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EARL L. VANDERMEULEN HIGH SCHOOL
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SCHOLARSHIPS

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Program SCHOLARSHIP	AMOUNT	CRITERIA	DEADLINE
Theatre Three **The Twenty-Seventh Annual Julie Peierls Scholarship**	**$1,000.00**	**Student must be a Long Island resident who plans to pursue a career in the professional theatre and will be continuing his/her theatrical education on a college (a major in theatre or musical theatre) or conservatory level. Students will be required to submit a completed application as well as participate in an audition and an interview.** **www.theatrethree.com/peierlsscholarship.html**	**6/1/26**
Jack and Jill Suffolk County 2026 Scholarship **Kathleen Taylor Memorial Community Service Scholarship**	**$500.00, $1,000.00, $1,500.00**	**For students of African Ancestry (African, African-American and Afro-Caribbean) who are Suffolk County public high school seniors may apply for the scholarship** **Scholarship applicants must have a GPA of 3.0 or better** **Scholarship applicants must plan on seeking a Baccalaureate Degree or an Associate Degree in Fall 2026** **Applicants are required to submit:** **Completed, signed application** **A letter or recommendation from someone who is familiar with your community service work, for example a teacher, a guidance counselor or community leader** **Current, official transcript** **Typed essay (minimum of 500 words) on topic: "What Community Service Means To Me."** **To apply, please visit:** **www.jjsuffolkcounty.org**	**4/3/26**

Walk Safe Long Island 2026 Lowell Wolf Memorial Scholarship Pedestrian Safety Video Contest	**Two @ $1,000.00**	**Create a short video that illustrates one or more NYS pedestrian safety laws and answers the question, "Why is it important to educate your community about pedestrian and traffic safety?"** **To apply, please visit:** **www.walksafeli.org/2026scholarship**	**5/31/26**
Hagan Scholarship Foundation	**Can receive up to $7,500.00**	**Need-based merit scholarship** **Must attend a high school located in the US** **Eligible students can apply regardless of nationality or citizenship** **Must have achieved an unweighted 3.5 CGPA based on a 4.0 Grading Scale** **Must enroll in a four-year college or university in the 2026 fall semester** **Recipients will receive $2,000.00 to purchase essential items for college** **Recipients can receive up to $7,500.00 each semester for up to eight consecutive semesters** **If interested, please visit:** **www.hsfmo.org**	**3/15/26**
FASNY The Gerard J. Buckenmeyer Memorial FASNY Volunteer Scholarship Program	**25 @ $1,500.00**	**Available to volunteer firefighters, junior firefighters, explorer, or RAM members who are currently high school seniors and planning to attend college or trade school** **To apply, please visit:** **www.FASNY.com/help**	**3/15/26**