Graduating Nassau/Suffolk County high school senior who will pursue an undergraduate degree with a concentrated study of a minimum of 24 credit hours in American History and/or American Government.
- Must attend a 4-year accredited college or university or academic institution subject to Board approval.
- <u>Click here for application</u>.

Trudy Rose Brody Memorial Scholarship

Criteria:

- Awarded to one student each from Smithtown HS East and Smithtown HS West.
- Planning to pursue a career in Social Work or Psychology.
- Minimum 3.0 GPA and will be attending a four-year college.
- For more information and application visit https://www.trudyrosebrody.com/scholarship.
- Email the completed application package to: trudyrosebrody@gmail.com.

DEADLINE: March 31, 2023

• Possess leadership skills.

• Be accepted to a four year school with business aspirations.

• Must be a female graduating senior in the Smithtown School District.

• For application <u>click here</u>

• GPA of 3.0 or better.

Lawzie Marigold Foundation Scholarship

DEADLINE: March 31, 2023

DEADLINE: April 1, 2023

UNICO National Undergraduate Scholarship Awards

Criteria:

- Must be a United States citizen of Italian descent
- Minimum GPA of 3.5
- Must be pursuing college study within the academic year of 2022-2023
- High school senior at any public or private secondary school
- Four scholarships offered with one application.
- For more information and application visit: <u>https://www.unico.org/scholarships</u>

Island Federal Credit Union Scholarship

Criteria:

- High school senior and holder of an Island checking/debit card account at the time the entry is submitted.
- Scholarships will be awarded through a random drawing among all entry forms received.
- Scholarship Entry Forms are available on their website at <u>islandfcu.com/scholarship</u> or at any of Island's branches.

Smithtown College Aid Scholarship

Criteria:

- All Smithtown High School graduating seniors are eligible to apply.
- Applications will be evaluated based upon the students' high school records in relation to their goals, school and community service, financial need and other significant information.
- Financial need is a significant factor in the committee's evaluation.
- For more information and application visit <u>www.smithtowncollegescholarshipcommittee.org</u>

PB & J Scholarship

Criteria:

- Open to all college-bound seniors at Smithtown HS East and West.
- Attending an accredited 2-year or 4-year college in the fall of 2023
- A student who has experienced personal challenges that may not have allowed them to perform well academically, but who still has the drive to succeed.
- Apply at: <u>https://scholarsapp.com/scholarship/pbj-scholarship</u>

Julie Peierls Scholarship- Theatre Three Productions

Criteria:

- Must be a Long Island resident.
- Plans to continue his/her theatrical education on a college or conservatory level.
- Plans to pursue a career in professional theatre.
- For more information and to apply go to: <u>https://www.theatrethree.com/peierlsscholarship.html</u>

DEADLINE: April 15, 2023

DEADLINE: April 21, 2023

DEADLINE: May, 15, 2023

DEADLINE: June 1, 2023

DEADLINE: May 31, 2023

There are a number of scholarships and grants available via <u>HESC</u>. Please see below for a sample of the many opportunities available and visit this website for additional information: <u>https://www.hesc.ny.gov/pay-for-college/financial-aid/types-of-financial-aid.html#horizontalTab2</u>

NYS Excelsior Scholarship

• The Excelsior Scholarship, in combination with other student financial aid programs, allows students to attend a SUNY or CUNY college tuition-free. Applications must be filed online: https://www.hesc.ny.gov/excelsior.

NYS Enhanced Tuition Award (ETA)

• This program provides tuition awards to students who are New York State residents attending a participating private college located in New York State. Recipients receive funding through a combination of their TAP award, ETA award and a match from their private college. Applications must be filed online: https://www.hesc.ny.gov/pay-for-college/financial-aid/types-of-financial-aid/nys-grants-scholarships-awards/enha https://www.hesc.ny.gov/pay-for-college/financial-aid/types-of-financial-aid/nys-grants-scholarships-awards/enha

NYS Math & Science Teaching Incentive Program

• Offered to encourage students to pursue careers as math and science teachers in secondary education (grades 7-12).

NYS Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education (TEACH) Grant

• Provides grants to students in exchange for a completion of a service obligation teaching in a public or private elementary or secondary school that serves students from low-income families.

Additional Scholarship Resources:

<u>www.fastweb.com</u> <u>www.scholarships.com</u> <u>www.collegeanswer.com</u> <u>www.supercollege.com</u> <u>www.chegg.com</u> www.collegexpress.com