

# scholarships

Vermont residency required (unless otherwise specified)



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To apply, follow the directions under the section called “Application.” VSAC forms cannot be used to apply for scholarships administered by agencies other than VSAC.

## Eligibility

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Code	Description
A	Must be an ADULT student to apply
C	Must be a COLLEGE student already enrolled in and attending postsecondary school
G	Must be a GRADUATE student (i.e., a student who has already obtained a four-year undergraduate degree)
H	Must be a HIGH SCHOOL student who will either graduate or receive a GED by the end of the current school year
O	OPEN to all students, including graduating high school seniors, students already enrolled in and attending postsecondary school, graduate students, and adults

# General Information about Scholarships

The Vermont Student Assistance Corporation (VSAC) publishes this booklet to provide you with information about specific scholarships available to **Vermont residents**. Most of the scholarships listed in this booklet are sponsored by private groups including Vermont businesses, charitable or service organizations, veterans groups, and others.

The majority of financial aid available to Vermont students is provided by your postsecondary school, the federal government, and VSAC. Scholarships are considered supplements to other aid, such as grants and loans.

Scholarships, like grants, are forms of "gift aid," meaning there is no obligation (under most circumstances) to repay the funds. While grants are generally awarded according to a student's financial need, scholarships are typically based on a combination of factors unique to each scholarship. Factors may include residency, degree program or field of study, leadership, academic achievement, extracurricular activities, and — in some cases — financial need. Scholarships, unlike grants, are competitive, meaning that eligible applicants compete for a limited number of awards.

The scholarships listed in this booklet are divided into two main sections:

- **VSAC-ASSISTED SCHOLARSHIPS** — *administered in part or in full by VSAC*. All of these scholarships use VSAC's Unified Scholarship Application process — use instructions and forms located in the front of this booklet to apply for these scholarships.
- **OTHER SCHOLARSHIPS** — *administered by agencies or organizations other than VSAC*. Each of these scholarships has its own application process — VSAC forms cannot be used to apply for these scholarships.

Scholarships within each section are in alphabetical order. We note the average number of applicants and awards to indicate the competition for each scholarship. If you have any questions about a particular scholarship, contact VSAC's Scholarship Programs.

## when & where to look for scholarships

Begin your search for scholarships nine to 12 months before the start of the academic year for which you need funds. Start close to home and branch out (local, regional, statewide, then national) as time allows. Here are some possible sources of scholarship information:

### LOCAL HIGH SCHOOL OR TOWN OFFICIALS

- Information on scholarships restricted to your local school, town, or region.

### YOUR COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY

- Information on scholarships restricted to the postsecondary school you attend.

### VSAC'S *SCHOLARSHIPS* BOOKLET

- Includes nearly 120 individual scholarships available to Vermont residents.

### VSAC RESOURCE CENTER

- Computers, books, and counselors to help you with information about scholarships or other aspects of the college process.
- Walk-in visits (no appointments are necessary), or online access at [www.vsac.org](http://www.vsac.org).

### WEB SITES

- Useful sites are listed in the VSAC *Scholarships* brochure and in the "VSAC Web Picks" section of this booklet (page 4).
- Other sites are available through the VSAC Resource Center or on the VSAC Web site at [www.vsac.org](http://www.vsac.org).

## what to watch out for

### HOW WILL SCHOLARSHIPS AFFECT OTHER AID?

- Before applying for scholarships, check with your postsecondary school to see how receiving a scholarship may affect your overall financial aid.
- Carefully consider whether or not a scholarship will:
  - ✓ reduce loans
  - ✓ reduce work study
  - ✓ reduce grants
  - ✓ reduce other scholarships

### BEWARE OF SCAMS

The Federal Trade Commission (FTC) warns students to be careful in using scholarship search companies. While some firms are legitimate, others aren't. A tip-off could be if the firm "guarantees" or "promises" scholarships or grants. No reputable firm can legitimately make such a claim. Beware of these telltale statements:

- *"This scholarship is guaranteed or your money back."*
- *"You can't get this information anywhere else."*
- *"We'll need your credit card or bank account number to hold this scholarship."*
- *"We'll do all the work for you!"*
- *"There's a fee to apply for this scholarship."*
- *"You've been selected by a national foundation to receive a scholarship."*
- *"You're a finalist..." (in a contest you never entered).*

## visit our VSAC Resource Center

The VSAC Resource Center is located on the third floor of the Champlain Mill in Winooski.

### THE RESOURCE CENTER OFFERS:

- computers with software and Web access. Search national scholarship databases.
- a library with more than 4,000 books, periodicals, and videos. Find detailed information about the financial aid process.
- counselors to answer your questions and provide information.

Appointments aren't necessary. Services are free.

**Hours:** Monday–Thursday, 8:00 am–8:00 pm  
Friday, 8:00 am–4:30 pm  
Saturday, 8:30 am–2:30 pm

## VSAC Web picks

Visit the VSAC site ([www.vsac.org](http://www.vsac.org)) to learn about Vermont-specific scholarships. Try these sites to learn about national scholarships:

[www.collegeboard.com](http://www.collegeboard.com) --- Choose "Pay for College" from the College Board's home page, and then "Scholarship Search" under "Finding Scholarships and Financial Aid."

[www.finaid.org](http://www.finaid.org) --- Finaid provides a vast array of information on financial aid for postsecondary education, including scholarships.

[www.srnexpress.com](http://www.srnexpress.com) --- Scholarship Resource Network provides scholarship searches of 8,000 national programs from 1,500 organizations.

[www.studentservices.com/fastweb](http://www.studentservices.com/fastweb) --- FastWeb bills itself as the Internet's largest free scholarship search.

## scholarships time-line

### FOR THE 2005-2006 ACADEMIC YEAR

#### After November 1, 2004

Review scholarships and identify those for which you meet all eligibility requirements. (Be sure you are using the most recent edition of this booklet. The information in this booklet changes each year. Scholarships are added or removed, and eligibility requirements for individual scholarships may change.)

#### After January 1, 2005

Begin submitting required documents for each of the scholarships for which you are eligible to apply. (All VSAC-assisted scholarships use the Unified Scholarship Application. You need only submit this document, and any other required documents, once, no matter how many VSAC-assisted scholarships you apply for. Once a document is on file with VSAC Scholarships Program, it is available to any scholarship that requires it.)

#### After January 1, 2005

File a Vermont Grant Application with VSAC and a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) as soon after January 1 as possible. (Scholarships that consider financial need often require that you file these applications.)

*Remember that scholarships awarded in 2005 are applied toward education expenses in the 2005-2006 academic year.*

## VSAC-Assisted Scholarships

### ALFRED T. GRANGER STUDENT ART FUND

Eligibility Code: **O**  
 Postmark Deadline: **MAY 10**  
 VSAC ID: **GRANGER**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** Alfred T. Granger was a prominent New Hampshire architect in the 1940s. He completed his undergraduate work at New England College and received a graduate degree in design and architecture from Harvard University. Mr. Granger and his firm were responsible for the design of many hospitals and schools in New Hampshire and Vermont, notably the New Hampshire State House Annex. He was awarded the Jacobson National Prize for his design excellence. Upon his death in 1970, an endowed fund was established to support postsecondary study for talented students pursuing studies in architecture and design, fine arts, architectural engineering or mechanical drawing (CAD). Today these fields also include interior design and lighting design.

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Seek a degree in architecture, interior design, studio art, architectural engineering, mechanical drawing, or lighting design
- Demonstrate academic achievement
- Demonstrate financial need

#### AMOUNT

- Four \$2,500 scholarships (undergraduate students)
- Two \$5,000 scholarships (graduate students)
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

#### SELECTION

- Academic achievement
- Financial need
- Portfolio
- Recommendation letters

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 80  
 Awards: 6

### ALICE C. COAPLAND SCHOLARSHIP

Eligibility Code: **O**  
 Postmark Deadline: **JULY 5**  
 VSAC ID: **COAPLAND**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Alice C. Coapland Scholarship was formerly known as Northeast Vermont Scholarships. Ms. Coapland began her teaching career in 1939 and retired in 1982. Committed to excellence in teaching, she taught mostly French and Latin, but also history, English, geography, and psychology. Her 43-year career included teaching positions at Craftsbury Academy, Barton Academy, Newport High School, and North Country Union High School. Ms. Coapland established this scholarship in 2002 and upon her death in 2004 bequeathed her estate to generously fund this scholarship. In doing so, Ms. Coapland left a legacy that will enable VSAC to carry on her work in perpetuity to benefit female residents of northeast Vermont with high financial need who wish to pursue a postsecondary education.

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Female
- Reside in one of 25 towns served by the following high schools: Craftsbury Academy, Lake Region Union High School, North Country Union High School (Albany, Barton, Brighton, Brownington, Charleston, Coventry, Craftsbury, Derby, Glover, Greensboro, Hardwick, Holland, Irasburg, Jay, Lowell, Morgan, Newport City, Newport Town, Orleans, Stannard, Troy, Westfield, Westmore, Wolcott, Woodbury)
- Attend an accredited postsecondary (two-year, four-year, or vocational) school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Enroll full-time
- Demonstrate financial need
- Demonstrate academic achievement and promise of continued excellence
- Demonstrate school/community involvement

#### AMOUNT

- Up to twelve \$2,000 scholarships awarded annually
- Renewable for up to three additional years

#### SELECTION

- Financial need
- Academic achievement
- Essays
- Recommendation letter

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: New  
 Awards: New

**AMY LOWENSTEIN SCHOLARSHIP**

Eligibility Code: **H**  
 Postmark Deadline: **MAY 15**  
 VSAC ID: **LOWENSTEIN**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Amy Lowenstein Scholarship Fund was created to provide financial support in the form of scholarships for academically promising graduates of Addison County public high schools who plan to attend a competitive, degree-granting, four-year, accredited postsecondary school full-time.

**ELIGIBILITY**

- Reside in Addison County
- Attend a competitive, accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Enroll full-time in a four-year undergraduate degree program
- Demonstrate outstanding academic achievement and promise of continued excellence
- Demonstrate financial need
- Demonstrate school/community involvement

**AMOUNT**

- Two or more scholarships totaling \$8,000
- Renewable for up to three additional years

**SELECTION**

- Academic achievement
- Essays
- Financial need
- School/community involvement
- Recommendation letters

**AVERAGES**

Applicants: 40  
 Awards: 4

**BERNICE MURRAY SCHOLARSHIP**

(sponsored by U.S. Senator James Jeffords and the Federal Executives' Association)

Eligibility Code: **O**  
 Postmark Deadline: **JUNE 1**  
 VSAC ID: **MURRAY**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Bernice Murray Scholarship Foundation was created by U.S. Sen. James Jeffords, along with family and friends of Bernice Murray, long-time aide to Sen. Jeffords. The scholarship was established to honor her unselfish contributions to improving the lives of Vermonters. The aim of the foundation is to make a difference in the lives of Vermont families, as Bernice Murray helped make a positive difference in the lives of so many human beings during her short life.

**ELIGIBILITY**

- Single parent with primary custody of at least one child 12 years of age or younger
- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Enroll in an undergraduate degree program (minimum six credits)
- Demonstrate financial need

**AMOUNT**

- One or more scholarships totaling \$2,000
- Scholarship to be used for payment of child care expenses
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

**SELECTION**

- Financial need
- Recommendation letter
- Essays
- Personal interview (finalists only)

**AVERAGES**

Applicants: 15  
 Awards: 2

**BURLINGTON BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL WOMEN'S ORGANIZATION SCHOLARSHIP**

Eligibility Code: **A**  
 Postmark Deadline: **JULY 10**  
 VSAC ID: **BPW**

**ELIGIBILITY**

- Reside in Addison, Chittenden, Franklin, Grand Isle, or Lamoille County
- Head of a single-parent family
- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Demonstrate financial need

**AMOUNT**

- Scholarships range from \$500 to \$1,000
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

**SELECTION**

- Financial need
- Essays
- Resume

**AVERAGES**

Applicants: 6  
 Awards: 3

**BURLINGTON BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL WOMEN'S ORGANIZATION SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY SCHOLARSHIP**

Eligibility Code: **A**  
 Postmark Deadline: **JULY 10**  
 VSAC ID: **BPW-S&T**

**ELIGIBILITY**

- Reside in Addison, Chittenden, Franklin, Grand Isle, or Lamoille County
- Female who is 25 years of age or older
- Seek education or training in a science or technology field

**AMOUNT**

- Average \$1,000
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

**SELECTION**

- Essays
- Resume

**AVERAGES**

Applicants: 10  
 Awards: 1

## VSAC-Assisted Scholarships

### BURLINGTON VETERANS' CLUB SCHOLARSHIP

Eligibility Code: **H**  
 Postmark Deadline: **MAY 15**  
 VSAC ID: **VETCLUB**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** In 1981 the Burlington Veterans' Club established an educational trust fund with Vermont Student Assistance Corporation to help Vermont students pursue a postsecondary education. VSAC arranged for the proceeds of the trust to be distributed annually as scholarships to worthy Chittenden County high school seniors.

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Graduate from a Chittenden County high school
- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Demonstrate academic achievement (top 10% of graduating high school class)
- Demonstrate financial need

#### AMOUNT

- Number of scholarships and award amounts vary annually and are dependent upon proceeds from the trust fund
- Non-renewable

#### SELECTION

- Academic achievement
- Financial need
- Recommendation letter
- Essays

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 45  
 Awards: 1

### CABOT CREAMERY CULINARY SCHOLARSHIP

Eligibility Code: **O**  
 Postmark Deadline: **APRIL 1**  
 VSAC ID: **CABOT**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Cabot Creamery Culinary Scholarship was created to support Vermont students seeking knowledge of the culinary arts.

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Seek education or training (i.e., academic, vocational, technical, or advanced) related to the culinary arts
- Demonstrate academic achievement
- Demonstrate financial need

#### AMOUNT

- One or two scholarships totaling \$1,000
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

#### SELECTION

- Recommendation letter
- Essays
- Academic achievement
- Financial need

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 10  
 Awards: 2

### CALEDONIA COUNTY FARM BUREAU SCHOLARSHIP

Eligibility Code: **O**  
 Postmark Deadline: **APRIL 1**  
 VSAC ID: **CCFB**

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Reside in Caledonia County
- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Seek a degree in a field related to agriculture, including, but not limited to animal sciences, equine studies, agribusiness, plant and soil science, forestry, horticulture, or veterinary medicine or technology
- Demonstrate financial need
- Demonstrate academic achievement

#### AMOUNT

- One \$500 scholarship
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

#### SELECTION

- Financial need
- Academic achievement
- Essays
- Recommendation letter

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 4  
 Awards: 1

**CARL GARY TAYLOR FOUNDATION FOR CHILDREN SCHOLARSHIP**

Eligibility Code: **O**  
 Postmark Deadline: **MAY 10**  
 VSAC ID: **TAYLOR**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Carl Gary Taylor Foundation for Children Scholarship was established to provide a student residing in Orleans County, Vermont the opportunity to attend postsecondary school. The foundation is particularly interested in providing this opportunity to a student who would otherwise be unable to attend, has overcome hardship, and has demonstrated the ability to succeed academically and personally.

**ELIGIBILITY**

- Reside in Orleans County, Vermont
- Face significant barriers that limit your access to a postsecondary education
- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Demonstrate financial need
- Demonstrate academic achievement
- Demonstrate school/community involvement

**AMOUNT**

- One \$5,000 scholarship
- Renewable for up to three additional years

**SELECTION**

- Financial need
- Academic achievement
- Recommendation letters
- Essays

**AVERAGES**

Applicants: New  
 Awards: New

**CHAMPLAIN VALLEY KENNEL CLUB SCHOLARSHIP**

Eligibility Code: **O**  
 Postmark Deadline: **MAY 10**  
 VSAC ID: **CVKENNEL**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Champlain Valley Kennel Club Scholarship was created to assist qualified students in their pursuit of a degree in veterinary medicine or technology.

**ELIGIBILITY**

- Minimum 5-year Vermont residency
- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Seek a degree in veterinary medicine or technology
- Demonstrate academic achievement
- Demonstrate financial need

**AMOUNT**

- Average of one \$500 scholarship
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

**SELECTION**

- Academic achievement
- Financial need
- Recommendation letter
- Essays

**AVERAGES**

Applicants: 25  
 Awards: 2

**CHAMPLAIN VALLEY STREET RODDERS (CVSR) SCHOLARSHIP**

Eligibility Code: **H**  
 Postmark Deadline: **APRIL 10**  
 VSAC ID: **CVSR**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** Champlain Valley Street Rodders (CVSR) was formed in 1981 for the fellowship and enjoyment of rebuilding, modifying, and driving vintage automobiles. The membership is active in community and charitable activities. This scholarship is funded by the CVSR membership and was created in 2003 to assist students interested in pursuing careers in the automotive field.

**ELIGIBILITY**

- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Seek a degree in a field related to automotive technology, mechanics, or repair
- Demonstrate financial need
- Demonstrate academic achievement

**AMOUNT**

- One \$500 scholarship
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

**SELECTION**

- Recommendation letters
- Essays
- Financial need
- Academic achievement

**AVERAGES**

Applicants: 18  
 Awards: 1

## VSAC-Assisted Scholarships

### CHARLES E. LEONARD MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP (sponsored by the Vermont Association for the Blind and Visually Impaired)

Eligibility Code: **O**  
 Postmark Deadline: **MAY 1**  
 VSAC ID: **LEONARD**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Charles E. Leonard Memorial Scholarship, sponsored by the Vermont Association for the Blind and Visually Impaired (VABVI), was created in memory of Charles "Chuck" Leonard by his mother after his death in 1981. Mr. Leonard was president of VABVI from 1978 to 1980 and was a blind engineer at General Electric for many years.

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Be blind or visually impaired (after best corrected vision) OR be a child of a blind or visually impaired person OR pursue a career in the education or rehabilitation of blind or visually impaired people
- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Demonstrate financial need
- Demonstrate academic achievement

#### AMOUNT

- Approximately four \$500 scholarships
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

#### SELECTION

- Financial need
- Academic achievement
- Essays

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 9  
 Awards: 3

### CHITTENDEN BANK SCHOLARSHIP

Eligibility Code: **H**  
 Postmark Deadline: **APRIL 10**  
 VSAC ID: **CHITTENDEN**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Chittenden Bank Scholarship was established to invest in the future of Vermont students. Because the cost of postsecondary education is increasingly a challenge for students, this scholarship provides financial assistance to those who wish to pursue a postsecondary degree.

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Attend an accredited **Vermont** postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Enroll in a two- or four-year degree program
- Demonstrate academic achievement
- Demonstrate financial need

#### AMOUNT

- Two \$2,500 scholarships
- Renewable for up to three additional years

#### SELECTION

- Academic achievement
- Recommendation letters
- Essays
- Financial need

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 290  
 Awards: 2

### COVENTRY TOWN FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP

Eligibility Code: **O**  
 Postmark Deadline: **JUNE 15**  
 VSAC ID: **COVENTRY**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Coventry Town Foundation Scholarship Program was created in 2003 to support the higher education aspirations of long-time Coventry town residents.

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Applicant (or, if applicant is 21 years of age or younger, applicant's parent/s) must have been a resident of the town of Coventry for a minimum of five consecutive years
- Applicant (or, if applicant is 21 years of age or younger, applicant's parent/s) must be a current member of the Coventry Town Foundation at time of application
- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Enroll full-time at the undergraduate level

#### AMOUNT

- \$1,000
- Renewable for up to four additional years

#### SELECTION

- Essays
- Recommendation letters

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: New  
 Awards: New

**DON AND PEG ARNOLD SCHOLARSHIP**

Eligibility Code: **O**  
 Postmark Deadline: **JUNE 5**  
 VSAC ID: **ARNOLD**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Don and Peg Arnold Scholarship was created to provide financial support in the form of scholarships for students from the eight towns served by the Shoreham Telephone Company.

**ELIGIBILITY**

- Reside in one of the eight towns served by the Shoreham Telephone Company (Benson, Castleton, Cornwall, Hubbardton, Orwell, Shoreham, Sudbury, Whiting)
- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Enroll full-time in a two- or four-year degree program
- Demonstrate outstanding academic achievement and promise of continued excellence
- Demonstrate financial need
- Demonstrate school/community involvement

**AMOUNT**

- One \$5,000 scholarship
- Renewable for up to three additional years

**SELECTION**

- Academic achievement
- Financial need
- School/community involvement
- Recommendation letters
- Essays

**AVERAGES**

Applicants: 20  
 Awards: 1

**ELIZABETH J. DAVIS SCHOLARSHIP**

Eligibility Code: **O**  
 Postmark Deadline: **JUNE 5**  
 VSAC ID: **DAVIS-EJ**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Elizabeth J. Davis Scholarship was established to assist home health care professionals with obtaining advanced degrees, as well as students seeking a bachelor's degree in a health profession or students seeking home health aide certification.

**ELIGIBILITY**

- Seek education or training (i.e., academic, vocational, technical, or advanced) related to home health care
- Demonstrate financial need
- Demonstrate interest in a career in the home health care field
- Intend to work in Vermont for a minimum of two years

**AMOUNT**

- Scholarships range from \$1,000 to \$3,000
- Renewable for up to three additional years

**SELECTION**

- Financial need
- Essays
- Recommendation letter
- Personal interview (if necessary)

**AVERAGES**

Applicants: 40  
 Awards: 7

**ESSEX RESCUE SCHOLARSHIP**

Eligibility Code: **O**  
 Postmark Deadline: **MAY 10**  
 VSAC ID: **ESSXRESCUE**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Essex Rescue Scholarship was created to help residents of the towns served by Essex Rescue pursue an education in the health care field. The intent of this scholarship is to assist individuals who have demonstrated a commitment to caring for people within their community.

**ELIGIBILITY**

- Reside in one of the five towns served by Essex Rescue (Essex Junction, Essex Town, Jericho, Underhill, Westford)
- Seek education or training (i.e., academic, vocational, technical, or advanced) in the health care field
- Demonstrate academic achievement
- Demonstrate financial need
- Demonstrate community involvement/service

**AMOUNT**

- Two \$1,000 scholarships
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

**SELECTION**

- Essays
- Recommendation letter
- Financial need
- Academic achievement

**AVERAGES**

Applicants: New  
 Awards: New

## VSAC-Assisted Scholarships

### GREEN MOUNTAIN DOG CLUB SCHOLARSHIP

Eligibility Code: **O**  
 Postmark Deadline: **JULY 5**  
 VSAC ID: **GMDOGCLUB**

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Seek a degree in veterinary medicine, animal science, or a related field
- Intend to work with animals to improve their quality of health/life
- Demonstrate academic achievement (minimum 2.5 cumulative GPA on a 4.0 scale)
- Demonstrate financial need

#### AMOUNT

- Average of one \$500 scholarship
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

#### SELECTION

- Academic achievement
- Financial need
- Recommendation letter
- Essays

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 40  
 Awards: 1

### HILDEGARD DURFEE SCHOLARSHIP (GRADUATE)

Eligibility Code: **G**  
 Postmark Deadline: **JUNE 1**  
 VSAC ID: **DURFEE-G**

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Reside in Windham County (*preference given to residents of Bellows Falls, Brattleboro, Dummerston, Guilford, Newfane, and Putney*)
- Seek a graduate degree (applicant must have completed a four-year undergraduate degree)
- Seek education or training (academic, vocational, technical, artistic, etc.) in any area
- Demonstrate financial need
- Demonstrate academic achievement

#### AMOUNT

- Scholarships range from \$500 to \$1,500
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

#### SELECTION

- Recommendation letter
- Essays
- Financial need
- Academic achievement
- Resume
- Personal interview (if necessary)

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 10  
 Awards: 4

### HILDEGARD DURFEE SCHOLARSHIP (UNDERGRADUATE)

Eligibility Code: **O**  
 Postmark Deadline: **JUNE 1**  
 VSAC ID: **DURFEE-U**

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Reside in Windham County (*preference given to residents of Bellows Falls, Brattleboro, Dummerston, Guilford, Newfane, and Putney*)
- Seek an undergraduate postsecondary degree
- Seek education or training (academic, vocational, technical, artistic, etc.) in any area
- Demonstrate financial need
- Demonstrate academic achievement

#### AMOUNT

- Scholarships range from \$500 to \$1,500
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

#### SELECTION

- Recommendation letter
- Essays
- Financial need
- Academic achievement
- Personal interview (if necessary)

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 100  
 Awards: 45

### JEAN ANDREWS NURSING SCHOLARSHIP

(sponsored by Porter Hospital Women's Auxiliary)

Eligibility Code: **O**  
 Postmark Deadline: **MAY 1**  
 VSAC ID: **ANDREWS**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Jean Andrews Nursing Scholarship was created to encourage students to enter the nursing profession.

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Reside in Addison County
- Attend an accredited school of nursing approved for federal Title IV funding
- Seek a degree in registered nursing or nursing education
- Demonstrate financial need

#### AMOUNT

- One \$1,200 scholarship
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

#### SELECTION

- Financial need
- Essays

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 10  
 Awards: 1

<b>JEDIDIAH ZABROSKY SCHOLARSHIP</b>	Eligibility Code: <b>C</b>
	Postmark Deadline: <b>APRIL 20</b>
	VSAC ID: <b>ZABROSKY</b>

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Jedidiah Zabrosky Scholarship Fund, Inc. was created by the friends, coworkers, and family of Jedidiah Zabrosky. Jed worked very hard for his education, was an active member of his community, and was an extremely caring young man. In 1999 both Jed and his father were killed in a car accident by a driver that was intoxicated (DWI). Jed devoted his life to serving his community, school, and friends. He held leadership positions in both volunteer organizations and clubs. This scholarship is dedicated to his memory and legacy.

ELIGIBILITY	AMOUNT	SELECTION	AVERAGES
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Currently attend a <b>Vermont</b> state college</li> <li>Seek a two- or four-year undergraduate degree in business or education</li> <li>Currently be employed (minimum 10 hours per week)</li> <li>Demonstrate financial need</li> <li>Demonstrate school/community involvement</li> <li>Demonstrate academic achievement (minimum 2.5 cumulative GPA on a 4.0 scale)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>One \$2,000 scholarship</li> <li>Non-renewable (reapply each year)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Financial need</li> <li>Recommendation letters</li> <li>Essays</li> <li>Academic achievement</li> </ul>	Applicants: 15 Awards: 1

<b>JERICO-UNDERHILL LIONS CLUB SCHOLARSHIP</b>	Eligibility Code: <b>O</b>
	Postmark Deadline: <b>APRIL 10</b>
	VSAC ID: <b>LIONS-JU</b>

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Jericho-Underhill Lions Club created this scholarship in the early 1980s to encourage residents in the Jericho-Underhill area to serve their communities and develop high ethical standards.

ELIGIBILITY	AMOUNT	SELECTION	AVERAGES
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Reside in Bolton, Huntington, Jericho, Richmond, or Underhill</li> <li>Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding</li> <li>Demonstrate community service and good citizenship</li> <li>Demonstrate financial need</li> <li>Demonstrate academic achievement</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>One or more scholarships up to \$1,000 each</li> <li>Non-renewable (reapply each year)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Recommendation letter</li> <li>Essays</li> <li>Financial need</li> <li>Academic achievement</li> </ul>	Applicants: 10 Awards: 3

<b>JOHN HUDSON SAVAGE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP</b> (sponsored by Colchester Rescue)	Eligibility Code: <b>O</b>
	Postmark Deadline: <b>MAY 10</b>
	VSAC ID: <b>SAVAGE</b>

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** John Hudson Savage joined Colchester Rescue in April 1974 and soon moved into a command position as a crew captain. This position required the coordination of a four-person emergency medical crew that responds to emergency calls for assistance. John began his emergency medical career operating on the Friday night crew and remained there until his illness in 2002 prevented him from continuing to participate. John was a mentor for his crew members and soon took an interest in educating and mentoring junior members of the rescue squad. During his tenure, John served as training officer and assistant chief, as well as junior program director. John also was a member of the squad's elite technical rescue team, one of three in Vermont that responds to water, backcountry, dive, and technical rope rescue calls from around the state. John rarely missed crew duty during his 28 years of volunteer service to the town of Colchester.

ELIGIBILITY	AMOUNT	SELECTION	AVERAGES
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Reside in Chittenden County</li> <li>Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding</li> <li>Seek a degree in public safety, including, but not limited to emergency medical services, fire service, law enforcement, or health care</li> <li>Demonstrate community service</li> <li>Demonstrate financial need</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>One \$500 scholarship</li> <li>Non-renewable (reapply each year)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Essays</li> <li>Recommendation letters</li> <li>Financial need</li> </ul>	Applicants: 9 Awards: 1

## VSAC-Assisted Scholarships

### KILBOURN-SAWYER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

(sponsored by Pizzagalli Construction Company)

Eligibility Code: **H**

Postmark Deadline: **APRIL 10**

VSAC ID: **KILBOURN**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** In 1998 Pizzagalli Construction Company established the Kilbourn-Sawyer Memorial Scholarship and asked VSAC to administer the program. Named for two well respected and deceased PC superintendents Art Kilbourn and George Sawyer, the scholarship recognizes a Vermont graduating high school senior that demonstrates outstanding performance in a range of areas and assists with his/her pursuit of a degree in a construction-related field. According to PC's President Peter Bernhardt, "This scholarship is an outgrowth of how we felt about Art Kilbourn and George Sawyer as employees, and how Pizzagalli values and strives for excellence and continuous improvement in all that we do."

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Seek a two- or four-year degree in construction or engineering
- Demonstrate financial need
- Demonstrate academic achievement

#### AMOUNT

- One \$1,000 scholarship
- Non-renewable

#### SELECTION

- Financial need
- Essays
- Academic achievement
- Recommendation letter

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 50  
Awards: 1

### KITTREDGE CODDINGTON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

(sponsored by Vermont Chamber of Commerce Business-Education Partnership)

Eligibility Code: **H**

Postmark Deadline: **APRIL 15**

VSAC ID: **KITTREDG**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Kittredge Coddington Memorial Scholarship was established by the Vermont Chamber of Commerce in 1989 to aid students who are planning a career in business or industry. "Kit," as he was known by his friends, died in 1987. He devoted his life to promoting Vermont and the free enterprise system. Kit held leadership positions in volunteer organizations, including his local chamber, the Vermont Chamber of Commerce, and several statewide trade organizations.

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Attend an accredited **Vermont** postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Seek a two- or four-year degree in business or a related field

#### AMOUNT

- Two \$500 scholarships (one to a female and one to a male)
- Non-renewable

#### SELECTION

- Recommendation letters
- Essays

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 30  
Awards: 2

### KNOWLEDGEWAVE TRAINING, INC.

### MICROSOFT CERTIFIED SYSTEMS ENGINEER (MCSE) SCHOLARSHIP

Eligibility Code: **O**

Postmark Deadline: **MAY 15**

VSAC ID: **KNOWLEDGE**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The KnowledgeWave Training MCSE Scholarship was established to assist students in their pursuit of a career in the computer technology/engineering field. KnowledgeWave Training (a SymQuest Group Company) has offered this scholarship to qualified candidates since 2001. The Microsoft Certified Systems Engineer certification is an industry-recognized certification in the Information Technology field. KnowledgeWave Training is a Microsoft certified technical education center, a Citrix authorized learning center, and a Novell authorized education center.

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Demonstrate interest in a career in the computer technology/engineering field
- Demonstrate financial need

#### AMOUNT

- Free tuition to complete the Microsoft Certified Systems Engineer program offered at KnowledgeWave Training, Inc. in South Burlington (valued at \$15,000 each)
- Non-renewable

#### SELECTION

- Essays
- Financial need
- Recommendation letters
- Personal interview (if necessary)

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 25  
Awards: 2

**LEE A. LYMAN MEMORIAL MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP**  
(sponsored by Vermont Student Assistance Corporation)

Eligibility Code: **O**  
Postmark Deadline: **JUNE 1**  
VSAC ID: **LYMAN**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Lee A. Lyman Memorial Music Scholarship was established by VSAC in 1995 in memory of Lee A. Lyman. Lee was active in the Vermont financial aid community for more than 20 years and was director of VSAC's Education Loan Finance Program for 10 years (1984–1994). Lee's love of music and her unflinching commitment to helping Vermont students afford a postsecondary education led VSAC to establish this scholarship in her memory.

ELIGIBILITY	AMOUNT	SELECTION	AVERAGES
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding</li> <li>Seek a degree in music</li> <li>Demonstrate participation in music-related activities, performances, groups, etc.</li> <li>Demonstrate academic achievement</li> <li>Demonstrate financial need</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Four \$1,000 scholarships</li> <li>Non-renewable (reapply each year)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Recommendation letter</li> <li>Essays</li> <li>Academic achievement</li> <li>Financial need</li> </ul>	Applicants: 25 Awards: 4

**MAX BARROWS GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP IN EDUCATIONAL ADMINISTRATION**  
(sponsored by Vermont Student Assistance Corporation)

Eligibility Code: **G**  
Postmark Deadline: **MAY 15**  
VSAC ID: **BARROWS**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Max Barrows Graduate Scholarship in Educational Administration was established by VSAC in memory of Max Barrows (1899–1982). Max was VSAC's first executive director (1966–1970). For more than 25 years, he was active in education as a teacher, principal, superintendent, Vermont deputy commissioner of education, and member of the Vermont House. A native of Bethel, Vermont, he graduated from Whitcomb High School, after which he received a bachelor's degree from Norwich University, a master's from Columbia University, and an honorary doctorate from Norwich. During his career, Max inspired many Vermonters to improve their lives through education. His devotion to improving educational quality led the VSAC Board of Directors to establish this scholarship in his memory to assist Vermonters who share his goals.

ELIGIBILITY	AMOUNT	SELECTION	AVERAGES
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding</li> <li>Seek a graduate degree in educational administration (applicant must have completed a four-year undergraduate degree)</li> <li>Intend to work in Vermont toward the goal of improving the quality of education</li> <li>Demonstrate financial need</li> <li>Demonstrate academic achievement</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>One \$1,000 scholarship</li> <li>Non-renewable (reapply each year)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Essays</li> <li>Academic achievement</li> <li>Financial need</li> </ul>	Applicants: 5 Awards: 1

**MICHAEL AND DEBORAH WEINBERG SCHOLARSHIP**

Eligibility Code: **O**  
Postmark Deadline: **MAY 5**  
VSAC ID: **WEINBERG**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Michael and Deborah Weinberg Scholarship was created in 2004 to acknowledge and honor the great contribution that Vermont community members make by volunteering their time to rescue squads and fire departments in their communities.

ELIGIBILITY	AMOUNT	SELECTION	AVERAGES
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Applicant's parent(s) must have volunteered with a Vermont rescue squad and/or fire department for a minimum of five years</li> <li>Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding</li> <li>Enroll full-time in a two- or four-year undergraduate degree program</li> <li>Demonstrate financial need</li> <li>Demonstrate academic achievement</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Three \$2,500 scholarships</li> <li>Non-renewable (reapply each year)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Essays</li> <li>Academic achievement</li> <li>Financial need</li> </ul>	Applicants: New Awards: New

## VSAC-Assisted Scholarships

### NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF SOCIAL WORKERS (NASW) VERMONT CHAPTER GILMAN SCHOLARSHIP

Eligibility Code: **O**  
Postmark Deadline: **MAY 20**  
VSAC ID: **NASW-VT**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Vermont Chapter of the National Association of Social Workers created this scholarship in 2002 to help students majoring in social work to obtain professional degrees.

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Enroll in an accredited BSW, MSW, or DSW (social work) program
- Demonstrate community service
- Demonstrate academic achievement
- Demonstrate financial need

#### AMOUNT

- Two \$500 scholarships (one to an undergraduate student and one to a graduate student)
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

#### SELECTION

- Essays
- Community service
- Recommendation letter
- Academic achievement
- Financial need

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 40  
Awards: 2

### NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF WOMEN IN CONSTRUCTION SCHOLARSHIP

Eligibility Code: **O**  
Postmark Deadline: **APRIL 1**  
VSAC ID: **NAWIC**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The National Association of Women in Construction Scholarship was created to enhance the success of women in the construction industry.

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Female
- Seek education or training (i.e., academic, vocational, technical, or advanced) in a field related to construction
- Demonstrate academic achievement
- Demonstrate financial need

#### AMOUNT

- One \$500 scholarship
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

#### SELECTION

- Recommendation letter
- Essays
- Academic achievement
- Financial need

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 6  
Awards: 1

### NEWTON H. BAKER SCHOLARSHIP

(sponsored by Vermont Student Assistance Corporation)

Eligibility Code: **O**  
Postmark Deadline: **JUNE 5**  
VSAC ID: **BAKER**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Newton H. Baker Scholarship was established by VSAC in 2003 to honor the contributions Newton (Newt) Baker made to Vermont students and VSAC as the founder of our Outreach programs. Currently, VSAC's Outreach programs employ 50 staff members, receive \$2,540,000 in federal and state funding, and assist more than 40,000 students each year. All of this would not have been possible without Newt's hard work, dedication, and strong commitment to Vermont students.

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Reside in Washington County
- Be either the first generation in your family to attend postsecondary school or face significant barriers that limit your access to a postsecondary education
- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Demonstrate financial need
- Demonstrate community service

#### AMOUNT

- One \$1,000 scholarship
- Renewable for up to three additional years

#### SELECTION

- Financial need
- Essays
- Recommendation letter

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 20  
Awards: 1

**NORDIC EDUCATIONAL TRUST SCHOLARSHIP**

Eligibility Code: **O**  
 Postmark Deadline: **APRIL 1**  
 VSAC ID: **NORDIC**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Nordic Educational Trust Scholarship was created to provide scholarships to students who want to attend a two-year vocational/technical school. The sponsors of this scholarship feel that there is a great need in this area and that technical education exposes students to great vocational opportunities.

**ELIGIBILITY**

- Reside in Chittenden or Grand Isle County OR be enrolled at a Chittenden or Grand Isle County regional technical center
- Attend an accredited two-year vocational/technical postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Demonstrate potential for academic success
- Demonstrate financial need

**AMOUNT**

- Two scholarships in amounts up to, but not exceeding, the cost of room, board, and tuition
- Renewable for up to one additional year

**SELECTION**

- Potential for academic success
- Recommendation letters
- Essays
- Financial need
- Personal interview

**AVERAGES**

Applicants: 13  
 Awards: 4

**NORTHWEST VERMONT ACCOUNTING SCHOLARSHIP**

(sponsored by Wallace W. Tapia, P.C., Certified Public Accountants of Burlington)

Eligibility Code: **O**  
 Postmark Deadline: **JUNE 1**  
 VSAC ID: **NWVTACCT**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Northwest Vermont Accounting Scholarship was established in 1997 by the Burlington public accounting firm of Wallace W. Tapia, P.C. The purpose of the scholarship is to assist residents of Vermont's northwest quadrant who are committed to pursuing a postsecondary education and career in accounting. This scholarship serves as an investment in the accounting profession and those Vermonters who represent the future of that profession.

**ELIGIBILITY**

- Reside in Addison, Chittenden, Franklin, Grand Isle, Lamoille, or Washington County
- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Seek an undergraduate degree in accounting
- Demonstrate academic achievement
- Demonstrate financial need

**AMOUNT**

- Two \$500 scholarships
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

**SELECTION**

- Essays
- Recommendation letter
- Academic achievement
- Financial need
- Resume

**AVERAGES**

Applicants: 10  
 Awards: 2

**NORWICH WOMEN'S CLUB: MARION CROSS SCHOLARSHIP**

Eligibility Code: **O**  
 Postmark Deadline: **APRIL 25**  
 VSAC ID: **NWC-CROSS**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Norwich Women's Club created the Marion Cross Scholarship to recognize and reward Norwich residents who seek education beyond high school.

**ELIGIBILITY**

- Reside in Norwich, Vermont
- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Demonstrate financial need

**AMOUNT**

- Scholarships range from \$500 to \$2,000
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

**SELECTION**

- Essays
- Financial need
- Personal interview (if necessary)

**AVERAGES**

Applicants: 30  
 Awards: 20

## VSAC-Assisted Scholarships

### PAUL GALLAGHER ENTREPRENEURIAL SCHOLARSHIP (sponsored by the Lake Champlain Regional Chamber of Commerce)

Eligibility Code: **O**  
 Postmark Deadline: **JUNE 15**  
 VSAC ID: **GALLAGHER**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Paul Gallagher Entrepreneurial Scholarship was established by the Lake Champlain Regional Chamber of Commerce to provide Chittenden County residents with financial assistance to pursue postsecondary degrees in business or a related field.

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Reside in Chittenden County
- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Seek a two- or four-year degree in business or a related field
- Demonstrate entrepreneurial skills, endeavors, and/or achievements
- Demonstrate community involvement
- Demonstrate academic achievement

#### AMOUNT

- Maximum \$2,000
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

#### SELECTION

- Recommendation letters
- Essays
- Academic achievement

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 15  
 Awards: 2

### PHILIP AND ALICE ANGELL EASTERN STAR SCHOLARSHIP

Eligibility Code: **O**  
 Postmark Deadline: **APRIL 10**  
 VSAC ID: **ANGELL**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** This scholarship was established in 1996 in memory of Philip and Alice Angell, both of whom were active in the Vermont Order of Eastern Star (OES) for more than 50 years. The Angells understood the importance of postsecondary education and wished to provide educational opportunities for others.

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Seek a two- or four-year degree in business or education
- Demonstrate academic achievement (minimum 3.5 cumulative GPA on a 4.0 scale)
- Demonstrate financial need

#### AMOUNT

- One \$350-500 scholarship
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

#### SELECTION

- Academic achievement
- Financial need
- Essays
- Recommendation letter

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 150  
 Awards: 1

### REMO AND DONNA PIZZAGALLI FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP

Eligibility Code: **H**  
 Postmark Deadline: **JUNE 5**  
 VSAC ID: **PIZZAGALLI**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Remo and Donna Pizzagalli Family Scholarship was created to provide financial support in the form of scholarships for academically exceptional students who show promise of continued excellence and demonstrate financial need.

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Reside in Chittenden County
- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Enroll full-time in a four-year undergraduate degree program
- Demonstrate outstanding academic achievement and promise of continued excellence
- Demonstrate financial need

#### AMOUNT

- One \$1,000 scholarship
- Renewable for up to three additional years

#### SELECTION

- Academic achievement
- Recommendation letter
- Essays
- Financial need

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 65  
 Awards: 1

**RICHARD T. GATES ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY  
CHALLENGE SCHOLARSHIP**

Eligibility Code: **H**  
Postmark Deadline: **MAY 15**  
VSAC ID: **GATES**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Richard T. Gates Engineering and Technology Challenge Scholarship was established to assist worthy and able students to pursue a bachelor of science degree in engineering or technology.

**ELIGIBILITY**

- Born in Vermont
- Parents must be legal residents of Vermont
- Currently attend a Windham County high school OR Springfield High School
- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Seek a bachelor of science degree in engineering or technology (program must be accredited by the Accrediting Board for Engineering and Technology)
- Demonstrate academic achievement
- Demonstrate financial need

**AMOUNT**

- One \$4,000 scholarship
- Renewable for up to three additional years

**SELECTION**

- Academic achievement
- Financial need
- Recommendation letter
- Essays

**AVERAGES**

Applicants: 15  
Awards: 1

**ROBERT C. BYRD HONORS SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**  
(sponsored by the federal government)

Eligibility Code: **H**  
Postmark Deadline: **MAY 1**  
VSAC ID: **BYRD**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Robert C. Byrd Honors Scholarship Program is a federally funded program established by Congress "to promote student excellence and achievement and to recognize exceptionally able students who show promise of continued excellence." Up to 15 new scholarships are awarded annually, and no more than two recipients are chosen from any one Vermont county. The typical recipient is the valedictorian of his/her graduating high school class with a near-perfect cumulative grade point average and very competitive SAT scores. Typically, recipients statewide are academically comparable.

**ELIGIBILITY**

- U.S. citizen, national, or permanent resident of the United States
- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Enroll full-time
- Demonstrate outstanding academic achievement and promise of continued excellence

**AMOUNT**

- Maximum 15 \$1,500 scholarships
- Scholarship amount may not exceed the student's cost of attendance
- Renewable for up to three additional years

**SELECTION**

- Academic achievement
- Recommendation letter
- Essays

**AVERAGES**

Applicants: 320  
Awards: 15

**SAMARA FOUNDATION OF VERMONT SCHOLARSHIP**

Eligibility Code: **H**  
Postmark Deadline: **APRIL 1**  
VSAC ID: **SAMARA**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Samara Foundation of Vermont established this scholarship in 2000 as an investment in the future of Vermont students who oppose discrimination and prejudice, and who stand for the elimination of homophobia in our society. The scholarship is designed to recognize students who demonstrate, through personal experience and/or public commitment, a dedication to the interests of the gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgendered, and questioning community. Recipients of this scholarship will have the option of public or non-public recognition of this award.

**ELIGIBILITY**

- Seek education or training in any area (academic, vocational, technical, the arts, etc.)
- Demonstrate, through personal experience and/or public commitment, a dedication to the interests of the gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgendered, and questioning community

**AMOUNT**

- Up to \$4,000 awarded annually
- Non-renewable

**SELECTION**

- Recommendation letter
- Essays

**AVERAGES**

Applicants: 18  
Awards: 4

## VSAC-Assisted Scholarships

### SENATOR JAMES M. JEFFORDS ENDOWMENT SCHOLARSHIP TO HONOR MARION HAUSMAN JEFFORDS

Eligibility Code: **H**  
 Postmark Deadline: **APRIL 10**  
 VSAC ID: **JEFFRD-MHJ**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** Senator James M. Jeffords established this scholarship in 2001 in memory of his mother, Marion Hausman Jeffords, to honor her career as an educator. Mrs. Jeffords was a talented pianist who grew up in Glen Cove on Long Island, New York and later attended Syracuse University. Mrs. Jeffords taught music and art for the entire school system in Rutland, Vermont.

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Reside in Rutland County or attend a Rutland County high school
- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Seek a degree in the arts, including, but not limited to music, visual arts, dance, theatre
- Demonstrate financial need
- Demonstrate academic achievement

#### AMOUNT

- One \$1,300 scholarship
- Non-renewable

#### SELECTION

- Recommendation letter
- Essays
- Financial need
- Academic achievement

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: New  
 Awards: New

### SENATOR JAMES M. JEFFORDS ENDOWMENT SCHOLARSHIP TO HONOR MARY JEFFORDS MILLS

Eligibility Code: **H**  
 Postmark Deadline: **APRIL 10**  
 VSAC ID: **JEFFRD-MJM**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** Senator James M. Jeffords established this scholarship in 2001 as a tribute to his sister, Mary Jeffords Mills. A dedicated and inspirational educator, Ms. Mills taught elementary school for more than 32 years. A native of Rutland, Vermont, she received a BS degree in primary education from Wheelock College. During her teaching career, she also served as president of the local chapter of her teachers union. Senator Jeffords established this scholarship to honor his sister's commitment and dedication to education and to inspire and encourage future generations of teachers.

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Reside in Rutland County or attend a Rutland County high school (*preference given to Rutland High School seniors*)
- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Seek a degree in education
- Demonstrate financial need
- Demonstrate academic achievement

#### AMOUNT

- One \$1,300 scholarship
- Non-renewable

#### SELECTION

- Recommendation letter
- Essays
- Financial need
- Academic achievement

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: New  
 Awards: New

### SISTER ELIZABETH CANDON SCHOLARSHIP (sponsored by Vermont Student Assistance Corporation)

Eligibility Code: **A**  
 Postmark Deadline: **JUNE 15**  
 VSAC ID: **CANDON**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** Vermont Student Assistance Corporation (VSAC) created this scholarship to honor the contributions Sister Elizabeth Candon has made to higher education in general and to women seeking higher education in particular.

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Female
- Single parent with primary custody of at least one child 12 years of age or younger
- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Enroll at least half-time (minimum 6 credits) in an undergraduate degree program
- Demonstrate financial need

#### AMOUNT

- One \$1,000 scholarship
- Renewable for up to three additional years

#### SELECTION

- Financial need
- Essays
- Recommendation letter

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 15  
 Awards: 1

**TERRY ALBEE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

Eligibility Code: **O**  
 Postmark Deadline: **JUNE 15**  
 VSAC ID: **ALBEE**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Terry Albee Memorial Scholarship was established in 2003 by family and friends to honor Terry's work as a journalist and his love for music. Terry spent his career as a newspaper reporter and editor, working at both the *Caledonia Record* and *Newport Daily News*. A 1958 graduate of Newport High School, Terry served two years in the navy prior to attending Boston University's School of Journalism. Terry's passion was music, in particular, jazz. Throughout his life, Terry inspired the same love for music in both of his sons.

**ELIGIBILITY**

- Reside in one of twelve towns served by North Country Union High School (Brighton, Charleston, Coventry, Derby, Holland, Jay, Lowell, Morgan, Newport City, Newport Town, Troy, Westfield) (*preference given to residents of Newport City and Newport Town*)
- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Enroll full-time in an undergraduate degree program (*preference given to upper-class juniors and seniors*)
- Seek a degree in the performing arts or communications (*preference given to students seeking a degree in music or journalism*)
- Demonstrate strong work ethic
- Demonstrate financial need

**AMOUNT**

- One \$1,000 scholarship
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

**SELECTION**

- Essays
- Recommendation letters
- Financial need

**AVERAGES**

Applicants: New  
 Awards: New

**THOMAS AND MARY CURRAN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

Eligibility Code: **O**  
 Postmark Deadline: **MAY 5**  
 VSAC ID: **CURRAN**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** Thomas and Mary Curran lived in the town of Milton most of their adult lives. They worked tirelessly on a variety of community service activities within Milton and throughout Vermont. They believed in the responsibility of individual citizens to do their part to make the world a better place, beginning in their own home towns. The recipient of this scholarship will exemplify the spirits of Tom and Mary Curran through their service to church, school, and/or community.

**ELIGIBILITY**

- Reside in Milton, Vermont or Grand Isle County
- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Demonstrate community service
- Demonstrate academic achievement (minimum 3.0 cumulative GPA on a 4.0 scale)

**AMOUNT**

- One \$1,000 scholarship
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

**SELECTION**

- Essays
- Recommendation letter

**AVERAGES**

Applicants: 10  
 Awards: 1

## VSAC-Assisted Scholarships

### THV SCHOLARSHIP

Eligibility Code: **O**  
 Postmark Deadline: **APRIL 25**  
 VSAC ID: **THV**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The THV Scholarship was created to encourage Windham County residents to seek postsecondary education and to contribute fully to freedom, peace, and social understanding throughout the world, beginning in their own homes and communities. The THV Scholarship particularly values qualities such as honesty, moral integrity, purpose, and respect for the dignity of individuals.

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Reside in Windham County  
*(preference given to non-traditional students and/or first-generation, college-bound residents of the Deerfield Valley towns of Dover, Halifax, Readsboro, Searsburg, Whitingham, and Wilmington)*
- Seek education or training (academic, vocational, technical, the arts, etc.) in any area
- Demonstrate financial need
- Demonstrate academic potential
- Demonstrate school/community involvement

#### AMOUNT

- Scholarships range from \$1,000 to \$5,000
- Maximum \$25,000 awarded annually
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

#### SELECTION

- Financial need
- Essays
- Recommendation letter

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 70  
 Awards: 20

### TOWN OF WILLISTON ENVIRONMENTAL AND LIFE SCIENCES SCHOLARSHIP

Eligibility Code: **O**  
 Postmark Deadline: **MAY 10**  
 VSAC ID: **WILLISTN**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Town of Williston created this scholarship to provide assistance to students residing in Williston who are pursuing a postsecondary education in environmental and/or life sciences.

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Reside in Williston, Vermont
- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Seek a degree or certification in environmental and/or life sciences
- Demonstrate financial need
- Demonstrate academic achievement (minimum 2.5 cumulative GPA on a 4.0 scale)  
OR show relevant work/life experience

#### AMOUNT

- Up to \$5,000 awarded annually
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

#### SELECTION

- Essays
- Financial need
- Academic achievement

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 12  
 Awards: 3

### TOWN OF WILLISTON HISTORICAL SOCIETY SCHOLARSHIP

Eligibility Code: **O**  
 Postmark Deadline: **JUNE 1**  
 VSAC ID: **TOFWHSS**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Town of Williston Historical Society created this scholarship in 2002 to encourage Vermont residents to major in history.

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Seek a four-year undergraduate degree in history

#### AMOUNT

- One \$1,000 scholarship
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

#### SELECTION

- Essays

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 25  
 Awards: 1

**UPPER VALLEY COMMUNITY FOUNDATION OUTREACH FUND**

Eligibility Code: **O**  
 Postmark Deadline: **JULY 15**  
 VSAC ID: **UVCF-OUT**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Upper Valley Community Foundation Outreach Fund provides assistance to students served by VSAC's Outreach programs to offset the costs associated with applying to and/or attending postsecondary school.

**ELIGIBILITY**

- Reside in the Upper Valley of Vermont (Baltimore, Barnard, Bethel, Bradford, Bridgewater, Cavendish, Chelsea, Corinth, Fairlee, Groton, Hartford, Hartland, Newbury, Norwich, Pomfret, Randolph, Reading, Royalton, Ryegate, Sharon, Springfield, Strafford, Thetford, Topsham, Tunbridge, Vershire, Weathersfield, West Fairlee, West Windsor, White River Junction, Wilder, Windsor, and Woodstock, Vermont)
- Be in the process of applying to postsecondary school(s)
- Be a student currently served by VSAC's Outreach programs
- Demonstrate financial need

**AMOUNT**

- \$500 is available annually to assist as many students as possible with college application fees, college testing fees, books, course fees, etc.
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

**SELECTION**

- Financial need
- Essay
- VSAC Outreach counselor recommendation

**AVERAGES**

Applicants: 30  
 Awards: 3

**VERMONT ALLIANCE FOR ARTS EDUCATION (VAAE) SCHOLARSHIP**

Eligibility Code: **H**  
 Postmark Deadline: **APRIL 1**  
 VSAC ID: **VAAE**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** This scholarship was established in 2003 through an initiative of the Vermont Alliance for Arts Education (VAAE). An extension of the VAAE adult awards programs, this program was established to encourage young, talented musicians, vocalists, visual arts, dancers, and theatre high school seniors to pursue a career in the arts. These scholarships are made possible by the VAAE Board and its supporters of Arts Education. Recipients of this scholarship will be invited to perform and/or exhibit their talent at VAAE functions.

**ELIGIBILITY**

- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Seek a degree in the arts, including, but not limited to music, visual arts, dance, theatre
- Demonstrate significant skill and talent in an artistic medium (music, art, dance, theatre)
- Demonstrate financial need
- Demonstrate academic achievement

**AMOUNT**

- Two to four \$500 scholarships (with the goal of awarding one scholarship each in four different areas — music, art, dance, theatre)
- Renewable for up to one additional year

**SELECTION**

- Portfolio
- Essays
- Recommendation letters
- Financial need
- Academic achievement

**AVERAGES**

Applicants: 45  
 Awards: 4

**VERMONT DAR GOOD CITIZENSHIP SCHOLARSHIP**

Eligibility Code: **H**  
 Postmark Deadline: **APRIL 1**  
 VSAC ID: **VT DAR**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The motto of the DAR is "God, Home, and Country." The Vermont DAR Good Citizenship Scholarship was created to promote dependability, community service, leadership, religious awareness, and patriotism among high school seniors.

**ELIGIBILITY**

- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Seek a degree in the social sciences, including, but not limited to anthropology, archaeology, criminology, economics, geography, history, international relations, political science, sociology, urban studies
- Demonstrate academic achievement
- Demonstrate financial need

**AMOUNT**

- One \$500 scholarship
- Non-renewable

**SELECTION**

- Academic achievement
- Financial need
- Recommendation letter
- Essays

**AVERAGES**

Applicants: 40  
 Awards: 1

## VSAC-Assisted Scholarships

### VERMONT DENTAL HYGIENE SCHOLARSHIP

(honoring Dr. H. Charles and Susan M. Hill)

Eligibility Code: **O**

Postmark Deadline: **MAY 20**

VSAC ID: **VTDENTAL**

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Enroll in a dental hygiene program
- Demonstrate academic achievement
- Demonstrate financial need

#### AMOUNT

- One or more scholarships totaling \$1,000
- Non-renewable

#### SELECTION

- Financial need
- Academic achievement
- Recommendation letter
- Essays

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 5  
Awards: 2

### VERMONT FARM BUREAU MARJORIE L. CHESNEY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Eligibility Code: **H**

Postmark Deadline: **JUNE 5**

VSAC ID: **VTFARM**

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Member of the Vermont Farm Bureau (applicant or applicant's family)
- Attend a two- or four-year accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Seek a degree in a field related to agriculture, including, but not limited to animal sciences, equine studies, agribusiness, plant and soil science, forestry, horticulture, or veterinary medicine or technology
- Demonstrate financial need
- Demonstrate academic achievement

#### AMOUNT

- One \$500 scholarship
- Non-renewable

#### SELECTION

- Financial need
- Academic achievement
- Essays

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 10  
Awards: 1

### VERMONT FEED DEALERS AND MANUFACTURERS ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP

Eligibility Code: **O**

Postmark Deadline: **JUNE 5**

VSAC ID: **VTFEEDDEAL**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Vermont Feed Dealers and Manufacturers Association Scholarship was established to encourage students to pursue a degree in a field related to agriculture.

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Seek a degree in a field related to agriculture, including, but not limited to animal sciences, equine studies, agribusiness, plant and soil science, forestry, horticulture, or veterinary medicine or technology

#### AMOUNT

- One or more scholarships totaling up to \$3,000
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

#### SELECTION

- Essays
- Recommendation letter

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 65  
Awards: 6

**VERMONT HAND CRAFTERS, INC. ARTISANSHIP SCHOLARSHIP**

Eligibility Code: **O**  
 Postmark Deadline: **JUNE 20**  
 VSAC ID: **VTHAND**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The long-range intention of the Vermont Hand Crafters, Inc. Artisanship Scholarship is to encourage individuals to pursue their interests and talents in art and crafts in order to guarantee the perpetuation of quality artisanship in Vermont. The ongoing development and refinement of art and crafts in Vermont is of the utmost importance to all members of Vermont Hand Crafters, Inc.

ELIGIBILITY	AMOUNT	SELECTION	AVERAGES
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Minimum two years Vermont residency</li> <li>• Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding</li> <li>• Enroll at least half-time (minimum 6 credits)</li> <li>• Seek a degree in a visual arts field</li> <li>• Demonstrate academic achievement</li> <li>• Demonstrate financial need</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Scholarships range from \$500 to \$1,000</li> <li>• Non-renewable (reapply each year)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Academic achievement</li> <li>• Financial need</li> <li>• Portfolio</li> <li>• Recommendation letter</li> <li>• Essays</li> <li>• Personal interview (if necessary)</li> </ul>	Applicants: 50 Awards: 5

**VERMONT HEALTHCARE HUMAN RESOURCES ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP**

Eligibility Code: **A**  
 Postmark Deadline: **MAY 1**  
 VSAC ID: **VTHHRAS**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Vermont Healthcare Human Resources Association Scholarship was created to encourage nontraditional students to enter occupations in the health care field and/or human resources, where there are shortages. This program is designed to recruit and retain highly skilled individuals who are committed to working in Vermont.

ELIGIBILITY	AMOUNT	SELECTION	AVERAGES
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Be an adult planning to upgrade employment skills</li> <li>• Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding</li> <li>• Seek a degree in a health care field and/or human resources</li> <li>• Intend to work in Vermont for a minimum of one year</li> <li>• Demonstrate financial need</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• One or two \$1,000 scholarships</li> <li>• Non-renewable (reapply each year)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Commitment to employment in Vermont</li> <li>• Financial need</li> <li>• Recommendation letter</li> <li>• Essays</li> <li>• Resume</li> </ul>	Applicants: 25 Awards: 1

**VERMONT PARALEGAL ORGANIZATION SCHOLARSHIP**

Eligibility Code: **O**  
 Postmark Deadline: **JUNE 1**  
 VSAC ID: **VTPARLGL**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Vermont Paralegal Organization offers this scholarship annually to promote excellence in the paralegal profession by lending financial support to individuals who wish to pursue educational opportunities in the paralegal field.

ELIGIBILITY	AMOUNT	SELECTION	AVERAGES
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Attend an accredited paralegal/legal assistant program</li> <li>• Enroll in no fewer than two classes (minimum 6 credits)</li> <li>• Demonstrate academic achievement</li> <li>• Demonstrate financial need</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• One \$250-\$500 scholarship</li> <li>• Non renewable (reapply each year)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Academic achievement</li> <li>• Essays</li> <li>• Financial need</li> </ul>	Applicants: 7 Awards: 1

## VSAC-Assisted Scholarships

### VERMONT POLICE ASSOCIATION: ERWIN BUGBEE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Eligibility Code: **O**  
Postmark Deadline: **APRIL 20**  
VSAC ID: **VPA-EB**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Vermont Police Association created this scholarship in memory of Erwin Bugbee of the Bellows Falls Police Department. Erwin Bugbee was a past president of the Vermont Police Association.

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Seek a degree in law enforcement
- Demonstrate financial need

#### AMOUNT

- One \$1,000 scholarship
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

#### SELECTION

- Essays
- Financial need

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 10  
Awards: 1

### VERMONT POLICE ASSOCIATION: GENE GAIOTTI MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Eligibility Code: **O**  
Postmark Deadline: **APRIL 20**  
VSAC ID: **VPA-GG**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Vermont Police Association created this scholarship in memory of Gene Gaiotti, a member of the Vermont Liquor Control Department who was killed in the line of duty. Gene Gaiotti was president of the Vermont Police Association for two years.

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Be a dependent of a police officer who is an active member of the Vermont Police Association
- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Demonstrate financial need

#### AMOUNT

- One \$1,000 scholarship
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

#### SELECTION

- Essays
- Financial need

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 8  
Awards: 1

### VERMONT POLICE ASSOCIATION: HERBERT FULLAM SCHOLARSHIP

Eligibility Code: **O**  
Postmark Deadline: **APRIL 20**  
VSAC ID: **VPA-HF**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Vermont Police Association created this scholarship in memory of Herbert Fullam of the Springfield Police Department. Herbert Fullam was one of the founders of the Vermont Police Association.

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Be a dependent of a Vermont police officer
- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Demonstrate financial need

#### AMOUNT

- One \$1,000 scholarship
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

#### SELECTION

- Essays
- Financial need

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 10  
Awards: 1

### VERMONT POLICE ASSOCIATION: RAYMOND R. MOONEY SCHOLARSHIP

Eligibility Code: **O**  
Postmark Deadline: **APRIL 20**  
VSAC ID: **VPA-RM**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Vermont Police Association created this scholarship in memory of Captain Mooney, who served in the Rutland Police Department. Captain Mooney dedicated several years to the Vermont Police Association as secretary/treasurer.

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Seek education or training (academic, vocational, technical, or advanced) in a field related to emergency services
- Demonstrate financial need

#### AMOUNT

- One \$1,000 scholarship
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

#### SELECTION

- Essays
- Financial need

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 50  
Awards: 1

**VERMONT SHERIFFS' ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP**

Eligibility Code: **O**  
 Postmark Deadline: **JUNE 20**  
 VSAC ID: **VTSHERRIF**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Vermont Sheriffs' Association created this scholarship to assist Vermont residents seeking a degree in law enforcement in order to become a police officer.

**ELIGIBILITY**

- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Seek a degree in law enforcement
- Demonstrate financial need
- Demonstrate academic achievement

**AMOUNT**

- One \$1,000 scholarship
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

**SELECTION**

- Financial need
- Academic achievement
- Essays

**AVERAGES**

Applicants: 15  
 Awards: 2

**VERMONT SHERIFFS' ASSOCIATION: WILLIAM GRAHAM SCHOLARSHIP**

Eligibility Code: **O**  
 Postmark Deadline: **JUNE 20**  
 VSAC ID: **GRAHAM**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Vermont Sheriffs' Association created this scholarship in 2003 to honor former Windham County Sheriff William Graham. Sheriff Graham served nearly 50 years as a law enforcement officer in Vermont, including 33 years as sheriff. Throughout his life, he has exemplified outstanding public service and community leadership.

**ELIGIBILITY**

- Be a dependent of a member of the Vermont Sheriffs' Association
- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Demonstrate school/community involvement
- Demonstrate academic achievement
- Demonstrate financial need

**AMOUNT**

- One \$1,000 scholarship
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

**SELECTION**

- Essays
- Academic achievement
- Financial need

**AVERAGES**

Applicants: 3  
 Awards: 1

**VERMONT STATE DENTAL HYGIENIST INCENTIVE SCHOLARSHIP**

(sponsored by the State of Vermont and the Vermont Department of Health)

Eligibility Code: **O**  
 Postmark Deadline: **JULY 15**  
 VSAC ID: **VTDENTLHYG**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Vermont State Dental Hygienist Incentive Scholarship was established in 2004 by the Vermont State Legislature in response to a dental hygienist shortage in Vermont. The program is designed to recruit and retain high-quality dental hygienists who are committed to working in Vermont upon graduation.

**ELIGIBILITY**

- Attend an accredited **Vermont** postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Enroll in an accredited dental hygiene program for a minimum of six credits
- Intend to work in Vermont for a minimum of one year following licensure
- Demonstrate financial need

**AMOUNT**

- Approximately 4 scholarships up to \$5,000 each
- Non-renewable (recipient may not reapply)
- Partial/complete cancellation of scholarship (interest free loan) under the following conditions:
  - ✓ successfully pass the NDHBE, NERB, and state licensing exams; and
  - ✓ complete one year of employment as a dental hygienist in Vermont (employment must be, at minimum, an average of 20 hours per week)

**SELECTION**

- Commitment to employment serving Vermonters
- Essays
- Recommendation letter
- Financial need

**AVERAGES**

Applicants: New  
 Awards: New

## VSAC-Assisted Scholarships

### VERMONT STATE GRANGE AGRICULTURAL SCHOLARSHIP

Eligibility Code: **H**  
 Postmark Deadline: **APRIL 15**  
 VSAC ID: **VSG-AG**

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Attend the **University of Vermont** or **Vermont Technical College**
- Seek a degree in agriculture
- Demonstrate financial need
- Demonstrate academic achievement
- Demonstrate community service

#### AMOUNT

- One \$500 scholarship
- Non-renewable

#### SELECTION

- Financial need
- Academic achievement
- Essays
- Recommendation letter

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 5  
 Awards: 1

### VERMONT STATE GRANGE ALICE COSSINGHAM SCHOLARSHIP

Eligibility Code: **O**  
 Postmark Deadline: **APRIL 15**  
 VSAC ID: **VSG-COSS**

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Seek a degree in nursing (practical nursing, licensed practical nursing, or registered nursing)
- Demonstrate financial need
- Demonstrate academic achievement
- Demonstrate community service

#### AMOUNT

- One \$500 scholarship
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

#### SELECTION

- Financial need
- Academic achievement
- Essays
- Recommendation letter

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 25  
 Awards: 1

### VERMONT STATE GRANGE COBBLE HILL GRANGE SCHOLARSHIP (AGRICULTURE)

Eligibility Code: **O**  
 Postmark Deadline: **APRIL 15**  
 VSAC ID: **VSG-CHAG**

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Seek a degree in agriculture
- Demonstrate academic achievement
- Demonstrate financial need

#### AMOUNT

- One \$500 scholarship
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

#### SELECTION

- Academic achievement
- Financial need
- Essays

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 25  
 Awards: 1

### VERMONT STATE GRANGE COBBLE HILL GRANGE SCHOLARSHIP (EDUCATION)

Eligibility Code: **O**  
 Postmark Deadline: **APRIL 15**  
 VSAC ID: **VSG-CHED**

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Seek a degree in education
- Demonstrate academic achievement
- Demonstrate financial need

#### AMOUNT

- One \$500 scholarship
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

#### SELECTION

- Academic achievement
- Financial need
- Essays

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 70  
 Awards: 1

**VERMONT STATE GRANGE EDUCATIONAL AID FUND SCHOLARSHIP**

Eligibility Code: **O**  
 Postmark Deadline: **APRIL 15**  
 VSAC ID: **VSG-EAF**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Vermont State Grange created this scholarship because it recognizes the importance of education to rural America. The purpose of this scholarship is to assist grange members with obtaining a two- or four-year degree.

**ELIGIBILITY**

- Applicant or applicant's parent(s) must be a member in good standing of a Vermont subordinate grange
- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Seek a two- or four-year degree
- Demonstrate academic achievement
- Demonstrate financial need

**AMOUNT**

- One \$500 scholarship
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

**SELECTION**

- Academic achievement
- Financial need
- Essays

**AVERAGES**

Applicants: 10  
 Awards: 1

**VERMONT STATE GRANGE HARRY H. GIBBS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

Eligibility Code: **O**  
 Postmark Deadline: **APRIL 15**  
 VSAC ID: **VSG-GIBB**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Educational Aid Board of the Vermont State Grange established this scholarship in memory of Harry H. Gibbs, a long-time trustee.

**ELIGIBILITY**

- Applicant or applicant's parent(s) must be a member in good standing of a Vermont subordinate grange
- Attend either a regional technical center or an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Demonstrate academic achievement
- Demonstrate financial need

**AMOUNT**

- One \$500 scholarship
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

**SELECTION**

- Academic achievement
- Financial need
- Essays

**AVERAGES**

Applicants: 7  
 Awards: 1

**VERMONT STATE GRANGE SCHOLARSHIP (VOCATIONAL/TECHNICAL)**

Eligibility Code: **O**  
 Postmark Deadline: **APRIL 15**  
 VSAC ID: **VSG-VT**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Vermont State Grange created this scholarship because it recognizes the importance of vocational and technical education to our society. The purpose of this scholarship is to assist grange members with obtaining these skills.

**ELIGIBILITY**

- Applicant or applicant's parent(s) must be a member in good standing of a Vermont subordinate grange
- Attend an accredited vocational/technical postsecondary school
- Demonstrate academic achievement
- Demonstrate financial need

**AMOUNT**

- One \$500 scholarship
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

**SELECTION**

- Academic achievement
- Financial need
- Essays

**AVERAGES**

Applicants: 5  
 Awards: 1

## VSAC-Assisted Scholarships

### VERMONT STATE NURSING INCENTIVE SCHOLARSHIP

(sponsored by the State of Vermont and the Vermont Department of Health)

Eligibility Code:

**O**

Postmark Deadline: **JULY 15**

VSAC ID: **VTNURSING**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Vermont State Nursing Incentive Scholarship was established in 2001 by the Vermont State Legislature in response to a nursing shortage in Vermont. The program is designed to recruit and retain high-quality registered and licensed practical nurses that are committed to working in Vermont upon graduation.

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Attend an accredited **Vermont** postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Plan to enroll in an accredited licensed practical nursing (LPN) degree program, OR in the final year of an accredited associates in nursing (AS, RN) degree program, OR in the final two years of an accredited bachelor of science in nursing (BSN, RN) degree program  
*(Note: Graduation from the program must result in eligibility to sit for the NCLEX-RN or NCLEX-PN examination.)*
- Expect to earn an LPN or RN degree
- Intend to work in Vermont or within ten miles of the Vermont border for a minimum of one year following licensure

#### AMOUNT

- Approximately 13 scholarships up to \$6,000 each
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)
- Partial/complete cancellation of scholarship (interest free loan) under the following conditions:
  - ✓ successfully graduate from the RN/LPN degree program; and
  - ✓ complete one year of employment as an RN or LPN in Vermont or within ten miles of the Vermont border

#### SELECTION

- Commitment to employment serving Vermonters
- Essays
- Recommendation letter

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 90  
Awards: 12

### VERMONT TEACHERS OF FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCES (VTFCS) SCHOLARSHIP

Eligibility Code:

**O**

Postmark Deadline: **MAY 1**

VSAC ID: **VTTEACH**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The mission of Vermont Teachers of Family and Consumer Sciences (VTFCS) is to prepare individuals to become competent, confident, and caring in the management of their personal lives, families, and careers.

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Seek a degree in a field related to family and consumer sciences, including, but not limited to food and nutrition, child development, housing and interiors, family studies, clothing and textiles/merchandising, family and consumer sciences education, or consumer studies  
*(Preference is given to students seeking a degree in family and consumer sciences education.)*
- Demonstrate academic achievement
- Demonstrate financial need

#### AMOUNT

- One \$500 scholarship
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

#### SELECTION

- Academic achievement
- Financial need
- Recommendation letters
- Essays
- Personal interview (if necessary)

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 25  
Awards: 1

**VERMONT UTILITIES FOR ELECTRICAL EDUCATION (VUEE), Inc.  
SCHOLARSHIP**

Eligibility Code: **O**  
 Postmark Deadline: **JUNE 10**  
 VSAC ID: **VTUFEE**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Vermont Utilities for Electrical Education (VUEE), Inc. Scholarship was created in 2004 to further its mission to educate children, contractors, and the general public throughout Vermont about the dangers of electricity. VUEE is a non-profit organization and is operated 100% by volunteers.

**ELIGIBILITY**

- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Seek an undergraduate degree in electrical engineering, safety/health, or electrical technical education
- Demonstrate financial need
- Demonstrate community involvement/service
- Demonstrate education/work ethic

**AMOUNT**

- Four \$1,000 scholarships
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

**SELECTION**

- Essays
- Recommendation letters
- Financial need

**AVERAGES**

Applicants: New  
 Awards: New

**VSAC BOARD OF DIRECTORS SCHOLARSHIP (BETTE MATKOWSKI)**  
 (sponsored by Vermont Student Assistance Corporation)

Eligibility Code: **A**  
 Postmark Deadline: **JULY 10**  
 VSAC ID: **BOARD-BM**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Vermont Student Assistance Corporation (VSAC) established this scholarship to honor the contributions that Bette Matkowski made as a VSAC board member during her tenure from August 1993 through January 2001.

**ELIGIBILITY**

- Be an adult planning to upgrade employment skills
- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Demonstrate financial need

**AMOUNT**

- Two \$1,000 scholarships
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

**SELECTION**

- Financial need
- Essays

**AVERAGES**

Applicants: 70  
 Awards: 2

**VSAC BOARD OF DIRECTORS SCHOLARSHIP (DAVID WILSON)**  
 (sponsored by Vermont Student Assistance Corporation)

Eligibility Code: **O**  
 Postmark Deadline: **JUNE 15**  
 VSAC ID: **BOARD-DW**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Vermont Student Assistance Corporation (VSAC) established this scholarship to honor the contributions that David Wilson made as a VSAC board member during his tenure from May 1998 through October 2001. Mr. Wilson was born on January 25, 1945, and died on October 19, 2001 at age 56. He was admitted to the Vermont bar in 1975 and was admitted to practice before the U.S. District Court, District of Vermont. He received a BA from Hobart College and a JD from New York University. Mr. Wilson held numerous positions in state government, including Secretary of Administration for Governor Richard A. Snelling (1982-1985) and Governor Howard Dean (1991-1992), General Counsel for the Vermont Department of Employment Security (1976-1977), Commissioner of Social Welfare (1977-1982), Commissioner of Employment and Training (1985), Chairman of the Vermont Water Resources Board (1989-1991), Chair of the Special Committee on Judicial Retention and Appointment, Vermont Bar Association (1989), and member of the Governors' Council of Economic Advisors. Mr. Wilson had a deep respect for those who serve in state government. In 1985, Mr. Wilson founded the law firm of Wilson and White, which specialized in legislative, business, environmental, and health law. In addition, Mr. Wilson loved music, particularly choral music. He served as President of the Vermont Symphony and was a member of the Christ Church Choir, Montpelier.

**ELIGIBILITY**

- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Seek a degree in public administration or services, including, but not limited to human services, public administration, public policy, social work, or community organization services
- Demonstrate financial need
- Demonstrate community service

**AMOUNT**

- Two \$1,000 scholarships
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

**SELECTION**

- Financial need
- Essays
- Recommendation letter

**AVERAGES**

Applicants: 50  
 Awards: 2

## VSAC-Assisted Scholarships

### VSAC BOARD OF DIRECTORS SCHOLARSHIP (EDWIN H. AMIDON, JR.)

(sponsored by Vermont Student Assistance Corporation)

Eligibility Code: **O**

Postmark Deadline: **APRIL 20**

VSAC ID: **BOARD-EA**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Vermont Student Assistance Corporation (VSAC) established this scholarship to honor the contributions that Edwin H. Amidon, Jr. made as a VSAC board member during his tenure from April 1989 through June 2001.

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Reside in Charlotte, Hinesburg, Shelburne, St. George, or Williston, Vermont
- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Demonstrate participation in extracurricular activities
- Demonstrate academic achievement
- Demonstrate financial need

#### AMOUNT

- One \$1,000 scholarship
- Renewable for up to three additional years

#### SELECTION

- Academic achievement
- Financial need
- Recommendation letter
- Essay

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 75  
Awards: 1

### VSAC BOARD OF DIRECTORS SCHOLARSHIP (FREDDIE MAHLMANN)

(sponsored by Vermont Student Assistance Corporation)

Eligibility Code: **O**

Postmark Deadline: **APRIL 20**

VSAC ID: **BOARD-FM**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Vermont Student Assistance Corporation (VSAC) established this scholarship to honor the contributions that Freddie Mahlmann made as a VSAC board member during her tenure from November 1990 through May 1998.

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Reside in Washington County
- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Seek a degree in a helping profession, including, but not limited to education, health, human services, psychology, or social work
- Demonstrate participation in extracurricular activities and/or community service
- Demonstrate financial need
- Demonstrate academic achievement

#### AMOUNT

- One \$1,000 scholarship
- Renewable for up to three additional years

#### SELECTION

- Essays
- Recommendation letter
- Financial need
- Academic achievement

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 30  
Awards: 1

### VSAC BOARD OF DIRECTORS SCHOLARSHIP (GAIL RICHARDSON)

(sponsored by Vermont Student Assistance Corporation)

Eligibility Code: **O**

Postmark Deadline: **APRIL 20**

VSAC ID: **BOARD-GR**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Vermont Student Assistance Corporation (VSAC) established this scholarship to honor the contributions that Gail Richardson made as a VSAC board member during her tenure from January 1991 through February 1998.

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Seek a degree in veterinary medicine, veterinary technology, animal science, or a related field
- Demonstrate financial need
- Demonstrate academic achievement (minimum 2.5 cumulative GPA on a 4.0 scale)

#### AMOUNT

- One \$1,000 scholarship
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

#### SELECTION

- Essays
- Recommendation letter
- Financial need
- Academic achievement

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 40  
Awards: 1

**VSAC BOARD OF DIRECTORS SCHOLARSHIP (JIM WOLYNEC)**

(sponsored by Vermont Student Assistance Corporation)

Eligibility Code: **H**

Postmark Deadline: **APRIL 20**

VSAC ID: **BOARD-JW**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Vermont Student Assistance Corporation (VSAC) established this scholarship to honor the contributions that Jim Wolyneec made as a VSAC board member during his tenure from September 1987 through June 1999.

**ELIGIBILITY**

- Currently attend Rutland, Proctor Junior-Senior, or Fair Haven Union High School in Rutland County, Vermont
- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Seek a degree in a helping profession, including, but not limited to education, health, human services, psychology, or social work
- Demonstrate participation in extracurricular activities and/or community service
- Demonstrate financial need
- Demonstrate academic achievement

**AMOUNT**

- One \$1,000 scholarship
- Renewable for up to three additional years

**SELECTION**

- Essays
- Recommendation letter
- Financial need
- Academic achievement

**AVERAGES**

Applicants: 20  
Awards: 1

**VSAC BOARD OF DIRECTORS SCHOLARSHIP (JOAN GOODRICH)**

(sponsored by Vermont Student Assistance Corporation)

Eligibility Code: **O**

Postmark Deadline: **JUNE 20**

VSAC ID: **BOARD-JG**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Vermont Student Assistance Corporation (VSAC) established this scholarship to honor the contributions that Joan Goodrich made as a VSAC board member during her tenure from October 1985 through July 2003.

**ELIGIBILITY**

- Reside in Bennington County
- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Seek a degree in the visual/performing arts
- Demonstrate financial need

**AMOUNT**

- Two \$1,000 scholarships
- Renewable for up to three additional years

**SELECTION**

- Financial need
- Essays
- Recommendation letter

**AVERAGES**

Applicants: New  
Awards: New

**VSAC-FREEMAN SCHOLARSHIP**

(sponsored by the Freeman Foundation)

Eligibility Code: **H**

Postmark Deadline: **APRIL 25**

VSAC ID: **FREEMAN**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Freemans created this scholarship to enable residents of the Northeast Kingdom of Vermont to attend postsecondary school.

**ELIGIBILITY**

- Reside in the Northeast Kingdom of Vermont (Caledonia, Essex, or Orleans County)
- Be among the first generation in your family to attend postsecondary school (neither parent has received a bachelor's degree) OR face significant barriers that limit your access to a postsecondary education
- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Demonstrate academic achievement (minimum 3.0 cumulative GPA on a 4.0 scale)
- Demonstrate community service
- Demonstrate financial need

**AMOUNT**

- Scholarships range from \$3,750 to \$7,500
- Scholarship amounts are based on the student's cost of attendance
- Renewable for up to three additional years

**SELECTION**

- Academic achievement
- Community service
- Financial need
- Recommendation letters
- Essays

**AVERAGES**

Applicants: 75  
Awards: 20

## VSAC-Assisted Scholarships

### VSAC POSTER DESIGN SCHOLARSHIP

(sponsored by Vermont Student Assistance Corporation)

Eligibility Code:

**O**

Postmark Deadline: **APRIL 15**

VSAC ID: **POSTER**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Vermont Student Assistance Corporation (VSAC) created this scholarship to develop a poster to be used to inform Vermonters about financial aid availability. The winning design is distributed to high schools, postsecondary schools, libraries, and human service agencies throughout Vermont. Its purpose is to communicate VSAC's name, contact information, and services to Vermont residents considering education beyond high school.

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding

#### AMOUNT

- One \$1,000 scholarship (winning design)
- Two \$500 scholarships (runners-up)
- Up to ten \$100 scholarships (honorable mentions)
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

#### SELECTION

- Creative artwork
- Original theme
- Overall visual impact
- Accurate representation of VSAC and the services it provides

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 70  
Awards: 11

### VT/NH DIRECT MARKETING GROUP SCHOLARSHIP

Eligibility Code:

**O**

Postmark Deadline: **JUNE 20**

VSAC ID: **VTNH-DMG**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Vermont/New Hampshire Direct Marketing Group created this scholarship in 2002 to encourage students to pursue postsecondary education in the direct marketing field.

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Seek education or training in a field related to direct marketing
- Demonstrate academic achievement
- Demonstrate financial need

#### AMOUNT

- One or more scholarships totaling \$1,000
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

#### SELECTION

- Recommendation letter
- Essays
- Financial need
- Academic achievement

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 20  
Awards: 3

### WALES FORESTRY/ENVIRONMENTAL SCHOLARSHIP

Eligibility Code:

**O**

Postmark Deadline: **APRIL 15**

VSAC ID: **WALES**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** David Wales, a Vermont Student Assistance Corporation (VSAC) employee, created this scholarship in 1995 to encourage students to pursue a postsecondary education to improve Vermont's environment.

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Seek a degree in forestry, environmental studies, or a related field
- Intend to work in Vermont toward maintaining and/or improving Vermont's environment
- Demonstrate financial need

#### AMOUNT

- One \$500 scholarship
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

#### SELECTION

- Financial need
- Essays
- Recommendation letter

#### AVERAGES

Applicants: 25  
Awards: 1

**WATERBURY AMBULANCE SERVICE, INC. SCHOLARSHIP**

Eligibility Code: **O**  
 Postmark Deadline: **JUNE 15**  
 VSAC ID: **AMBULANCE**

**HISTORY/PURPOSE:** The Waterbury Ambulance Service, Inc. created this scholarship in 2002 to encourage residents of Duxbury, Moretown, Waterbury, and Waterbury Center to pursue postsecondary education in the health care field.

**ELIGIBILITY**

- Reside in Duxbury, Moretown, Waterbury, or Waterbury Center, Vermont
- Seek education or training (academic, vocational, technical, or advanced) in the health care field
- Demonstrate commitment to a health care career
- Demonstrate financial need

**AMOUNT**

- Two \$2,500 scholarships
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

**SELECTION**

- Essays
- Recommendation letter
- Financial need

**AVERAGES**

Applicants: 4  
 Awards: 1

## Other Scholarships

### **H** ARMY ROTC SCHOLARSHIP

#### **ELIGIBILITY**

- High school junior or senior
- Combined SAT score of 920 OR combined ACT score of 19
- Enroll at a postsecondary school that hosts Army Reserve Officers' Training Corps (ROTC)

#### **AMOUNT**

- Tuition and fees up to \$17,000 per year
- Flat rate of \$600 per year for textbooks, equipment, and other classroom supplies
- Subsistence allowance of between \$250 and \$350 per month (during 10-month school year)

#### **SELECTION**

- SAT/ACT test scores
- Academic achievement
- Extracurricular, leadership, and athletic activities
- Teacher evaluations
- Personal interview

#### **REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

- Four-year ROTC scholarship packet
- Official high school transcript

#### **APPLICATION**

Obtain application materials from:

- High school guidance office
- ROTC (1-800-USA-ROTC; 872-7682)
- The professor of military studies at the University of Vermont (802/656-5757) (E-mail: goldbar@uvm.edu)
- On the Web (www.armyROTC.com)

#### **DEADLINE**

- Early cycle: July 15 of the student's junior year to be considered by a selection board for an early scholarship
- Later cycle: November 15 to be considered by a different selection board (or if you were not selected in the early cycle)
- Rolling adjustment pool of applications year-round

#### **AVERAGES:**

- Applicants: 7,800 nationwide
- Awards: 4,000 nationwide

### **O** ARMY ROTC VERMONT ALUMNI SCHOLARSHIP FUND

#### **ELIGIBILITY**

- Enrolled in ROTC or willing to enroll and demonstrate a strong desire to complete ROTC
- Commission as a second lieutenant in the US Army, Army Reserve, or National Guard
- Minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5
- Demonstrate financial need

#### **AMOUNT**

- Up to \$1,000 per year
- Reapply each year

#### **SELECTION**

- Grade point average
- Brief autobiographical sketch
- Recommendation letters
- Personal interview (if necessary)

#### **REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

- Official transcript
- Brief autobiographical sketch
- Two recommendation letters

#### **APPLICATION**

Send letter of request and required documents to:

- Department of Military Studies  
University of Vermont  
University Heights #128  
Burlington, VT 05405  
802/656-2966  
E-mail: goldbar@zoo.uvm.edu

#### **DEADLINE**

- June 30

#### **AVERAGES:**

- Applicants: 2
- Awards: 2

## **H** ARNOLD MAGOON CONSERVATION SCHOLARSHIP

(sponsored by NESHOBE Sportsman Club, Inc.)

### **HISTORY/PURPOSE**

The Arnold Magoon Conservation Scholarship was established to improve and further the sports of fishing and hunting.

### **ELIGIBILITY**

- Attend a postsecondary or conservation school
- Major in forestry, conservation, ecology, fish and game management, fish biology, or a related field

### **AMOUNT**

- Two \$500 scholarships (renewable)

### **SELECTION**

- Financial need
- Community/school involvement
- Interest in environmental issues

### **REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

- Arnold Magoon Conservation Scholarship Application
- Recommendation letter from teacher or principal

### **APPLICATION**

Obtain application materials from:

- High school guidance office
- NESHOBE Sportsman Club, Inc.  
Scholarship Committee  
PO Box 321  
Brandon, VT 05733

### **DEADLINE**

- April 15

### **AVERAGES:**

- Applicants: 15
- Awards: 2

## **O** ASSOCIATED GENERAL CONTRACTORS OF VERMONT SCHOLARSHIP

### **HISTORY/PURPOSE**

The Associated General Contractors of Vermont Scholarship was created to encourage and enable individuals to pursue a career in the construction industry.

### **ELIGIBILITY**

- Seek education or training (i.e., academic, vocational, technical, or advanced) in a field related to construction
- Demonstrate financial need

### **AMOUNT**

- Two \$1,000 scholarships
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

### **SELECTION**

- Essay
- Recommendation letters
- Financial need

### **REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

- Essay explaining why you are deserving of this award
- Two letters of recommendation
- Explanation of financial need

### **APPLICATION**

Send required documents to:

- Associated General Contractors of Vermont  
ATT: Beth Hulbert  
148 State Street  
Barre, VT 05641  
802/433-1344

### **DEADLINE**

- April 10

### **AVERAGES:**

- Applicants: 30
- Awards: 2

## Other Scholarships

### **O CLIF MURRAY AND FLOYD FULLER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

(sponsored by the Vermont Horse Council)

#### **HISTORY/PURPOSE**

The Vermont Horse Council is dedicated to the support of young people in Vermont who are involved in the equine world. The purpose of this scholarship is to provide financial support to young people seeking to obtain advanced training in equine studies or in occupations that are in direct support of the horse industry.

#### **ELIGIBILITY**

- Attend a postsecondary school that provides a quality education in equine studies or animal science program
- Seek a degree or advanced training in equine or animal studies or in a field directly in support of the horse industry
- Previous recipients are ineligible to apply

#### **AMOUNT**

- One \$400 scholarship

#### **SELECTION**

- Applicant's ability and aptitude for serious study
- Community service
- Leadership
- Financial need
- Achievement with horses

#### **REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

- Resume that includes: your name, address, and phone number; your parent(s) names, address, and phone number; schools attended, grades, and work experience (if applicable)
- Letter outlining your history of involvement with horses, community service and other activities, and future plans
- Two letters of recommendation: one from an experienced horse person attesting to your interest in equine studies and your talents with horses, and one from a school official (guidance counselor, teacher, etc.) who can attest to your ability and aptitude for serious study

#### **APPLICATION**

Send required documents to:

- Vermont Horse Council  
ATT: Lynn Dow  
6495 Route 12 A  
West Braintree, VT 05669  
802/728-9007  
vthorseland@yahoo.com

#### **DEADLINE**

- July 15

#### **AVERAGES:**

- Applicants: New
- Awards: New

### **H DISTRICT 45 LIONS YOUTH OUTREACH AWARD**

#### **ELIGIBILITY**

- Have an illness or disability
- Currently attend public high school

#### **AMOUNT**

- One \$1,000 award (winner)
- Two \$500 awards (runners-up)

#### **SELECTION**

- Academic achievement
- Community involvement
- Recommendation letters
- Essay
- Financial need

#### **REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

- District 45 LIONS Youth Outreach Award Application
- Confirmation note from a doctor or special education director providing evidence of disability or illness
- Essay describing how you have overcome your disability or illness and your major accomplishments in life
- Two letters of recommendation (one from a teacher and one from a community member who is not related to you)
- High school transcript
- College acceptance letter(s)

#### **APPLICATION**

Obtain application materials from:

- Local public high school; or
- Danielle Coulombe  
Youth Outreach  
18 Golf Course Road  
Richford, VT 05476

#### **DEADLINE**

- March 15

#### **AVERAGES:**

- Applicants: 16
- Awards: 3

## **O EYES TO THE FUTURE**

### **ELIGIBILITY**

- Accepted at a two-year accredited ophthalmic dispensing course
- Intend to work in Vermont upon graduation

### **AMOUNT**

- One \$500 scholarship (non-renewable)

### **SELECTION**

- Academic excellence
- Financial need
- Initiative
- Required essay

### **REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

- Cover letter
- Minimum 200-word essay describing career and academic goals
- Copy of federal income tax return (applicant's if student is independent; parents' if student is dependent)

### **APPLICATION**

Send required documents to:

- Robert E. Russo  
Vermont Opticians Society  
Scholarship Committee  
PO Box 35  
Essex Junction, VT 05453

### **DEADLINE**

- April 15

### **AVERAGES:**

- Applicants: 2
- Awards: 1

## **A GENERAL FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS OF VERMONT SCHOLARSHIP FOR A DISPLACED HOMEMAKER (Barbara Jean Barker Memorial Scholarship)**

### **ELIGIBILITY**

- Primarily been a homemaker for at least 15 years
- Lost main means of support through death, divorce, separation, or long-time illness or unemployment of a spouse
- Plan to upgrade skills to enter the world of work outside the home

### **AMOUNT**

- One to three scholarships ranging from \$500 to \$1,500

### **SELECTION**

- Recommendation letter
- Personal interview (finalists only)

### **REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

- General Federation of Women's Clubs of Vermont Displaced Homemaker Scholarship Application

### **APPLICATION**

Obtain application materials from:

- Any local Federated Women's Club in Vermont ; or
- Lorinda MacLeod, President  
General Federation of Women's Clubs of Vermont  
PO Box 266  
Hartford, VT 05047

### **DEADLINE**

- March 15

### **AVERAGES:**

- Applicants: 30
- Awards: 2

## Other Scholarships

### **H INTERNATIONAL RIGHT OF WAY ASSOCIATION NEW ENGLAND CHAPTER 16 SCHOLARSHIP**

#### **HISTORY/PURPOSE**

The International Right of Way Association (IRWA) New England Chapter 16 Scholarship was established in 1987 by the membership, who is engaged in the disciplines of right of way in the New England region. This scholarship was created to assist graduating high school seniors who plan to attend a postsecondary school and major in fields related to the right of way disciplines of appraisal, engineering, law, or negotiation.

#### **ELIGIBILITY**

- Resident of Vermont, Maine, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, or Rhode Island
- Accepted at an accredited postsecondary school
- Minimum "B" average throughout high school
- Realistic career goal
- Demonstrate financial need
- Major in business, economics, civil engineering, environmental engineering, law, communications, or international relations

#### **AMOUNT**

- Two to four scholarships ranging from \$300 to \$500

#### **SELECTION**

- Recommendation letters
- Official high school transcript
- Essay

#### **REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

- International Right of Way Association New England Chapter 16 Scholarship Application
- Two recommendation letters (one from a school official and one from someone not affiliated with your school)
- Maximum 100-word essay describing plans for the future, reasons for choosing a particular field of study, and future goals/aspirations
- Official high school transcript

#### **APPLICATION**

Request application materials from:

- High school guidance offices
- Send a self-addressed, stamped envelope to:  
IRWA-New England Chapter 16  
Norman Twaddel  
Portland Water District  
PO Box 3553  
Portland, ME 04104-3553
- Contact via E-mail: [ntwaddel@pwd.org](mailto:ntwaddel@pwd.org)

#### **DEADLINE**

- April 1

#### **AVERAGES:**

- Applicants: 100
- Awards: 3

### **H/C JUDITH GRAY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP** (sponsored by Vermont Municipal Highway Association Education Fund)

#### **ELIGIBILITY**

- Enroll in a civil engineering technology program at **Vermont Technical College**
- Enroll as either a college freshman or college senior
- *Preference given to applicants considering future employment with a municipal highway department*

#### **AMOUNT**

- One \$1,000 scholarship (college senior)
- Four \$500 scholarships (two for college freshmen/two for college seniors)

#### **SELECTION**

- Academic excellence (minimum 2.0 cumulative GPA)
- Community involvement

#### **REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

- Judith Gray Memorial Scholarship Application

#### **APPLICATION**

Obtain application materials from:

- Financial Aid Office at Vermont Technical College

#### **DEADLINE**

- May 1

#### **AVERAGES:**

- Applicants: 7
- Awards: 5

## **O MABEL MAYFORTH VERMONT SCHOLARSHIP** (sponsored by Federated Garden Clubs of Vermont)

### **ELIGIBILITY**

- Scholarships are available for college juniors, seniors, and graduate students (college sophomores may apply for their junior year)
- Major in horticulture, floriculture, landscape design, conservation, forestry, botany, agronomy, plant pathology, environmental studies, or biology with a special interest in plants, ecology, and allied subjects

### **AMOUNT**

- One \$1,000 scholarship
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)
- Vermont residents are also invited to apply through the Federated Garden Clubs of Vermont for a \$3,500 scholarship offered by the National Garden Clubs, Inc. Request information and application materials from Judy Kavanagh (see APPLICATION section below)

### **SELECTION**

- Academic achievement
- Financial need
- Extracurricular activities
- Letter from applicant

### **REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

- Mabel Mayforth Vermont Scholarship Application
- List of extracurricular activities from high school(s) and/or postsecondary school(s)
- Letter from applicant stating goals, background, financial need, and commitment to chosen field of study
- Official transcript from high school(s) and postsecondary school(s) attended
- Three recommendation letters, at least one of which must attest to academic achievement

### **APPLICATION**

Obtain application materials from:

- Judy Kavanagh  
Federated Garden Clubs of Vermont  
1280 Bluff Road  
Newport, VT 05855  
802/334-8142

### **DEADLINE**

- March 1

### **AVERAGES:**

- Applicants: 15
- Awards: 1 (state)/1 (national)

## **H MARIE CROVAT SCHOLARSHIP**

### **ELIGIBILITY**

- Resident of Addison County

### **AMOUNT**

- Fifteen non-renewable scholarships ranging from \$100 to \$1,000

### **SELECTION**

- Financial need
- Contributions to school

### **REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

- Check with your high school guidance office

### **APPLICATION**

Obtain application materials from:

- Addison County high school guidance offices

### **DEADLINE**

- early May

### **AVERAGES:**

- Applicants: 25
- Awards: 15

## Other Scholarships

### **O** **MARION T. WOOD SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM** (sponsored by Vermont Association of Educational Office Professionals—VAEOP)

#### **ELIGIBILITY**

- Attend postsecondary school
- Intend to enter an office-related profession, preferably in the field of education

#### **AMOUNT**

- One \$1,000 scholarship

#### **SELECTION**

- Academic achievement
- Financial need
- Initiative

#### **REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

- Marion T. Wood Scholarship Program Application
- Biographical information
- Essay
- Official transcript
- Three recommendation letters

#### **APPLICATION**

Obtain application materials from:

- High school guidance offices
- Send a self-addressed, stamped, large envelope to:  
Scholarships--VAEOP  
Linda Hendrickson  
495 Old Route 100  
Moretown, VT 05660

#### **DEADLINE**

- February 15

#### **AVERAGES:**

- Applicants: 15
- Awards: 1

### **O** **NEW ENGLAND DOLLARS FOR SCHOLARS: VERMONT CHAPTERS**

#### **ELIGIBILITY**

- Attend one of the following Vermont high schools: Brattleboro Union High School, Canaan Memorial High School, Leland and Gray Union High School, Mill River Union High School, Mount Anthony Union High School, Spaulding High School, or Twinfield Union High School; OR
- Be a resident of Winooski, Vermont; OR
- Participate in one of the following: the Lyndon State College Upward Bound Program, the Johnson State College Upward Bound Program, or the University of Vermont Upward Bound Program

#### **AMOUNT**

- Scholarships range from \$100 to \$5,000
- Average award is \$1,000

#### **SELECTION**

- Financial need
- Academic achievement
- School/community involvement and/or
- Community service

#### **REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

- Local Dollars for Scholars Chapter Application
- Official high school transcript
- Financial information such as a copy of the Student Aid Report from FAFSA or a separate financial aid questionnaire (if applicable)

#### **APPLICATION**

Obtain application materials from:

- Guidance office of participating high school; or
- Coordinator of participating Upward Bound Program; or
- Request the name and phone number of the contact person in your local community from:  
David W. Duncan, Executive Director  
New England Dollars for Scholars  
51 Main Street  
Stoneham, MA 02180  
Toll-free: 1-800-335-4360  
E-mail: nedollars@aol.com

#### **DEADLINE**

- May 1

#### **AVERAGES:**

- Applicants: 35
- Awards: 20

## **O** NEW ENGLAND EMPLOYEE BENEFITS COUNCIL SCHOLARSHIP

### **ELIGIBILITY**

- Resident of New England or enrolled at a New England postsecondary school
- Attend an accredited postsecondary school
- Enroll as a full-time undergraduate or graduate student in a program leading to a degree
- Demonstrate interest in a career in the field of employee benefits, human resources, or actuaries
- Active board members of the council, their spouses, and their children are ineligible to apply

### **AMOUNT**

- Two maximum \$5,000 scholarships

### **SELECTION**

- Academic achievement
- Interest in a career in the employee benefits, human resources, or actuarial field
- Career, education, and employment goals

### **REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

- New England Employee Benefits Council Scholarship Application
- Official postsecondary school transcript from each school attended
- Two or more recommendation letters from postsecondary school professors, NEEBC members, or other benefits professionals

### **APPLICATION**

Obtain application materials from:

- New England Employee Benefits Council  
440 Totten Pond Road  
Waltham, MA 02451

### **DEADLINE**

- April 1

### **AVERAGES:**

- Applicants: 20
- Awards: 2

## **H** REBEKAH ASSEMBLY OF VERMONT I.O.O.F. SCHOLARSHIP FUND

### **ELIGIBILITY**

- Vermont resident graduating high school senior; OR
- Graduating senior attending a high school in an adjacent state whose parents are Vermont residents; OR
- Graduating senior residing in an adjacent state who normally attends a Vermont high school

### **AMOUNT**

- Two \$500 scholarships

### **SELECTION**

- Financial need
- Academic achievement
- Recommendation letters
- Extracurricular activities

### **REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

- Rebekah Assembly of Vermont, I.O.O.F. Scholarship Application
- Official transcript
- Two recommendation letters from school personnel
- List of extracurricular activities
- Statement of educational plans
- Explanation of financial need

### **APPLICATION**

To obtain application materials, send a self-addressed, stamped envelope to:

- Mrs. Nora-Ellen Spaulding, Secretary  
Rebekah Assembly of Vermont  
786 Vermont Route 10  
Chester, VT 05143

### **DEADLINE**

- March 1

### **AVERAGES:**

- Applicants: 40
- Awards: 2

## Other Scholarships

### **O REBEKAH ASSEMBLY OF VERMONT NURSING SCHOLARSHIP**

#### **ELIGIBILITY**

- Accepted at or enrolled in an accredited school of nursing

#### **AMOUNT**

- One \$500 scholarship

#### **SELECTION**

- Financial need
- Previous academic/work experience
- Recommendation letters

#### **REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

- Rebekah Assembly of Vermont Nursing Scholarship Application
- Official transcript
- Two recommendation letters (one from a principal and one from an employer)
- Statement of educational plans
- Explanation of financial need

#### **APPLICATION**

To obtain application materials, send a self-addressed, stamped envelope to:

- Mrs. Nora-Ellen Spaulding, Secretary  
Rebekah Assembly of Vermont  
786 Vermont Route 10  
Chester, VT 05143

#### **DEADLINE**

- March 1

#### **AVERAGES:**

- Applicants: 6
- Awards: 1

### **C RUTLAND REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER MEDICAL STAFF SCHOLARSHIP**

#### **HISTORY/PURPOSE**

The Rutland Regional Medical Center Medical Staff Scholarship was established to provide financial assistance to health care workers in Rutland County who are seeking health care education on a full-time basis.

#### **ELIGIBILITY**

- Reside in Rutland County
- Demonstrate financial need (apply to VSAC for a Vermont Grant and file a Free Application for Federal Student Aid no later than four weeks prior to the scholarship deadline)
- Minimum one year employment in a Rutland County health care facility
- Enroll full-time in a program leading to a degree in one of the following health care specialties: nursing, radiological technology, laboratory technology, physical medicine, or respiratory therapy
- Enroll as a sophomore (completed one year of a two-year program)

#### **AMOUNT**

- Two to three scholarships ranging from \$500 to \$1,500

#### **SELECTION**

- Financial need
- Recommendation letters
- Cumulative grade point average for previous postsecondary course work

#### **REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

- Rutland Regional Medical Center Medical Staff Scholarship Application
- Proof of acceptance into an approved degree program and enrollment as a full-time student
- Three recommendation letters (at least one from an educator and at least one from a supervisor)
- Official transcript from each postsecondary school attended (must demonstrate the completion of a minimum of 30 credit hours at time of application)

#### **APPLICATION**

Obtain application materials from:

- Medical Staff Scholarship Selection Committee  
c/o Jill Frost  
Rutland Regional Medical Center  
160 Allen Street  
Rutland, VT 05701  
802/747-3638

#### **DEADLINE**

- June 15

#### **AVERAGES:**

- Applicants: 2
- Awards: 2

## **O ST. ANDREWS SOCIETY OF VERMONT SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION, INC. ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIP**

### **ELIGIBILITY**

- Vermont resident, OR
- Member of St. Andrews Society of Vermont (regardless of state residency), OR
- Family member of a St. Andrews Society of Vermont member (regardless of state residency); AND
- Enroll in an associate's or bachelor's degree program

### **AMOUNT**

- Three \$500 scholarships

### **SELECTION**

- Academic achievement
- Information supplied on application form

### **REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

- St. Andrews Society of Vermont Scholarship Foundation, Inc. Academic Scholarship Application Form
- Three typed recommendation letters
- Official transcript, including grades for four years of high school
- SAT scores
- Handwritten letter describing educational goals and financial need

### **APPLICATION**

Obtain application materials after September 1 from:

- Scholarship Chairperson  
PO Box 5007  
Essex Junction, VT 05453-5007

### **DEADLINE**

- March 1

### **AVERAGES:**

- Applicants: 50
- Awards: 3

## **O UNITED STATES SERVICE ACADEMIES**

**United States Air Force Academy (USAFA)**

**United States Naval Academy (USNA)**

**United States Military Academy at West Point (USMA)**

**United States Merchant Marine Academy (USMMA)**

### **ELIGIBILITY**

- High school graduate
- U.S. citizen between the ages of 17 and 22 (USAFA, USNA, and USMA only)
- U.S. citizen between the ages of 17 and 25 (USMMA only)
- Not be married, pregnant, or have any dependents (USAFA, USNA, and USMA only)

### **AMOUNT**

- Appointments to the academies cover tuition, room, and board
- Some academies provide a monthly salary to the cadets or midshipmen

### **SELECTION**

- Academic achievement
- SAT or ACT scores
- Extracurricular activities
- Recommendation letters
- Physical and medical examinations
- Interview

### **REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

- Varies by academy

### **APPLICATION**

Contact a nomination source (listed below) AND initiate a file with the academy or academies of your choice in the spring of high school junior year (or as soon thereafter as possible). The USAFA, USNA, and USMA also accept nominations from the vice president or president of the United States.

- **NOMINATIONS:** Initiate a nomination by contacting a member of Vermont's congressional delegation:
  - ✓ Senator James Jeffords (802/658-6001, Burlington)
  - ✓ Senator Patrick Leahy (802/863-2525, Burlington)
  - ✓ Representative Bernie Sanders (802/862-0697, Burlington)
- **APPOINTMENTS:** Initiate a file with one or more academies, by contacting the respective admissions office:
  - ✓ United States Air Force Academy (USAFA),  
2304 Cadet Drive Suite 200,  
USAF Academy, CO 80840-5025  
(719/472-2520)
  - ✓ United States Naval Academy (USNA),  
117 Decatur Road,  
Annapolis, MD 21402-5017
  - ✓ United States Military Academy at West Point (USMA),  
West Point, NY 10996-1797
  - ✓ United States Merchant Marine Academy (USMMA),  
Steamboat Road,  
Kings Point, NY 11024-1699  
(516/773-5391)

### **DEADLINE**

- Each academy has a deadline for both nominations and applications

## Other Scholarships

### O UPPER VALLEY COMMUNITY FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP

#### HISTORY/PURPOSE

The Upper Valley Community Foundation established this scholarship for students living in the Upper Valley area. The scholarship was created to help students begin or continue their postsecondary education and/or upgrade employment skills.

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Reside in a town in the Upper Valley community
- Proof of remaining need after having secured all other available financial aid
- Enroll in one or more credit or non-credit courses

#### AMOUNT

- Approximately 25 minimum \$500 scholarships
- May be renewable
- Awarded in two separate funding cycles

#### SELECTION

- Financial need
- Merit (including employment history, community and volunteer work, previous academic work, and career goals)
- *Preference given to those whose unique circumstances limit their eligibility for traditional financial aid*

#### REQUIRED DOCUMENTS

- Upper Valley Community Foundation Scholarship Application Form
- Most recent official high school or postsecondary school transcript
- Recommendation letter

#### APPLICATION

Obtain application materials from:

- Upper Valley Community Foundation (UVCF)  
37 Pleasant Street  
Concord, NH 03301-4005  
(Please note: A \$15 application fee may be waived by calling the New Hampshire Charitable Foundation at 1-800-464-6641)

#### DEADLINE

Applications received after the deadline are held over until the next funding cycle.

- First funding cycle: April 1
- Second funding cycle: October 1

#### AVERAGES:

- Applicants: 90
- Awards: 2

### O VERMONT AIR NATIONAL GUARD MONTGOMERY G.I. BILL CHAPTER 1606 (administered and paid by the Veterans Administration)

#### ELIGIBILITY

- High school graduate or GED recipient
- Became a member of the Vermont Air National Guard with a six-year commitment
- Enrolled in a VA-approved course of study or training program

#### AMOUNT

- The program provides a maximum of \$10,368 toward the total cost of postsecondary education
- Payments up to \$288 per month are made for up to 36 months (four nine-month school years) for full-time students
- Part-time students are paid based on the number of credit hours taken

#### SELECTION

- Six-year service commitment
- Completion of basic and technical training

#### REQUIRED DOCUMENTS

- Not applicable

#### APPLICATION

To obtain additional information and details:

- Contact a Vermont Air National Guard recruiter at 1-800-242-4055
- Contact the Retention Office manager at 802/660-5211

#### DEADLINE

- None

#### AVERAGES:

- Applicants: 410
- Awards: 410

**O VERMONT AIR NATIONAL GUARD  
MONTGOMERY G.I. BILL KICKER PROGRAM**  
(administered and paid by the Veterans  
Administration)

**ELIGIBILITY**

- First meet eligibility criteria for the Montgomery G.I. Bill benefit
- High school graduate or GED recipient
- Enrolled in a V.A.-approved course of study or training program
- Enlist for six years in an incentive-eligible career field in the Vermont Air National Guard

**AMOUNT**

- The program provides a maximum of \$12,600 toward the total cost of postsecondary education
- Payments up to \$350 per month are made for up to 36 months (four nine-month school years) for full-time students, only in conjunction with the Montgomery G.I. Bill
- Part-time students are paid based on the number of credit hours taken

**SELECTION**

- Six-year service commitment
- Completion of basic and technical training

**REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

- Not applicable

**APPLICATION**

To obtain additional information and details:

- Contact a Vermont Air National Guard recruiter at 1-800-242-4055
- Contact the Retention Office manager at 802/660-5211

**DEADLINE**

- None

**AVERAGES:**

- Applicants: 192
- Awards: 192

**O VERMONT AIR NATIONAL GUARD STUDENT  
LOAN REPAYMENT PROGRAM**

**ELIGIBILITY**

- High school graduate or GED recipient
- Enlist or re-enlist for six years in an incentive-eligible career field in the Vermont Air National Guard
- Have or obtain qualifying student loans

**AMOUNT**

- The program provides up to \$20,000 in a lifetime
- An annual loan payment of 15% of the outstanding balance or \$500 per loan, whichever is greater, up to \$2,500 per member each year
- Loans must be backed by the Higher Education Act of 1965, in the member's name, and a year old on the anniversary date to qualify for repayment
- Loans must be in good standing (i.e., deferred, payments being made)
- The Department of Defense will make a payment directly to the lender for each year of service completed satisfactorily

**SELECTION**

- Eligibility requirements met
- Six-year service commitment
- Completion of basic and technical training and one year of satisfactory service

**REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

- Proof of existing loans

**APPLICATION**

To obtain additional information and details:

- Contact a Vermont Air National Guard recruiter at 1-800-242-4055
- Contact the Retention Office manager at 802/660-5211

**DEADLINE**

- None

**AVERAGES:**

- Applicants: 206
- Awards: 206

## Other Scholarships

### H VERMONT AMERICAN LEGION ORATORICAL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

#### HISTORY/PURPOSE

The American Legion National High School Oratorical Contest was established to develop a deeper knowledge and appreciation of the Constitution of the United States on the part of high school students. Other objectives include the development of leadership qualities; the ability to think and speak clearly and intelligently; and the preparation for acceptance of the duties, responsibilities, rights, and privileges of American citizenship.

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Citizen or lawful permanent resident of the United States
- Student under age 20 who is currently enrolled in a school in which the curriculum is considered to be high school level (grades 9-12) at the time of participation
- Participate in the American Legion Oratorical Contest

#### AMOUNT

- One \$2,000 scholarship awarded to the state champion
- Participants in the state championship are eligible to apply for an additional \$500 scholarship, with four runners-up each receiving \$100

#### SELECTION

- Prepared oration

#### REQUIRED DOCUMENTS

- No documents are required
- Participants present a prepared oration in the Vermont American Legion Oratorical Contest on some aspect or section of the Constitution of the United States that emphasizes the attendant duties and obligations of a citizen to the government

#### APPLICATION

Contact:

- High school guidance office
- Local American Legion Post
- The American Legion of Vermont  
PO Box 396  
Montpelier, VT 05601-0396

#### DEADLINE

- Request contest rules before January 1

#### AVERAGES:

- Applicants: Varies
- Awards: 5 (state contest)

### H VERMONT AMERICAN LEGION SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMS

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Graduating high school senior attending school in Vermont or in an adjoining state whose parents are Vermont residents, OR
- Graduating high school senior residing in an adjacent state whose normal high school is a Vermont school; AND
- Accepted at an approved postsecondary school

#### AMOUNT

- One \$2,000 Charles N. Barber Scholarship
- One \$1,500 Ray Greenwood Scholarship
- Five \$1,000 scholarships in memory of Earl Thomas
- Five \$500 scholarships

#### SELECTION

- Financial need
- Academic achievement
- Activities, offices held, goals
- Interview (finalists only)

#### REQUIRED DOCUMENTS

- Vermont American Legion Scholarship Programs Application Form
- Official high school transcript, including a minimum of seven semesters
- Two recommendation letters

#### APPLICATION

Obtain application materials from:

- High school guidance office
- Education and Scholarship Committee  
The American Legion of Vermont  
PO Box 396  
Montpelier VT 05601-0396

#### DEADLINE

- April 1

#### AVERAGES:

- Applicants: 500
- Awards: 12

**O VERMONT ARMY NATIONAL GUARD  
MONTGOMERY CHAPTER 1606 G.I. BILL**  
(administered and paid by the Veterans  
Administration)

**ELIGIBILITY**

- High school graduate or GED recipient
- Became a member of the Vermont Army National Guard after July 1, 1985 with a six-year commitment
- Enrolled in a VA-approved course of study or training program

**AMOUNT**

- Payments up to \$282 per month are made for up to 36 months (four nine-month school years) for full-time students
- Part-time students are paid based on the number of credit hours taken

**SELECTION**

- Six-year service commitment
- Completion of initial active duty training

**REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

- Not applicable

**APPLICATION**

To obtain additional information and details:

- Contact local Vermont Army National Guard recruiter
- Contact local Guard unit
- Call 802/338-3348

**DEADLINE**

- None

**AVERAGES:**

- Applicants: 400
- Awards: 400

**O VERMONT ARMY NATIONAL GUARD STUDENT  
LOAN REPAYMENT PROGRAM**

**ELIGIBILITY**

- High school graduate who has received a diploma
- Qualify for and enlist in the Vermont Army National Guard OR extend existing enlistment by six years
- Have existing student loans at time of enlistment
- Enlist in a designated skill or area of training

**AMOUNT**

- The program provides up to \$10,000 repaid against student loans incurred under Parts B or E of the Higher Education Act of 1965
- The Department of Defense will make a payment directly to the lender for each year of service completed satisfactorily
- The amount of each payment will be 15% of the original principal of all qualifying loans combined
- Entitlement will be no less than \$500 and will not exceed \$1,500 during an entitlement year
- The Department of Defense will pay on principal only (no interest)

**SELECTION**

- Eligibility requirements met

**REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

- Department of Defense Educational Loan Repayment Program Annual Application
- Proof of existing loans

**APPLICATION**

To obtain application materials:

- Call 802/338-3346
- Contact local Vermont Army National Guard recruiter

**DEADLINE**

- None

**AVERAGES:**

- Applicants: 120
- Awards: 120

## Other Scholarships

### **H** VERMONT GROCERS' ASSOCIATION (VGA) SCHOLARSHIP

#### **HISTORY/PURPOSE**

The Vermont Grocers' Association (VGA) Scholarship was established to provide financial assistance to enable students to further their education at an accredited two- or four-year postsecondary school.

#### **ELIGIBILITY**

- Vermont resident OR affiliated with a Vermont VGA member
- Graduating high school senior (OR have received a high school diploma) and plan to attend an accredited two- or four-year postsecondary school for the first time
- Demonstrate financial need and file a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) no later than four weeks prior to the scholarship deadline
- Meet one or more of the following criteria:
  - ✓ Dependent of a VGA associate or retail member store/company owner, or
  - ✓ Dependent of a VGA associate or retail member store/company employee, or
  - ✓ Employee of a VGA retail member store/associate member company who: (1) is employed a minimum of 15 hours per week or 750 hours per year, and (2) has been employed at a VGA retail member store or member company for a minimum of one year at the time of application

#### **AMOUNT**

- Nine \$1,500 scholarships (\$1,000 for the first year plus \$500 for the second year if recipient maintains a 3.0 GPA)
- One \$2,500 Ernest Hurst Memorial Award (\$1,000 for the first year plus \$500 for three additional years if recipient maintains a 3.0 GPA)
- One \$2,500 Donna Hogan Award (\$1,000 for the first year plus \$500 for three additional years if recipient maintains a 3.0 GPA)

#### **SELECTION**

- Academic achievement
- Extracurricular activities
- Essays
- Recommendation letters
- Financial need (considered for eight of the eleven total awards)

#### **REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

- Vermont Grocers' Association Scholarship Application
- Two recommendation letters (one from a teacher or school official and one from a current or previous employer)
- Official high school transcript
- Copy of Student Aid Report (SAR) from FAFSA
- Copy of financial aid award letter from college attending

#### **APPLICATION**

Obtain application materials from:

- Vermont Grocers' Association (VGA)  
33 Lafayette Street  
Rutland, VT 05701-4167  
Local: 802/775-5460/Toll-Free: 1-800-842-8503

#### **DEADLINE**

- April (contact VGA for specific date)

### **O** VERMONT PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP

#### **ELIGIBILITY**

- Enrolled in an accredited pharmaceutical postsecondary school
- Completion of two years of postsecondary school credit

#### **AMOUNT**

- Two \$1,000 scholarships
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

#### **SELECTION**

- Financial need
- Academic achievement
- Personal conduct during the first two years of postsecondary school

#### **REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

- Official transcript, including first two years of postsecondary school
- Three recommendation letters
- Short description of the field of pharmacy applicant is interested in after graduation

#### **APPLICATION**

Obtain application materials from:

- Lynnanne Barclay  
Scholarship Chairman  
Vermont Pharmaceutical Association  
344 Buckingham Drive  
Colchester, VT 05446

#### **DEADLINE**

- July 15

#### **AVERAGES:**

- Applicants: 5
- Awards: 2

## H VERMONT PHILHARMONIC MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP

### ELIGIBILITY

- Not a previous winner of the competition
- Audition in the fall

### AMOUNT

- One \$500 scholarship and the opportunity to play as soloist with The Vermont Philharmonic
- Award must be used to further musical education

### SELECTION

- Audition of three prepared pieces of the student's choice

### REQUIRED DOCUMENTS

- Vermont Philharmonic Music Scholarship Application Form (requires teacher's signature)

### APPLICATION

Obtain application materials and detailed requirements of the competition from:

- Marta Cambra  
Coordinator of Music Scholarship  
Vermont Philharmonic  
1388 Crosstown Road  
Berlin, VT 05602

### DEADLINE

- November 1

### AVERAGES:

- Applicants: 15
- Awards: 1

## O VERMONT SPACE GRANT UNDERGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP

### HISTORY/PURPOSE

The Vermont Space Grant Consortium is funded in part by a grant from the National Aeronautics and Space Administration's (NASA) National Space Grant College and Fellowship Program. The key goals of the consortium are to build a research infrastructure within the state, encourage Vermont students to take more mathematics and science courses, and promote consideration of careers in aerospace, as well as other areas related to NASA goals.

### ELIGIBILITY

- U.S. citizen
- Graduating senior attending a Vermont high school OR currently enrolled in an undergraduate degree program at a Vermont postsecondary school
- Attend a **Vermont** postsecondary school full-time
- Seek a professional career that has direct relevance to the United States aerospace industry and the goals of NASA, including but not limited to, mathematics, physics, engineering, other basic sciences such as medicine and earth science, and education of these disciplines
- Demonstrate academic achievement (minimum 3.0 cumulative GPA)

### AMOUNT

- Thirteen \$1,500 scholarships (subject to availability of funds)
- Three of the thirteen awards are designated for applicants of Native American descent
- Three \$1,000 awards (subject to availability of funds) for the Aviation Technology Program
- Non-renewable (reapply each year)

### SELECTION

- Academic achievement
- Recommendation letters
- Initiative
- Essay
- *Please note: Native American awards are chosen by the Franklin Northwest Supervisory Union Indian Education Office (FNSUIEO)*

### REQUIRED DOCUMENTS

- Vermont Space Grant Undergraduate Scholarship Application
- Essay detailing career goals and their direct relevance to the United States aerospace industry and the goals of NASA (not to exceed three, typed, double-spaced pages)
- Official transcript from high school or postsecondary school
- Three confidential recommendation letters

### APPLICATION

Obtain application materials from:

- Ms. Laurel Zeno, Vermont Space Grant Consortium  
Votey Building University of Vermont  
Burlington, VT 05405  
Phone: 802/656-1429  
Fax: 802/656-1102 or 802/656-8802  
E-mail: zeno@emba.uvm.edu  
Web site: www.emba.uvm.edu/VSGC

### DEADLINE

- March 1

### AVERAGES:

- Applicants: Varies
- Awards: 13

## Other Scholarships

### **H** VERMONT STATE COUNCIL, KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SCHOLARSHIP

#### **ELIGIBILITY**

- Son or daughter (paternal or legally adopted) of a member of the Knights of Columbus in good standing in a subordinate council of the Vermont jurisdiction, OR
- Son or daughter of a deceased member in good standing at the time of his death, OR
- Member of the Knights of Columbus, or a member of a Columbian Squires Circle in the Vermont jurisdiction, or a member of the Columbus Girls of Vermont, OR
- Legal guardian of a member of the Knights of Columbus in good standing in a subordinate council of the Vermont jurisdiction.

#### **AMOUNT**

- Eight \$600 scholarships
- Non-renewable

#### **SELECTION**

- Academic achievement
- School, church, and community involvement
- Financial need

#### **REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

- Vermont State Council, Knights of Columbus Scholarship Application Form
- Official high school transcript
- Handwritten letter of goals
- Recommendation letters

#### **APPLICATION**

Obtain application materials from:

- High school guidance office
- Local Knights of Columbus council

#### **DEADLINE**

- February 15

#### **AVERAGES:**

- Applicants: 40
- Awards: 8

### **O** VERMONT STATE EMPLOYEES' ASSOCIATION (VSEA) SCHOLARSHIP

#### **ELIGIBILITY**

- Be either a VSEA member, a dependent of a VSEA member, or a spouse/domestic partner of a VSEA member
- Attend an accredited postsecondary school approved for federal Title IV funding
- Seek education or training (academic, vocational, technical, advanced, skill development, self-improvement) in any area
- Demonstrate academic achievement
- Demonstrate financial need

#### **AMOUNT**

- One or more scholarships totaling \$3,000
- Non-renewable

#### **SELECTION**

- Financial need
- Academic achievement
- Recommendation letters
- Additional documents submitted, if any

#### **REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

- VSEA Scholarship Application
- Official high school/postsecondary school transcripts
- Two recommendation letters attesting to applicant's level of achievement
- Copies of W-2 tax forms
- Additional documents (i.e., resume, personal statement) may be submitted to provide an overview of applicant's academic/work record and/or ability

#### **APPLICATION**

Obtain application materials from:

- Jim Candon II, Chair  
VSEA Awards/Scholarship Committee  
c/o VSEA Headquarters  
155 State Street  
PO Box 518  
Montpelier, VT 05601-0518  
Work: 802/786-5830 x38  
E-mail: jcandon@doc.state.vt.us

#### **DEADLINE**

- All required documents must be submitted no later than May 26 by 4:30 pm

#### **AVERAGES:**

- Applicants: New
- Awards: New

## **O VERMONT TEACHER DIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**

### **HISTORY/PURPOSE**

The Vermont Teacher Diversity Scholarship Program was established in 2001 to increase the diversity in Vermont public school teaching staffs. The program provides loan forgiveness to students who attend college in Vermont and agree to teach in our public schools for one to three years.

### **ELIGIBILITY**

- Attend an accredited **Vermont** postsecondary school
- Plan to teach in a Vermont public school

### **AMOUNT**

- The program provides \$4,000 per year in loan forgiveness for each year of teaching in a Vermont public school after graduation
- A recipient may receive a maximum of three years of loan forgiveness (\$12,000)
- Funds are disbursed only after a student begins his/her teaching career

### **SELECTION**

- Racial/ethnic diversity
- Leadership qualities
- Experience working with children
- Understanding of diversity and the issues related to power and privilege in the United States
- Employment history (if applicable)
- Educational history
- Commitment to teaching in a Vermont public school
- Academic potential

### **REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

- Vermont Teacher Diversity Scholarship Program Application Form
- High school and/or college transcripts
- Three recommendation letters

### **APPLICATION**

Obtain application materials from:

- Ms. Phyl Newbeck, Director  
Vermont Teacher Diversity Scholarship Program  
PO Box 359  
Waterbury, VT 05676-0359  
Work: 802/241-3379  
Fax: 802/241-3369  
[newbeckp@quark.vsc.edu](mailto:newbeckp@quark.vsc.edu)  
<http://templeton.vsc.edu/teacherdiversity/>

### **DEADLINE**

- Round #1: First Thursday in April
- Round #2: First Thursday in November

### **AVERAGES:**

- Applicants: 12/round (24/year)
- Awards: 1/round (2/year)

## **H VERMONT TRAPPERS ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP**

### **HISTORY/PURPOSE**

The Vermont Trappers Association Scholarship was created to further goals of professional wildlife conservation and/or agricultural excellence.

### **ELIGIBILITY**

- Attend an accredited postsecondary school
- Major in wildlife management, wildlife biology, forestry, agriculture, fish and game management, or a related field

### **AMOUNT**

- Four \$500 scholarships
- Non-renewable

### **SELECTION**

- Acceptance at an accredited postsecondary school
- Interest in conservation of natural resources
- Outdoor career, education, and employment goals

### **REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

- Vermont Trappers Association Scholarship Application Form
- Copy of acceptance letter from postsecondary school
- One recommendation letter (from a teacher or principal)

### **APPLICATION**

Obtain application materials by sending a self-addressed, stamped envelope to:

- Kevin N. Lawrence  
Scholarship Committee Chair  
Vermont Trappers Association  
PO Box 37  
Newbury, VT 05051  
802/866-5024

### **DEADLINE**

- April 15

### **AVERAGES:**

- Applicants: 20
- Awards: 4

## Other Scholarships

### **O VERMONT TRAVEL INDUSTRY CONFERENCE (VTIC) SCHOLARSHIP**

#### **HISTORY/PURPOSE**

The Vermont Travel Industry Conference Scholarship was established in 1994 to enable Vermont students to further their education in a tourism-related field.

#### **ELIGIBILITY**

- Enroll full-time in a two- or four-year accredited **Vermont** postsecondary school
- Seek a degree in a field related to travel/tourism, including, but not limited to hotel management, restaurant management, tourism, ski area management, recreation management
- Demonstrate academic achievement (minimum 3.0 cumulative GPA on a 4.0 scale)

#### **AMOUNT**

- One \$2,000 scholarship

#### **SELECTION**

- Commitment to the travel/tourism field
- Recommendation letters
- Essays
- Academic achievement

#### **REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

- Vermont Travel Industry Conference Scholarship Application
- Two recommendation letters
- Resume
- Official transcript
- List of paid, volunteer, or academic-credit work or internship experiences in the tourism industry in which you have participated and extracurricular activities in which you are involved
- Essay summarizing tourism-related projects or research you have completed and memberships which you hold in professional organizations
- Essay describing your future plans or aspirations in the tourism industry (25 words or less)
- Double-spaced typed essay addressing the Vermont Travel Industry Conference theme, "Vermont: It's About the Experience" (maximum two pages)

#### **APPLICATION**

Obtain application materials from:

- Vermont Travel Industry Conference  
ATT: Cindy Delaney  
One Main Street #36  
Winooski, VT 05404  
cindy@delaneymeetingevent.com

#### **DEADLINE**

- October 22

#### **AVERAGES:**

- Applicants: 7
- Awards: 1

### **O VERMONT YOUNG MUSICIAN AWARD** (sponsored by the MRVCC Scholarship Fund)

#### **HISTORY/PURPOSE**

The Vermont Young Musician Award is underwritten by the MRVCC Scholarship Fund as part of its mission to encourage interest in the arts among the younger generation. Selected applicants audition before a panel of judges at Harwood Union High School in early June. The panel chooses the eight best applicants to appear at the final stage of competition at the Bundy Gallery in Waitsfield in mid-August.

#### **ELIGIBILITY**

- Be a vocalist or instrumentalist currently attending high school (grades 9-12)
- Demonstrate musical talent and the pursuit of excellence
- Demonstrate education/work ethic

#### **AMOUNT**

- One \$2,500 scholarship
- Non-renewable

#### **SELECTION**

- Musical talent and the pursuit of excellence
- Personal letter from applicant
- Recommendation letter

#### **REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

- Vermont Young Musician Award Application
- Personal letter from applicant explaining interest in music in general, and the competition in particular
- Recommendation letter from private instructor or other qualified person
- Tape or CD of the applicant performing may be submitted, but is not mandatory

#### **APPLICATION**

Obtain application materials from:

- James Plumpton  
MRVCC Scholarship Fund  
PO Box 1246  
Waitsfield, VT 05673  
jp1066@madriver.com

#### **DEADLINE**

- May 1

#### **AVERAGES:**

- Applicants: New
- Awards: New

## **O WINDHAM FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP**

### **ELIGIBILITY**

- Legal resident of Windham County
- Seek either a certificate or undergraduate degree at the postsecondary level

### **AMOUNT**

- Approximately 100 scholarships averaging \$1,000
- Renewable

### **SELECTION**

- Financial need

### **REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

- Windham Foundation Scholarship Application Form
- Apply to VSAC for a Vermont Grant and file a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)
- Official transcript from the most recent high school or postsecondary school attended

### **APPLICATION**

Obtain application materials from:

- Scholarship Committee  
Windham Foundation  
PO Box 70  
Grafton, VT 05146

### **DEADLINE**

- April 1

### **AVERAGES:**

- Applicants: 350
- Awards: 100

## **O WINDSOR COUNTY FARM BUREAU SCHOLARSHIP**

### **ELIGIBILITY**

- Resident of Windsor County
- Member of the Windsor County Farm Bureau (applicant or applicant's family)
- Seek a degree in a field related to agriculture
- Attend an accredited postsecondary school in New England

### **AMOUNT**

- One or more scholarships totaling \$1,000

### **SELECTION**

- Academic achievement
- Community involvement
- Recommendation letters
- Required essay

### **REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

- Windsor County Farm Bureau Scholarship Application
- Official transcript from high school or postsecondary school
- Three recommendation letters attesting to your interest in agriculture or a related field
- Maximum 500-word essay describing your goals related to agriculture

### **APPLICATION**

Obtain application materials from:

- Windsor County high school guidance offices
- Marion Barr, Office Secretary  
Windsor County Farm Bureau  
Ascutney Basin Road  
PO Box 295  
Reading, VT 05062-0295

### **DEADLINE**

- July 30

### **AVERAGES:**

- Applicants: 8
- Awards: 1

## Other Scholarships

### **O WOODLAND OWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC. MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

#### **ELIGIBILITY**

- Reside in Windham County
- Accepted or enrolled at an accredited postsecondary school
- Seek a two- or four-year degree in forestry or allied field (e.g., wildlife management, resource management, etc.)
- Demonstrate financial need

#### **AMOUNT**

- One \$1,500 scholarship (graduating high school senior)
- One \$1,500 scholarship (student currently enrolled in and attending postsecondary school)

#### **SELECTION**

- Financial need
- Character
- Motivation
- Academic achievement

#### **REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

- Woodland Owners Association, Inc. Memorial Scholarship Application Form
- Official high school transcript, including grades for the first seven semesters (*only required if applicant is a graduating high school senior*)
- Official transcript from each postsecondary school attended (*only required if applicant is currently enrolled in and attending postsecondary school*)

#### **APPLICATION**

Obtain application materials from:

- Woodland Owners Association, Inc.  
11 University Way Suite 4  
Brattleboro, VT 05301

#### **DEADLINE**

- May 1

#### **AVERAGES:**

- Applicants: 5
- Awards: 2