

General Scholarship Worksheet (2026)

Please print and review this worksheet before completing our online scholarship application. If you meet **all criteria** for any one of the scholarships listed below, just check it off here, and then also check it off on the online application.

Unless otherwise noted: All scholarships are for students residing in the [Foundation's 21-town area](#), require a B- (2.7) minimum cumulative GPA, are available to first-time/current/returning college students, and may be renewable. First-time applicants must have a FAFSA Student Aid Index (SAI) below \$40,000.

✓	Scholarship	Scholarship Criteria
	Regional Scholarship (General Awards)	For all residents of the Foundation's 21-town service area
	Doris and Joel Abramson Scholarship	For students planning to focus on teaching learning-disabled children
	Elizabeth H. Andersen and Nina E. Andersen Scholarship (reapplicants only)	For continued support of students that received an Andersen scholarship in the prior year
	Florence Anderson Scholarship	For Naugatuck residents who are graduates of Naugatuck High School
	The Samuel K. Beamon Scholarship *	For students residing in the Greater Waterbury area, pursuing careers in law enforcement, a trade, or photography
	Anita C. Behan Scholarship	For residents or natives of Waterbury that are studying nursing
	Dr. Susie Beris Scholarship *	Annual one-time scholarship award (\$5,000) to a student or students graduating from Pomperaug High School or Nonnewaug High School, whose family has been impacted by cancer. Preference will be given to an applicant who is a cancer survivor. Applicants are required to submit an essay detailing their experiences.
	Brown-Garrison Memorial Scholarship	For graduating seniors of Thomaston High School
	Nancy Camp Scholarship (by the Elisha Leavenworth Foundation)	\$5,000 award for high school graduates that have maintained an academic average of "B" or better and reside in Cheshire, Middlebury, Naugatuck, Prospect, Thomaston, Waterbury, Watertown or Wolcott
	William Cohen, M.D. Scholarship	To provide one \$5,000, renewable scholarship for an African-American student living in Waterbury that demonstrates promise, financial need, and is a descendant of slaves
	Richard J. Corey Memorial Scholarship	For students of Lebanese descent
	Isabelle V. Curtiss Education Fund Scholarship **	One-time \$5,000+ award for graduating seniors of Oxford High School whose academic performance has placed them in the top 10% of their graduating class, OR prior graduates of OHS that have a current college GPA of at least 3.5; recipients should also be well-rounded (as evidenced by extracurricular activities, community service, or employment). Financial need is not a requirement to apply but will be considered.
	Darrell S. Daniels Scholarship	For students attending a college in the southern U.S.
	Marc Decker Memorial Scholarship	For students that have participated in formal tennis activities within the Foundation's 21-town service area
	Marie J. Della Bella Scholarship	For female students pursuing a career in the field of law
	Elim Park Place Resident Association Scholarship **	One-time award for an employee of Elim Park Baptist Home (full or part-time, who by March 1 st has worked regularly for at least six months from date of hire) OR the child (age 18-26) thereof. Per-Diem employees are NOT eligible to apply. Applicants may reside anywhere.
	Cedric Ellis Scholarship Endowment	For students who reside in Waterbury, are of African descent, and plan to attend an accredited college or university
	Dr. William E. and Gloria B. Evans Scholarship	For graduates of Waterbury public schools who are planning to attend UConn, a historically black college or university, or a college in the CT State Colleges and Universities system
	Richard and Ann Faro Memorial Scholarship	For graduating high school students residing in Thomaston
	Louis, Mary, Rose and Dr. William Finkelstein Scholarship	For graduates of a Waterbury public high school (Crosby, Wilby, Kennedy, Arts Magnet School, or Career Academy), residing in Waterbury
	Samuel & Mary Fritzka Memorial Scholarship	For students with a cumulative GPA of A or B

	Raymond R. Gamby Scholarship (in Memory of Amelia Gamby)	For students of Italian or French heritage that will be enrolling in an undergraduate degree program at an accredited college/university.
	Raymond George Scholarship	For students in Waterbury of the Episcopalian faith
	Rose M. and Ralph P. Giuliano Scholarship Fund **	To provide one-time scholarship awards for student(s) graduating from a Waterbury or Naugatuck public high school. One award will go to a student planning to study visual art (inc. digital media) and one will go to a student planning to study nursing at an accredited college or university.
	Charles and Dorothy Greenblatt Scholarship	For Waterbury residents (5+ years) attending a non-sectarian college
	Richard and Frances Guerrera Scholarship	For students with documented learning disabilities (<i>written confirmation by appropriate school official required</i>)
	Jack and Vivian Hanson Scholarship	For residents of Waterbury, Watertown, Bethlehem, Woodbury, Southbury, Middlebury, Naugatuck, Prospect, Wolcott, or Thomaston
	Heritage Music Scholarship Fund *	One-time scholarship for graduating high school seniors in the CCF area who plan to study music or drama at an accredited college or university
	Heritage Village Scholarship *	One-time scholarship for graduating seniors at Pomperaug Regional High School who reside in Southbury, CT and demonstrate financial need.
	Honorable BJ Sheedy Scholarship Fund	For Naugatuck HS students that demonstrate financial need for college.
	John L. and Jeanne C. Hughes Scholarship	For undergraduate or graduate students studying the "Liberal Arts"
	Alan J. Hurdle Memorial Scholarship *	For students graduating from Kennedy High School
	Ion Bank: Crosby High School Scholarship *	One-time \$1,500 award to a graduating senior from Crosby High School
	Ion Bank: Mark C. Yanarella Scholarship *	One-time \$1,500 award to a graduating senior from Naugatuck H.S.
	Ion Bank: Richard D. Coe Scholarship *	One-time \$1,500 award for a student residing in Naugatuck
	Donald and Ruth Agnes Kaplan Memorial Scholarship	For female residents of Waterbury, Watertown, Naugatuck, Cheshire, Prospect or Woodbury (4+ years), attending college in New England, NY state, or Israel, and majoring in a health-care related field
	Kiwanis Club of Greater Waterbury Scholarship *	One-time \$1,000 award to graduating HS seniors from Waterbury, Cheshire, Middlebury, Naugatuck, Prospect, Watertown, or Wolcott. Awards are based on academics, need, and participation/leadership in school-based activities (priority for volunteerism & community service).
	Raymond Arthur & Angela LaMoy Scholarship	For students residing in Greater Waterbury
	John D. Leever Scholarship Fund	For students pursuing higher education, preferably (but not restricted to) current or former residents of Bethlehem, CT.
	Ruth Ann Leever Music Scholarship	For students pursuing undergrad or grad degree in music or music education (pref. for schools with a strong/renowned music program)
	Lindenman Family Scholarship Fund (<i>For 2026, it will be one award of \$3,500</i>)	For graduates of a Waterbury, CT public high school, who will attend an accredited college or university and plan to pursue a career in teaching
	Dr. & Mrs. Sidney B. Luria Memorial Schl.	For students with a cumulative GPA of A or B
	Mark G. Mannweiler Scholarship for Region 14 (<i>reapplicants only</i>)	For continued support of students that received a Mark G. Mannweiler scholarship award in the previous year.
	Lois Livingston McMillen Memorial Scholarship	For women actively pursuing (or that would like to pursue) an artistic career, with preference to artists in the visual arts of painting and design
	Middlebury Lions Club Scholarship *	One-time award to a graduating HS senior pursuing higher education who is a Middlebury resident and has above-average community service.
	Charles F. Mitchell Scholarship	For male residents of Waterbury (5+ years)
	Judge Mosley's College Scholarship Fund for Brass City Charter School Students *	One-time scholarships of \$1,000 each for graduating HS students who have previously graduated from Brass City Charter School in Waterbury. Volunteer community service should be addressed in essay or resume.
	Mothers Fund Scholarship *	For a high school senior pursuing a degree in English, literature, or journalism and residing in the Foundation's service area
	Eric J. Nagrabski Scholarship	For Naugatuck High School graduates attending the University of CT
	Naomi Mildred Nicoll Scholarship	For daughters of single, working mothers, exhibiting financial need. Applicant must live in Litchfield, Warren, Morris or Goshen and must be a graduate of Lakeview High School. Intellectual curiosity and community service are favored. (<i>Mother's marital status will not impact renewal.</i>)
	George M. and Mary Oliver Scholarship	For students residing in Prospect

Dr. John and Brigitte Palesty Scholarship	For students with financial need living in Greater Waterbury
Palladin Scholarship **	For children, step-children, grandchildren or step-grandchildren of an employee (at date of application) of Palladin Precision Products in Waterbury, exhibiting financial need. May reside anywhere in CT.
Lynne, Anthony, Marnee, and Dean Palladino Scholarship **	For grounds, maintenance, or food service employees (<i>excluding caddies</i>), of the Country Club of Waterbury (or a child, step-child, grandchild, or step-grandchild of such an employee). May reside anywhere in CT.
Joseph A. & Kyungsook K. Petrahai Scholarship	For students attending a public college in Connecticut
Barbara and Frank Quadrato Veterinary Scholarship	For students pursuing undergraduate studies in preparation for career in veterinary medicine. (<i>Preference to residents of Woodbury or Bethlehem</i>)
Heather Lo-Ann Rybinski Memorial Scholarship	For residents of Beacon Falls
Sirop Family Scholarship	For students majoring in nursing
Smaller Manufacturers Association Scholarship **	For students who are SMA member company employees or members of employee's immediate family (at time of application). Must reside in CT.
Southbury Historical Society Scholarship *	For graduating Pomperaug HS seniors (preferably w/ interest in history)
Southbury Lions Club Scholarship *	For graduating Southbury residents with financial need and a record of significant community service
Barbara M. Southworth Scholarship	For students attending Shepaug Regional High School or residing in Bridgewater/Brookfield, majoring in elementary education
Sylvia M. and Isidor I. Sprecker Scholarship	For graduates of Wilby High School ranked in top 5% of their class; students must be committed to racial equity and social justice
Sylvia & Isidor Sprecker Science & Math Schl.	For graduates of Wilby pursuing study in the sciences or mathematics
Joseph Stein Scholarship	For undergraduate or graduate students studying architecture
Thompson Family Scholarship	For graduates of Kennedy High School planning to attend CCSU
Thompson Memorial (Music) Scholarship	For students pursuing a degree in music or music education.
George & Eleanor Tomey Memorial Scholarship *	One-time award for graduating students from Pomperaug HS, Nonnewaug HS, or Oxford HS. Recipients should rank in the upper 60% of their class, with preference to students who rank in the middle deciles.
Uniroyal Salary Retirees Scholarship	For high school graduates who reside in Bethel, Cheshire, Middlebury, Naugatuck, Oxford, Prospect, Southbury, Waterbury, Watertown, Wolcott or Woodbury and plan to pursue a Bachelor of Science degree
United Nations Association of CT Scholarship *	For graduating students showing academic excellence & commitment to engagement in international issues, or exploration of diplomatic careers
Friends of Joseph Valente, Jr. Scholarship	For male graduates of Kaynor Vocational Technical School with a love of the outdoors and mechanical aptitude
Warren Park and Recreation Scholarship *	One-time award for residents of Warren graduating from high school
WHF / Healthbridge Foundation: Crozier Education in Medicine Scholarship	For children of Waterbury Hospital employees that are studying medicine or a related field of study
WHF / Healthbridge Foundation: Anderson / Grad Nurse / Merriman Nursing Education Scholarship	For the continuing education of nurses working in Beacon Falls, Bethlehem, Cheshire, Middlebury, Naugatuck, Plymouth, Prospect, Southbury, Thomaston, Waterbury, Watertown, Wolcott, or Woodbury
WHF / Healthbridge Foundation: Kazanjian-Mayo Nursing Education Scholarship	For the education of student nurses residing in Beacon Falls, Bethlehem, Cheshire, Middlebury, Naugatuck, Plymouth, Prospect, Southbury, Thomaston, Waterbury, Watertown, Wolcott or Woodbury
Waterbury Jaycees Scholarship	For Waterbury residents planning to attend a <u>public</u> college in Connecticut, with demonstrated exemplary community service
Waterbury Women's Club Scholarship	For students majoring in nursing
Francis M. White Scholarship	For Waterbury residents attending the University of Connecticut
Eddie Wilson Special Education Scholarship	For area students pursuing a career in Special Education for children with intellectual, physical, or other disabilities <i>OR</i> a career in physical or occupational therapy or speech pathology serving children/adults
N. Patricia Yarborough Scholarship	For students studying music, art, dance, or theatre
Evelyn and Bernard J. Zucker Scholarship	For students majoring in the arts and humanities