

Columbus Lodge #2143 (Sons of Italy) Guidelines for 2024 Scholarship Awards

Awards will be selected by applicants that meet the criteria below and submit the complete application containing all requirements that are received prior to the deadline:

- Eligible lodge member's children or grand children (a member of the lodge in good standing with one or more years of active membership).

OR

- Students from participating high schools: Bethpage, Farmingdale, Massapequa, or Plainedge.

Student's who meet either of the above criteria, are graduating, and seek further education may apply. All applications must be **RECEIVED by April 1, 2024**. In recent years we have received over 100 applications; due to the growing amount of submissions **ALL APPLICATIONS** received after the due date *will not be considered*.

Amount of Awards: \$750 each.

Scholarship Awards will be given in various categories:

- Scholastic Achievement award (GPA 90 or greater).
- P. Vincent Land Award (GPA 75-89).
- Zabbia Memorial Award – Student planning a career in health care.
- Accounting.
- Excellence in Italian Language.

Requirements

In order to be considered for an award you must provide the following:

1. A completed Application (attached)
2. A completed Student Profile form (attached):
 - i) Student should complete Parts A through D
 - ii) Part E should be completed by the student's Guidance Councilor
 - iii) Part F Should be completed by the Registrar or Principal

3. An **official transcript** of student's high school record.

Note: Students can obtain an official transcript copy and attach it to your application OR deliver the completed application to your school and they can send it on your behalf.

4. Two letters of recommendation from individuals not related to applicant.

Deadline:

Completed applications, transcript, and other information must be received by Columbus Lodge Scholarship Committee no later than **April 1st**. School officials will advise students as to the date this information should be in their hands so that they may forward it to Columbus Lodge by the deadline.

NOTE: It is the responsibility of the student to ensure all deadlines are met.



Columbus Lodge #2143 (Sons of Italy)
2024 Scholarship Award Application
(Application Deadline April 1, 2024)

NAME (First & Last): _____

ADDRESS: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP CODE: _____

PHONE #: _____ DATE OF BIRTH: _____ SEX (Male/Female): _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____

COLLEGE /COLLEGES YOU APPLIED TO: _____

COLLEGE (S) ACCEPTED TO: _____

WHICH ONE DO YOU PLAN ON ATTENDING? _____

PART A: INFORMATION REGARDING APPLICANT AND FAMILY

1) IS YOUR FATHER LIVING: _____ IS YOUR MOTHER LIVING: _____

2) FATHER'S OCCIPATION: _____ MOTHER'S OCCUPATION: _____

3) IS YOUR PARENT OR GRANDPARENT A MEMBER OF COLUMBUS LODGE #2143?

4) IF SO, WHAT IS THEIR NAME _____

5) IF SO, WHAT IS THEIR MEMBERSHIP NUMBER? _____

PART B: SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

1) SCHOOL CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS: _____

2) OFFICER POSITIONS HELD: _____

3) SPORTS (SCHOOL OR COMMUNITY): _____

PART C: FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Estimated cost of one school year:	Tuition	\$ _____
	Books & Fee	_____
	Room & Board	_____
	Other Expenses	_____
	Total	\$ _____



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PART D: STUDENT STATEMENT

SUBMIT A PERSONAL STATEMENT OF NOT MORE THAN 250 WORDS DESCRIBING EXPERIENCES, MAJOR ACCOMPLISHMENTS (INCLUDING ANY SPECIAL HONORS EARNED) AND AFTER HIGH SCHOOL PLANS INCLUDING CAREER OR FAMILY SITUATIONS WHICH WILL AFFECT YOUR ABILITY TO ATTEND COLLEGE.

NOTE: THIS IS THE MOST IMPORTANT PART OF YOUR APPLICATION. STATEMENTS (PLEASE SUBMIT TYPED WRITTEN AND SIGNED BY APPLICANT)

(Use additional paper if necessary)



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PART E: GUIDANCE COUNCELOR RECOMMENDATION

STUDENT'S NAME: _____

WHAT SINGLE WORD WOULD YOU USE TO DESCRIBE THIS STUDENT? _____

WOULD YOU RECOMMEND THIS STUDENT FOR COLLEGE? _____

Comments:

PART F: SCHOLASTIC INFORMATION (TO BE COMPLETED BY REGISTRAR)

OVERALL AVERAGE: _____ AS OF: _____

OVERALL RANK IN CLASS: _____ OUT OF: _____

COLLEGE BOARD SCORES: SAT VERBAL _____ SAT MATH _____

DATE: _____

Registrar

Submit all applications with student transcripts and recommendation letters to:

Columbus Lodge #2143
C/o Scholarship Chairman
2143 Boundary Avenue
So Farmingdale, NY 11735

