2023 ($4,000) Scholarship Instructions & Criteria for Applicants

Instructions for Applicants
To apply for a scholarship:
1. Fill out the online Application in its entirety and attest to its accuracy.
2. Email a scanned copy of your transcript in .pdf format to madison@nywea.org.
3. Obtain recent Letters of Recommendation from a total of two (2) different individuals (one must be from a science or math teacher/professor; the other(s) must be from someone not related to the applicant) and have them directly emailed to madison@nywea.org or directly mailed to NYWEA, 525 Plum Street, Suite 102, Syracuse, NY 13204. Letters must be postmarked by February 28, 2023.
4. Submit your completed online application no later than February 28, 2023 at 5 PM Eastern Time. Awards will be announced by June 30th.
5. Additional details are provided on the “Scholarship Policy & Procedure” page (refer to NYWEA website).
6. All applicants must be New York State residents.

The New York Water Environment Association will be offering scholarships of $4,000 each in the general high school, student chapter, and children of member categories.

Scholarship - Children of NYWEA Members
$4,000 scholarships are available for children of NYWEA Members.

Eligibility Requirements:
- A parent or student who has been a member in good standing of the NYWEA for at least one year prior to application.
- The applicant must enroll as a full-time student in an environmentally related program that allows them to pursue a professional career in the environmental field.
- High school senior and must enroll at a college or university by September 2023, or a student in good standing at a college or university and will begin the Sophomore, Junior or Senior year by September 2023.

Scholarship - NYWEA Student Members
$4,000 scholarships are available for student members who attend a college or university with a NYWEA student chapter.

Eligibility Requirements:
- Must be an active student member of NYWEA.
- A student enrolled in a college or university that has a NYWEA student chapter.
- The applicant must be enrolled as a full-time student in an environmentally-related program that allows them to pursue a professional career in the environmental field.
- A student in good standing at a college or university and will begin the Sophomore, Junior or Senior year by September 2023.

Scholarship - High School Students Pursuing Environmental Studies
$4,000 scholarships are available for high school students who will be enrolled in an environmentally-related program in a four-year college.

Eligibility Requirements:
- High School Senior in good standing, who has applied to a college or university with the interest of pursuing an environmental career.
- Student winner must show proof of enrollment in the environmentally related program at the four-year college or university in September 2023 to receive a scholarship check.

Scholarships - NYWEA Chapters
Additional scholarships are available through NYWEA chapters. Visit the Chapter Pages for more details.