

Smithtown CSD Senior Scholarship Bulletin

January 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.

Dante Foundation of Nassau County

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 with your resume for nomination consideration.

DEADLINE: January 16, 2025

Navy SEAL LT Michael P. Murphy Scholarship Award

DEADLINE: March 12, 2025

Criteria:

- Need based
- Must have a 2.3 GPA or above.
- A student that plays either a school sport or a community based sports team.
- To apply, <u>click here</u> for Smithtown HS West and <u>click here</u> for Smithtown HS East.

Susan Satriano Memorial Scholarship

DEADLINE: March 14, 2025

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.

Trudy Rose Brody Memorial Scholarship

DEADLINE: April 1, 2025

DEADLINE: April 4, 2025

DEADLINE: May 19, 2025

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.

Lorraine Pace Scholarship - Good Samaritan Hospital

Criteria:

- Have had a parent, legal guardian or themselves diagnosed with cancer.
- You must be a high school senior who will graduate by June 2025.
- Have been accepted to, and plan to attend a two or four year college or university or accredited vocational school upon graduation.
- Be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident of the U.S.
- Consideration includes community involvement and personal commitment.
- 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

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

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

DEADLINE: July 11, 2025

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