

Smithtown CSD Senior Scholarship Bulletin

May 2025

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.

Professional Nurses Association of Suffolk County Scholarship

Criteria:

- Graduating high school seniors from Suffolk County.
- Must be accepted into an accredited undergraduate profession RN (associate or baccalaureate) nursing program as a full-time student.
- For application, <u>click here</u>

DEADLINE: May 3, 2025

2025 Friends of the Smithtown Library Scholarship

Criteria:

- Graduating high school student from the Smithtown library district.
- Applicant must supply a current Smithtown Library Card Barcode.
- For application, click here

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 www.smithtowncollegescholarshipcommittee.org

The Lowell Wolf Memorial Scholarship (Walk Safe Long Island)

Criteria:

- Must be a Long Island or Queens Resident.
- Create a short video that illustrates one or more of <u>The New York State Vehicle and Traffic Law for</u> <u>Pedestrian Enforcement</u> as detailed by the New York State Department of Transportation.
- Answer the question, "Why is it important to educate your community about pedestrian and traffic safety?"
- For more information and to apply go to: https://www.walksafeli.org/2025-video-contest

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: https://www.theatrethree.com/peierlsscholarship.html

Adventureland's Helping Hands Foundation -

The Vivian & Tony Gentile Scholarship Fund

Criteria:

- Must be attending a college/university in New York as a full-time student in the fall of 2025.
- Various scholarships are available.
- For more information and to apply go to www.HelpingHandsLI.org

Robin Hopkins Amper Environmental Scholarship

Criteria:

- Graduating High School Seniors pursuing undergraduate degrees in environmental studies and sciences, biology, ecology, sustainability, public policy, and land and water protection.
- Must be a Nassau or Suffolk resident.
- Academic achievement (3.0 GPA and above-average SAT/ACT scores)
- Personal Essay required
- Volunteer/extracurricular activities
- Financial need
- For more information and to apply <u>click here.</u>

DEADLINE: May 16, 2025

DEADLINE: May 19, 2025

DEADLINE: May 31, 2025

DEADLINE: June 1, 2025

DEADLINE: July 11, 2025

DEADLINE: July 18, 2025

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: https://www.hesc.nv.gov/pay-for-college/financial-aid/types-of-financial-aid.html#horizontalTab2

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/enhanced-tuition-awards.html.

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.

College Board BigFuture Scholarship Program

• College Board offers multiple scholarship opportunities throughout the college application process. Various deadlines apply throughout the year. For more information, please visit: https://opportunity.collegeboard.org/?excmpid=vt-00248

Additional Scholarship Resources:

www.fastweb.com www.scholarships.com www.collegeanswer.com www.supercollege.com www.chegg.com www.collegexpress.com