



Smithtown CSD Senior Scholarship Bulletin

April 2026

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, 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. Access this bulletin online to print applications and link directly to websites. Applications can also be printed in the Counseling Center.

Unofficial Transcripts - 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.

Nominations - 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.

UNICO Italian Heritage Scholarship Islip-Smithtown Chapter

DEADLINE: April 1, 2026

Criteria:

- Smithtown High School college bound senior of Italian-American ancestry.
- Minimum 3.0 GPA.
- Applicants should be of fine moral character.
- For application, [click here](#).

Anthony Rodriguez Memorial Scholarship

DEADLINE: April 1, 2026

Criteria:

- Student must have demonstrated the ability to overcome adversity with a strong determination to succeed.
- Participated in high school athletics.
- An active member of the school district and community.
- Intends to pursue a career helping others.
- Must be attending college, university or trade school upon graduation from high school.
- For application, [click here](#).

Kathleen Taylor Memorial Community Service Scholarship

DEADLINE: April 3, 2026

Criteria:

- Applicant must be of African Ancestry (African, African-American, and Afro-Caribbean)
- Minimum GPA of 3.0 or higher.
- Must plan to pursue a Baccalaureate or Associates degree.
- For application, [click here](#).

SSEA Scholarship

DEADLINE: April 13, 2026

Criteria:

- Must be a child/grandchild of a SSEA member in good standing.
- Graduating senior planning on attending a community college, trade or technical school, art school, or a four-year college or university.
- For application, [click here](#)

Jonah's Mission For Kids Scholarship

DEADLINE: April 15, 2026

Criteria:

- Graduating senior from a Long Island high school.
- Applicant must submit an essay: How have you ensured that others have not walked alone in their obstacles and struggles? How have you been a “light” to someone or a group of people?
- For application, [click here](#).

2026 Asaf German Spring Anti- Bullying Scholarship

DEADLINE: April 24, 2026

Criteria:

- Enrolled in a public or private Long Island school.
- Senior eligible for graduation in 2026.
- Attending either a two or four year school or trade program post graduation.
- Must write an essay whether prohibiting cell phones during the school day has or has not reshaped social dynamics and peer relationships in our school. Consider changes in communication, conflict, belonging and power, and argue whether the policy reduces bullying or merely shifts harmful behaviors to other spaces or times. Support your stance with reasoning, examples, or observations.
- For information and essay submission visit: www.LICAB.org/scholarship

Island Federal Credit Union Scholarship

DEADLINE: April 24, 2026

Criteria:

- High school senior who will be furthering their education next year.
- Must be a holder of an Island Federal checking account/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 islandfcu.com/scholarship or at any of Island's branches.

Smithtown Garden Club Scholarship

DEADLINE: April 25, 2026

Criteria:

- Smithtown area high school seniors.
- Applicant must be pursuing a college curriculum in agriculture, horticulture, floral design or environmental studies.
- Minimum 3.0 GPA.
- For application, [click here](#).

2026 Friends of the Smithtown Library Scholarship

DEADLINE: May 15, 2026

Criteria:

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

Omega Psi Phi Fraternity Inc./Chi Ro Chapter Achievement Scholarship

DEADLINE: May 15, 2026

Criteria:

- Must be an African American or Latino male senior student residing in Suffolk County.
- Applicants must demonstrate a high degree of professionalism and commitment to obtaining a degree.
- Must be officially admitted to an accredited two or four year college program or provide evidence of certified trade program.
- Minimum 3.0 GPA on a 4.0 scale (high school transcript required).
- Two letters of recommendation are required.
- For application, [click here](#) or visit their website: www.chirhochapter.org.

Smithtown College Aid Scholarship

DEADLINE: May 18, 2026

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

Smithtown Booster Club Scholarship

DEADLINE: May 18, 2026

Criteria:

- Any senior athlete from both Smithtown HS East and Smithtown HS West may apply.
- Parent/Guardian must be a member of the Smithtown Booster Club to apply.
- For application, [click here](#).

The Lowell Wolf Memorial Scholarship (Walk Safe Long Island)

DEADLINE: May 31, 2026

Criteria:

- Must be a Long Island or Queens Resident.
- Create a short video that illustrates one or more of [The New York State Vehicle and Traffic Law for Pedestrian Enforcement](#) 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: walksafeli.org/2026scholarship.

Sidonie Morrison Memorial Scholarship

DEADLINE: June 1, 2026

Criteria:

- Graduating senior from Smithtown High School.
- Identify as a female student.
- Demonstrate determination, resilience, passion for learning, and community engagement.
- Show interest in science, research, healthcare, or music.
- For application, [click here](#)

Julie Peierls Scholarship- Theatre Three Productions

DEADLINE: June 1, 2026

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**

DEADLINE: July 17, 2026

Criteria:

- Must be attending a college/university in New York as a full-time student in the fall of 2026.
- Various scholarships are available.
- For more information and to apply go to www.HelpingHandsLI.org

There are a number of scholarships and grants available via HESC. Please see below for a sample of the many opportunities available and visit this website for additional information:
<https://www.hesc.ny.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.collegexpress.com