

The Next Move

Scholarship Yearbook 2026



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This yearbook reflects scholarship and awardee information as of August 1, 2026.



On The Cover

Scholarship recipients celebrated their accomplishments at a WooSox game in May.

Dear Friends —

This year, we celebrated the first awards from the Becker Scholarship Program, made possible through a generous gift from the former Becker College.

These scholarships represent some of the largest awards ever distributed through the Foundation and are already making a profound difference, helping students from Worcester and Leicester pursue higher education with significantly less financial burden and, in some cases, graduate debt free.

The launch of the Becker Scholarships reflects the continued growth of a program that is creating opportunities for students across our region. For the 2026-27 academic year, the Foundation made 488 scholarship awards, including \$1.47M in new awards and \$494K in existing renewal commitments.

This year's awards include:

- 145** new one-time scholarships
- 102** new renewable scholarships
- 241** renewing awards for students already in college

Students receiving new scholarships will attend colleges and universities across the country, including 44 studying in Worcester County and another 82 staying in Massachusetts.

Even with scholarships in place, unexpected expenses can create significant obstacles for students working to stay on track in college.

In honor of the Foundation's 50th anniversary, we are launching a new Emergency Fund for our scholarship recipients later this year. This fund will provide assistance for unforeseen financial challenges, helping students address urgent needs and continue pursuing their educational goals.

As you will see throughout this yearbook, this year's students represent determination, perseverance and promise. Their goals are as varied as their backgrounds, but they share a commitment to building brighter futures for themselves, their families and their communities.

We hope you'll enjoy learning about their journeys and join us in celebrating all they have accomplished.



Pete Dunn

President & CEO
Greater Worcester
Community Foundation

2026 by the Numbers

A snapshot of the scholarship awards made for the 2026-27 school year. College data and student geography reflect new awards only.

\$ **1.47M**

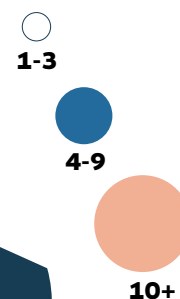
New Scholarships Awarded

\$ **494K**

Scholarship Renewals

Awards by Region

Our scholarships will support students from 66 towns and cities in Worcester County and beyond.



\$ **2K**

Average one-time award

488

Awards
Made in 2026

145

One-time awards
totaling **\$288.6K**

102

Renewable awards*
of **\$296.6K** paid this
year with a remaining
commitment of **\$889.8K**

241

Existing renewal
commitments of
\$494K paid this year

\$ **12K**

Average four-year renewable award

*Renewable scholarships are contingent on requirements identified by the fundholder (e.g. the student's continued full-time enrollment in the college).

Top College Majors



Biology
Nursing
Engineering
Psychology
Business

Top 5 Schools



22 UMass Amherst

15 Worcester State

12 UMass Lowell

8 Assumption

7 WPI

126

In state



College
Geography

76

Out of state

44

In Worcester
County

New Scholarships

The following scholarship funds are awarding new scholarships to the students listed below. Those in **blue** are one-time awards, and those in **green** are renewable scholarships, with this year’s award and the total award listed.

Admiral & Mrs. Louis E. Denfeld Scholarship

Karen Samuel, Westborough
Boston University, International Relations
\$1,000 | Total award: \$4,000

Adolfo Arrastia Beacon of Light Scholarship

Arianna Kamau, Worcester
UMass Lowell, Nursing
\$500

Alexander G. Simonatis Scholarship

Jackson Eisl, Princeton
UMass Lowell, Mathematics
\$4,500 | Total award: \$18,000

Andrew Sala Memorial Scholarship

Brody Columb, Mendon
UMass Lowell, Mechanical Engineering
\$1,300

Julia Ferrandino, Upton
\$1,300

Anita A. and Nathaniel A. Feingold Scholarship

Collin Lindley, Oakham
Merrimack College, Mechanical Engineering
\$600

Anne Carey Murphy Memorial Scholarship

Caden Fitzgibbons, North Brookfield
Suffolk University, English
\$2,130

Anthony E. Mickunas Memorial Scholarship

Abigail Curran, Norwood
Clemson University, Health Science
\$1,000

Nadine Owusu Ansah, Worcester
UMass Lowell, Nursing
\$1,000 | Total award: \$2,000

Arno and Roberta E. Wagner Scholarship

Faith Najem, Douglas
Providence College, Marketing
\$3,625 | Total award: \$14,500

Neo Telles, Douglas
Worcester State University, Nursing
\$2,625 | Total award: \$10,500

Arthur J. Remillard Jr. Scholarship

Kayla Djomo, Worcester
Howard University, Mechanical Engineering
\$1,000 | Total award: \$4,000

Auburn Women’s Club Scholarship

Emily Jajliardo, Auburn
Assumption University, Psychology
\$2,500

Becker Scholarship

Gloria Adumatta, Worcester
Worcester State University, Biotechnology
\$15,000 | Total award: \$60,000

Ana Ferreira Andrade, Worcester
Worcester State University, Nursing
\$9,500 | Total award: \$38,000

Aedan Gonzalez, Worcester
Assumption University, Health Science
\$17,000 | Total award: \$68,000

Juan Gonzalez Mora, Worcester
Worcester Polytechnic Institute, Civil Engineering
\$10,500 | Total award: \$42,000

Natalia Kallio, Leicester
Northeastern University, Pharmaceutical Sciences
\$5,000 | Total award: \$20,000

Diana Le, Worcester
College of the Holy Cross, Neuroscience (Pre-Med)
\$1,000 | Total award: \$4,000

Crislary Martinez, Leicester
Emmanuel College, Nursing
\$20,000 | Total award: \$80,000

Victor Martinez, Worcester
Worcester State University, Nursing
\$1,000 | Total award: \$2,000

Michael Sobolewski, Worcester
Worcester Polytechnic Institute, Mechanical Engineering
\$26,000 | Total award: \$104,000

Belmont Street Community School Scholarship

Kimora Kuffour, Worcester
Lehigh University, Health, Medicine & Society
\$3,000

Ben P. Masterman Scholarship

Diego Castro, Worcester
Worcester Polytechnic Institute, Robotics Engineering
\$2,200

Bozenhard Scholarship

Oluwaseun Alade Jr., Worcester
Westfield State University, Computer Science
\$1,600



Esmeralda Velez

Bradford J. Kemp Scholarship

From an early age, Esmeralda knew she wanted to study law. Deeply rooted in her faith, Esmeralda wants to advocate for those whose voices go unheard, pursuing justice with compassion.

A resident of Webster, Esmeralda has actively served her community for years through church leadership, athletics, and volunteer work. Now, she is headed to Liberty University in Virginia to study Political Science, beginning her path to achieving her dreams of becoming a lawyer and, ultimately, a judge.

Brianna Roldan, Fitchburg
Massachusetts College of Pharmacy & Health Sciences, Nursing
\$1,600

Bradford J. Kemp Scholarship

Esmeralda Velez, Webster
Liberty University, Government
\$1,600 | Total award: \$6,400

Bruce S. Bennett Fund for Community Journalism Scholarship

Jugeiry Perez, Worcester
Westfield State University, Communications
\$1,500

C. Carvill Moore Memorial Scholarship

Eryn Berkstresser, Spencer
Worcester State University, Early Childhood Education
\$5,000 | Total award: \$20,000

Rhaegan Perry, Cherry Valley
Bridgewater State University, Elementary Education & Childhood Studies
\$5,000 | Total award: \$20,000

Carrick Foundation Scholarship

Adriana Acosta, Douglas
Boston University, Mechanical Engineering
\$5,000 | Total award: \$20,000

Catherine Burgholzer Memorial Scholarship

Anonymous, Worcester
Boston College
\$1,000

Charles & Louise Hugo Community Service Award

Mariana Munzert, Rutland
Boston University, Political Science
\$2,000

Claudia Simonian Scholarship

Kyle Kolofsky, Sutton
Providence College, Finance
\$2,000

Jack Rosenfield, Sutton
University of Connecticut, Civil Engineering
\$2,000

Cynthia and Harrison Taylor Scholarship

Nicole Bell-Pena, Worcester
Assumption University, Social Work
\$1,500 | Total award: \$6,000



“As someone who has navigated significant challenges, the opportunity to pursue my education is not something I take for granted. Your support has helped ease the financial burden of returning to school ... [and affirms] that my journey, my voice, and my work in the world matter.”

— Nicole Bell-Pena

Daniel Ha Memorial Scholarship

Isha Adan, Worcester
University of Michigan, Aerospace Engineering
\$1,300

Daniel Stephen Lussier Athletic Scholarship

Sean Lewinsky, Mendon
Westfield State University, Movement Science
\$900



Assumption University Matching Scholarships

Through a partnership between the Foundation and Assumption University, the following students will receive a matching scholarship from the University, in addition to the scholarships they are receiving from our funds.

Nicole Bell-Pena, Social Work
\$6,000 from the *Cynthia and Harrison Taylor Scholarship*

Total award with match: **\$12,000**

Vanessa Biddy, Biology
\$32,550 from the *Grace S. Hampel Becker Scholarship*
Total award with match: **\$52,550**

Joseph Boyd, Psychology
\$450 from the *Dennis Elroy Barry Memorial Scholarship*
Total award with match: **\$900**

Aedan Gonzalez, Health Sciences
\$68,000 from the *Becker Scholarship*
Total award with match: **\$88,000**

Emily Jajliardo, Psychology
\$2,500 from the *Auburn Women's Club Scholarship*
Total award with match: **\$5,000**

Mackenzie Lamb, Social Work (pictured above)
\$1,100 from the *Doris Salzer Memorial Scholarship*
Total award with match: **\$2,200**

Samantha Roberge, Accounting & Law
\$10,000 from the *December 3rd Scholarship*
Total award with match: **\$20,000**

Thien Tam Phan, Education
\$8,000 from the *Mary T. Cocaine Scholarship* and **\$8,100** from the *Richard W. Pierce Scholarship*
Total award with match: **\$32,200**

Debbie Ann Johnson Memorial Scholarship

Annalisa Sears, Worcester
\$1,550

December 3rd Scholarship

Brandon Escobar, Rochdale
Worcester Polytechnic Institute, Aerospace Engineering
\$3,500 | Total award: \$14,000

Brayden McNair, Webster
Roger Williams University, Business
\$2,500 | Total award: \$10,000

Samantha Roberge, Worcester
Assumption University, Accounting & Law
\$2,500 | Total award: \$10,000

Megan Roche, Worcester
University of South Carolina, Undecided
\$2,500 | Total award: \$10,000

Dennis Elroy Barry Memorial Scholarship

Joseph Boyd, Worcester
Assumption University, Psychology
\$450

Derek Gaudette Memorial Scholarship

Geoffrey Gardiner, Spencer
\$1,000

Lauren Tutlis, Spencer
Bentley College, Business
\$1,000

Doris Salzer Memorial Scholarship

Mackenzie Lamb, Clinton
Assumption University, Social Work
\$1,100

Dr. Paul and Gail Lock Memorial Scholarship

Christopher Pinkowski, Spencer
Syracuse University, Biology
\$1,600

East Brookfield Scholarship

Lillian Egan, East Brookfield
Pennsylvania State University, Meteorology
\$1,540 | Total award: \$6,160

Edward Carien Scholarship

Kleri Morcka, Worcester
Boston College, Finance
\$750

Elm Park Community School Scholarship

Bryce Medina, Worcester
Rochester Institute of Technology, Engineering
\$2,000

Emil Haddad Jazz Scholarship

AJ Lasorsa, Westminster
University of Hartford, Jazz Performance
\$1,050



“Jazz music has been a huge part of my life for the past 9 years, and this scholarship will help that continue throughout the rest of my life.”

— AJ Lasorsa

Erin Coonan Schmidt Scholarship for Health & Wellness

Marcus Dascelin, Worcester
UMass Lowell, Nursing
\$1,850

Expository Writing Scholarship Honoring Marjorie Frye

John Gahagan, Leicester
Duke University, Biology
\$1,000

Emily Hunt, Rochdale
Stonehill College, Environmental Sciences
\$1,000

Fairlawn Foundation Scholarship

Zachary Turcotte, Uxbridge
UMass Lowell, Exercise Science
\$2,500 | Total award: \$10,000



“Physical therapy not only played a major role in my personal life but changed my confidence and well-being. I look forward to my future and want to be able to help and encourage others with similar challenges.”

— Zachary Turcotte

Fannie E. Forbes Scholarship

Gerald Qiu, Westborough
Northwestern University, Political Science
\$3,250 | Total award: \$13,000

Finnish American Social Club

Danica Carlberg, Leominster
Boston College, Nursing
\$1,357 | Total award: \$5,430

Isha Adan

Daniel Ha Memorial Scholarship Mary T. Cocaine Scholarship

Growing up in Worcester after her family emigrated from Somalia, Isha found her spark in the world of invention, inspired by childhood shows that celebrated creativity and science. Participating in programs like UMass Chan Medical School's Dynamic Futures Program and Worcester Polytechnic Institute's Women's Research and Mentorship Program, Isha developed the skills and education needed for her next chapter: studying Aerospace Engineering at the University of Michigan.





Nathan Lopez

Harold R. Jensen Memorial Scholarship
Joseph D. Early Scholarship

Growing up in Worcester, Nathan balanced rigorous academics, including 10 AP courses, with varsity athletics and leadership roles in the National Honor Society. His younger sister's heart condition led Nathan to pursue a future in medicine, volunteering at UMass Memorial to gain hands-on experience in the healthcare field. After watching his sister undergo heart surgeries, Nathan has decided to study Biology at Boston University, where he plans to pursue his dream of becoming a cardiologist and giving back to families like his own.

“This money has allowed me to fully commit to chasing the dreams I have obsessed over for years. This scholarship has allowed me to proudly remark that I am the first in my immediate family to attend university.”

— Nathan Lopez

Frances F. Mansfield Scholarship

William Lopes, Warren
Boston College, Biology
\$1,000

Francine “Doc” Smith Memorial Scholarship

Isabel McCaffrey, Grafton
Boston College, Biology
\$630

Fred and Leona Eppinger Scholarship

Paige Fritze, Spencer
UMass Amherst, Anthropology
\$1,500

Friends of Rutland Heights Hospital Scholarship

Neo Telles, Douglas
Worcester State University, Nursing
\$2,000

Grace S. Hampel Becker Scholarship

Vanessa Biddy, Adams
Assumption University, Biology
\$8,137 | Total award: \$32,550

Great Futures Start Here Fund of the Boys & Girls Club of Worcester Scholarship

Elizabeth Abeka-Bannerman, Worcester
UMass Amherst, Biology
\$1,350

Greg’s Grant Foundation Scholarship

Veronica Yuan Cao, Acton
Wellesley College, Psychology & Biology
\$2,000 | Total award: \$8,000

Grynsel Educational Scholarship

Kenzie Gage, Westborough
UMass Amherst, College of Natural Sciences
\$700

GWCF General Scholarship

Lisette De La Cruz, Worcester
Simmons University, Social Work
\$1,712 | Total award: \$6,850

Harold R. Jensen Memorial Scholarship

Vanessa Agyemang, Worcester
Salem State University, Nursing
\$1,750 | Total award: \$7,000

Divine Ahuura, Auburn
Worcester State University, Economics
\$1,750 | Total award: \$7,000

Nathan Lopez, Worcester
Boston University, Biology
\$3,000 | Total award: \$12,000

Peter Nguyen, Worcester
UMass Amherst, Biology
\$1,750 | Total award: \$7,000



Youth for Community Improvement Alumni

We are always proud to see alumni from our Youth for Community Improvement program head off to college! YCI is the Foundation's teen-led philanthropy program, where high school students learn firsthand how to evaluate community needs, review grant applications, make funding decisions and distribute resources to local nonprofits.

Through this experience, students develop valuable skills in leadership, collaboration, communication and critical thinking, all of which help prepare them for success in college and beyond.

The following YCI alumni received scholarships this year:

Audrey Akoto from Doherty Memorial High School received a *Sumner B. Tilton Memorial Scholarship*.

Nicole Christian from Shepherd Hill Regional High School received a *Nancy Vajcovec Memorial Scholarship*.

Kayla Djomo (pictured above) from Doherty Memorial High School received the *Joseph F. and Claire L. Halvey, Arthur J. Remillard Jr., and Sumner B. Tilton Memorial* scholarships.

Gerald Qiu from Westborough High School received a *Fannie E. Forbes Scholarship*.

Karen Samuel from Westborough High School recieved an *Admiral & Mrs. Louis E. Denfeld Scholarship*.

Stacey Twum-Barimah (pictured above) from Abby Kelley Foster Charter Public School received a *William J. Short Scholarship*.



Jorgea Nico, Worcester
Franklin W. Olin College of Engineering, Mechanical Engineering
\$1,750 | Total award: \$7,000

Natalia Okala, Worcester
UMass Amherst, Undecided
\$3,000 | Total award: \$12,000

Paola Renxa, Worcester
Northeastern University, Bioengineering & Behavioral Neuroscience
\$1,750 | Total award: \$7,000

Dylan Shepard, Worcester
Worcester Polytechnic Institute, Robotics Engineering
\$1,750 | Total award: \$7,000

Carol Somersall Feliz, Worcester
Boston College, Finance
\$1,750 | Total award: \$7,000

Hedin Family Memorial Scholarship
Stella Brady, Auburn
Wheaton College, Psychology
\$1,000

Helen and Chuck Arsenault Memorial Scholarship
Jacob Cosper, Leicester
University of Colorado, Engineering
\$1,000

Howard W. Dunbar Scholarship
Armig Bardizbanian, Worcester
UMass Amherst, Engineering
\$1,000 | Total award: \$4,000

Noushig Bardizbanian, Worcester
Northeastern University, Bioengineering
\$950 | Total award: \$3,800

Kennedy Fitzpatrick, Barre
UMass Dartmouth, Marketing
\$1,500 | Total award: \$6,000

John Gahagan, Leicester
Duke University, Biology
\$1,500 | Total award: \$6,000

Lila Myers, Holden
Northeastern University, Mechanical Engineering
\$1,000 | Total award: \$4,000

Ida and Murray Rotman Scholarship
Ariana Colon, Worcester
Clark University, Actuarial & Financial Mathematics
\$1,400 | Total award: \$5,600

Janet Fraser Scholarship
Evelyn Francis, Medway
Vassar College, History
\$3,000 | Total award: \$12,000

Jeffrey S. Edinberg Memorial Scholarship
Kayla Masoperh, Worcester
Fitchburg State University, Nursing
\$1,000

Jenica Lynn Junnila Memorial Scholarship
Abraham Auciello, Sutton
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Biochemistry & Biophysics
\$650

John and Fran Duke Scholarship
Adel Benchemam, Worcester
Cornell University, Electrical & Computer Engineering
\$1,000

John F. Freeland Memorial Scholarship
Emma Lounge, Sutton
University of California, Political Science
\$2,000

John N. Englestead Scholarship
Kalina Dyer, Barre
Clarkson University, Mechanical Engineering
\$1,350

Joseph D. Early Scholarship
Nathan Lopez, Worcester
Boston University, Biology
\$1,050

Joseph F. and Claire L. Halvey Scholarship
Kayla Djomo, Worcester
Howard University, Mechanical Engineering
\$900

Joyce Minnie Thompson Memorial Scholarship
Princess Sasu, Gardner
UMass Amherst, Biology
\$1,200

Kathleen Terry Memorial Scholarship
Alison Regan, Brookfield
University of Vermont, Environmental Engineering
\$850

Kelly A. Davis Memorial Scholarship
Isabel McCaffrey, Grafton
Boston College
\$500

Ken and Pat Jones Scholarship
Desmond McShea, Holden
Columbia University, Medical Humanities
\$2,500

Velan Patel, Leominster
UMass Amherst, Biology
\$2,500

L.W.V.O Memorial Scholarship
Katherine Simmons, Holden
UMass Amherst, Biochemistry & Molecular Biology
\$2,000 | Total award: \$8,000

Laurie C. Tinsley Scholarship
Princess Sasu, Gardner
UMass Amherst, Biology
\$1,000 | Total award: \$4,000

Lawrence M. and Augusta L. Keeler Scholarship
Zayan Sharif, Whitinsville
Tufts University, Biomedical Engineering
\$1,500 | Total award: \$6,000



“What makes this scholarship so meaningful is that it feels like someone is giving me a real chance. It reminds me that people in my community believe in students and want to help us move forward. I do not take that lightly.”

— Zayan Sharif

Leicester High School Football Alumni Scholarship
Tomas Acero, Leicester
Quinsigamond Community College, Biology
\$1,000

Evelyn Francis

Janet Fraser Scholarship

Evelyn has always been driven by curiosity and compassion. From her early days volunteering at the Medway Village Food Pantry to leading her school’s Women in STEM club, Evelyn has never shied away from a challenge. Inspired by her experiences interning at UMass Memorial Hospital and her fascination with the stories of humanity’s past, she is determined to bridge the worlds of history and healthcare.

This fall, Evelyn will pursue a major in History with a pre-medical focus at Vassar College, with the goal of becoming a doctor who not only heals but also advocates for those whose voices are too often overlooked.





Becker Scholarship Fund

The **\$10 million** Becker Scholarship Fund at Greater Worcester Community Foundation honors the legacy of the former Becker College, prioritizing students from Worcester and Leicester, where the college maintained campuses.

Additional criteria identified by former Becker College trustees include a preference for students attending college in Worcester County, students who are the first in their families to attend college, and students who have demonstrated resilience in the face of adversity or hardship.

This year's recipients are:

Gloria Adumatta (pictured above), who will attend Worcester State University with a total award of **\$60,000**.

Ana Ferreira Andrade, who will attend Worcester State University with a total award of **\$38,000**.

Aedan Gonzalez (pictured above), who will study at Assumption University with a total award of **\$68,000**.

Juan Gonzalez Mora (pictured above), who will attend Worcester Polytechnic Institute with a total award of **\$42,000**.

Natalia Kallio (pictured above), who will attend Northeastern University with a total award of **\$20,000**.

Diana Le (pictured above), who will attend the College of the Holy Cross with a total award of **\$4,000**.

Crislary Martinez (pictured above), who will attend Emmanuel College with a total award of **\$80,000**.

Victor Martinez, who is currently attending Worcester State University with a total award of **\$2,000**.

Michael Sobolewski, who will attend Worcester Polytechnic Institute with a total award of **\$104,000**.

The range of awards reflects each student's financial need and is designed to help close the gap after financial aid from other sources. Scholarships may be used for tuition, room and board, books and other costs associated with college attendance. The size of the Becker Scholarship Fund enabled the Foundation to make some of the largest awards in its history.

“This scholarship is a lifeline. My journey to college has been shaped by the unwavering support of my mother, who raised me alone while working full time. She taught me that education is the most powerful tool for breaking cycles of hardship, and her sacrifices have inspired me to strive for excellence.”

— Aedan Gonzalez

Emma Moisan

Leonard F. Leamy Scholarship
Mary R. Fedeli Memorial Scholarship Fund

As the daughter of two teachers, Emma was encouraged to strive for academic excellence while maintaining a healthy balance with extracurricular passions. Her journey toward a career in education was shaped by both family and hands-on experience: during her sophomore and junior years, Emma served as a Classroom Learning Assistant, working closely with peers with severe disabilities in art and music classes. These experiences ignited a passion for teaching and inclusivity. Emma is pursuing a degree in Education at Bridgewater State University, driven by a desire to foster inclusive learning environments and to make a positive impact on future generations.



Leicester Samaritan Nursing Association Scholarship Fund

John Gahagan, Leicester
Duke University, Biology
\$1,350

Leicester Savings Bank Scholarship

Christopher Moffat Jr., Leicester
Worcester Polytechnic Institute, Civil Engineering
\$1,000 | Total award: \$4,000

Leonard F. Leamy Scholarship

Mia Casey, Hopedale
University of Connecticut, Statistics
\$1,900 | Total award: \$7,600

Tammy Do, Worcester
College of the Holy Cross, Mathematics
\$2,500 | Total award: \$10,000

Katherine Doolan, Southborough
Miami University, Mathematics & Statistics
\$2,500 | Total award: \$10,000

Emma Moisan, Sterling
Bridgewater State University, Mathematics & Secondary Education
\$1,500 | Total award: \$6,000

Leonard H. White Scholarship

Anthony Casillo III, Auburn
Nichols College, Sports Management
\$1,000

Kaelyn Donovan, Charlton
Marist College, Accounting
\$1,000

Adam Klosowski, Killingly CT
Wentworth Institute of Technology, Mechanical Engineering
\$1,000

Haley Larson, Needham
University of Notre Dame, Biological Sciences
\$1,000

Lily Malloy, Mendon
Framingham State University, Biology
\$1,000

Cayleigh Mayen, Dudley
Wheaton College, Mathematics
\$1,000

Cole Paradis, Southbridge
University of Northwestern Ohio, High Performance Motorsports Technology
\$1,000

Cassidy Semo, Dudley
University of Tampa, Marketing
\$1,000

Tristan Semo, Dudley
Stonehill College, Finance
\$1,000

Leonide J. Lemire VFW Post 6055 Scholarship

Arianna Belanger, Dudley
Colby-Sawyer College, Nursing
\$2,500

Alex Wilson, Sturbridge
UMass Amherst, Biomedical Engineering
\$2,500

Leroy Weiner Scholarship

Stephanie Bernzweig, Northborough
Sacred Heart University, Psychology & Occupational Therapy
\$1,250 | Total award: \$5,000



Lieutenant Colonel Irving A. and Colonel Marie C. Lepore Scholarship

Adam Rydlak, Charlton
University of Maine, Chemical Engineering
\$1,500 | Total award: \$6,000

Lieutenant James F. “Jay” Lyons III Memorial Scholarship

Rijana Melka, Worcester
Babson College, Business Administration
\$2,800 | Total award: \$11,200

Lincoln Village Scholarship

Adwoa Boakye-Agyemang, Worcester
College of the Holy Cross, Neuroscience
\$2,000 | Total award: \$8,000

Love Your Neighbor Award

Kawther Naji, Worcester
Wesleyan University, Undecided
\$500

Paola Renxa, Worcester

Northeastern University, Bioengineering and Behavioral Neuroscience
\$500

Lunenburg Opportunity Fund Scholarship

Chloe Koziol, Lunenburg
University of New England, Animal Behavior
\$2,500 | Total award: \$10,000

Magee Family Education Scholarship

Paige Fritze, Spencer
UMass Amherst, Anthropology
\$2,875 | Total award: \$11,500

Margaret G. Wolcott Scholarship

Felix Gregory, Shrewsbury
University of Rhode Island, Marine Biology
\$1,550 | Total award: \$6,200

Rita Jarkasy, Shrewsbury

Providence College, Finance
\$1,550 | Total award: \$6,200

Mark MacPherson Lightbown Memorial Scholarship

Loralei Drapeau, Northbridge
Quinnipiac University, Occupational Therapy
\$1,000 | Total award: \$4,000

Mark W. Tripp Scholarship

Isabel McCaffrey, Grafton
Boston College, Biology
\$500

Marty Hastings Memorial Scholarship

Gloria Adumatta, Worcester
Worcester State University, Biotechnology
\$1,400

Mary and John Buckley Memorial Education Scholarship

Samuel Ofori-Mensah Jr., Worcester
UMass Lowell, Undecided
\$2,000 | Total award: \$8,000

Mary Ann Binkoski Scholarship

Skyleen Solano, Worcester
Clark University, History & Community Youth Education Studies
\$770

Mary Connolly Memorial Scholarship

Luca Briggs, Sutton
UMass Lowell, Mechanical Engineering
\$3,900

Sarah Mendoza, Sutton

Saint Anselm College, Biology
\$3,900

Mary Olive Wood Scholarship

Rachel Arndt, Oxford
Worcester State University, Early Childhood Education
\$2,500 | Total award: \$10,000

Delaney Burke, Oxford

Worcester State University, Early Education & Speech Pathology
\$2,500 | Total award: \$10,000

Veronica Griffin, Oxford

Worcester State University, Nursing
\$2,500 | Total award: \$10,000

Rosy Krantz, Oxford

Suffolk University, Political Science
\$2,500 | Total award: \$10,000

Mary R. Fedeli Memorial Scholarship

Emma Moisan, Sterling
Bridgewater State University, Education
\$1,000 | Total award: \$4,000

Mary T. Cocaine Scholarship

Isha Adan, Worcester
University of Michigan, Aerospace Engineering
\$1,800 | Total award: \$7,200

Joel Chuku, Worcester

UMass Amherst, Operations Information Management
\$4,500 | Total award: \$18,000

Magdalene Essien, Worcester

College of the Holy Cross, Business
\$4,000 | Total award: \$16,000

Zoe Morales, Leicester

UMass Dartmouth, Illustration
\$4,500 | Total award: \$18,000

Yvonne Roberts, Worcester

North Carolina Agricultural & Technical State University, Biological Engineering
\$2,500 | Total award: \$10,000

Thien Tam Phan, Worcester

Assumption University, Education
\$2,000 | Total award: \$8,000

Alyssa Zhang, Shrewsbury

UMass Amherst
\$4,000 | Total award: \$16,000

Maureen Henrickson Memorial Scholarship

Julia Hemingway, Sutton
UMass Amherst, Neuroscience & Spanish
\$500

Max H. and Eloise A. Kuhner Scholarship

Elizabeth Matheson, Hubbardston
Northeastern University, Health Science
\$1,305 | Total award: \$5,220

Melanie Davidian Memorial Scholarship

Amnong Mairo, Worcester
\$1,275 | Total award: \$5,100

Michael Minty Memorial Scholarship

Joseph Daige, North Brookfield
Worcester Polytechnic Institute, Mechanical Engineering
\$800

Elizabeth Abeka-Bannerman

**Sarah Daniels Pettit and William O. Pettit Scholarship
Wallace D. and Dorothy M. Andrews Scholarship
Great Futures Start Here Fund of the Boys & Girls Club
of Worcester Scholarship**

Elizabeth began running track and playing volleyball in high school, quickly rising to become varsity team captain and earning recognition for her leadership and game-winning performances. When a sports injury and family loss forced her to balance physical therapy, rigorous AP courses, and caring for her younger siblings while her parents were away, Elizabeth faced overwhelming adversity. Refusing to give up, she leaned on her community, sought academic support, and became even more involved in service and leadership. Elizabeth now aspires to become a medical doctor, committed to addressing health disparities and bringing compassionate care to underserved communities.



Middlesex Savings Charitable Foundation Scholarship

This fund was established in 2005 to provide scholarships to graduating seniors from each of the high schools in Middlesex Savings Bank's 18 branch towns.

A. James Lavoie Scholarship

Benjamin Stewart
St. Michaels College, Global Languages
\$5,000

Connor R. Neshe Memorial Scholarship

Brooke Richards
Florida Atlantic University, Exercise Science
\$5,000

The following students will receive a \$1,000 scholarship from the Middlesex Savings Bank Charitable Foundation:

- Francesca Aquilino, UMass Amherst, Health Science
Sydney Bond, UMass Amherst, English
Aliyah Chajon Navas
Zachary Couto, Worcester State University, Math
Jennifer DeMoura, Brandeis University, Biochemistry
Kayleigh Donahue
William Eaton, Merrimack College, Marketing
Allison Espina Pineda
Julia Ferreira, Worcester State University, Nursing
Daniel Fonck, UMass Lowell, Criminal Justice
Ethan Gaudet, Sacred Heart University, Business
Christina Georgakis, Vanderbilt University, Undecided
Morgan Goyer, UMass Dartmouth, Medical Lab Science
Rufat Hasanov, UMass Amherst, Biology
Jacob Heckman, Bentley University, Finance
Khoa Huynh, UMass Amherst, Computer Science
Karelle Lomami, University of Michigan, Biology
Taylor Maurer, Wheaton College, Pre-Vet
Sofia Martins, Florida International University, Accounting
Frantzchise Michel, Middlesex Community College, Nursing
Charlotte Moriarty
Sarah Nemiri, UMass Amherst, Biology
Daniel Oliveria, UMass Amherst, Exploratory Track
Colin Orton, Massachusetts College of Pharmacy & Health Sciences, Molecular Biology
Leticia Pacheco, Massachusetts College of Pharmacy & Health Sciences, Pre-Med
Pedro Paiva, UMass Boston, Sports Leadership
Sophie Palmer, Syracuse University, Information Management & Technology/Marketing
Vicktoria Popvich, UMass Amherst, Marketing
James Robertson, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Engineering
Brook Russell, Roger Williams University, Architecture
Ella Snyder, Colby College, Pre-Med
Grace Todd, St. Michaels College, Psychology/Business Administration
Adrianna Trubiano, Merrimack College, Health Sciences
Annabella Wiggins, Merrimack College, Business Communications
Isaiah Zuo, Quinsigamond Community College, Engineering

Benjamin Gniadek, Worcester
Nichols College, Business
\$800

Nancy Vajcovec Memorial Scholarship

Nicole Christian, Charlton
Wheaton College, Biochemistry
\$5,000

Nichols Academy Marilyn T. and Gerald Fels Scholarship

Ava Hanson, Webster
Massachusetts College of Pharmacy & Health Sciences, Pre-Physician Assistant
\$4,500

Tyler Heath, Webster
Worcester State University, Business
\$4,500

Riley Lepage, Dudley
Bentley University, Economics & Finance
\$4,500

Alexa Zannotti, Dudley
Endicott College, Psychology
\$4,500

Patricia A. and Robert M. Bourke Memorial Scholarship

Piper Browning, Auburn
Westfield State University, Elementary Education
\$2,000

Danielle Treadwell, Auburn
Endicott College, Exercise Science
\$2,000

Patricia Proko Morris Memorial Scholarship

MiaRose Mastro, Holden
Quinnipiac University, Nursing
\$1,300 | Total award: \$5,200

Paul E. Tarkiainen Art Award

Anna Mitchell, Worcester
Smith College, Studio Art & Environmental Science
\$1,750

Paul J. Westberg Memorial Scholarship

Jemar Cummings, Worcester
Worcester State University, Sociology & Neuroscience
\$370

Paul M. Gervais Memorial Music Scholarship

Julia Merriam, Worcester
Nichols College, Psychology
\$1,000

Project Aspire Scholarship

Nadine Owusu Ansah, Worcester
UMass Lowell, Nursing
\$800

Tatum J. Davenport Memorial Scholarship



Tatum J. Davenport

After losing their 13-month-old daughter, Tatum, in December 2024, her parents set out to create a lasting legacy in her honor. They established the Tatum J. Davenport Memorial Scholarship to support students with physical disabilities who, like Tatum, demonstrate exceptional promise and determination. Inspired by her life, the family has transformed grief into purpose, raising more than \$50,000 through community events including garden tours, benefit dinners, craft nights and charity fundraisers, with plans to continue growing the fund.

Ayden Blanchette

The fund's first scholarship goes to Ayden Blanchette, a student whose resilience reflects the spirit of the fund. Born prematurely and diagnosed with a form of cerebral palsy, Ayden has overcome surgeries, years of physical therapy and countless challenges with remarkable perseverance. A passionate reader who dreams of becoming a book editor, she has combined academic achievement with unwavering determination and is headed to Roger Williams University to pursue her goals.



Rev. Richard & Shirley Wright Emmanuel Baptist Church Scholarship

Daniel Parke, Worcester
Jackston State University, Music Education
\$5,590

Richard and Jeanne Ahlquist Scholarship

Hanuram Manikandan, Grafton
Indiana University, Finance
\$500

Richard D. Norlin Scholarship

Allison DaSilva, Sutton
University of Connecticut, Exercise Science
\$1,900

Richard W. Pierce Scholarship

Jaiden Leone, Northborough
Maine College of Art and Design, Illustration
\$1,000 | Total award: \$4,000

Anna Mitchell, Worcester
Smith College, Studio Art
\$1,000 | Total award: \$4,000

Zoe Morales, Leicester
UMass Dartmouth
\$2,025 | Total award: \$8,100

Ethan Novelli, Hopedale
Savannah College of Art & Design, 3D Character Animation
\$1,500 | Total award: \$6,000

Thien Tam Phan, Worcester
Assumption University, Education
\$2,025 | Total award: \$8,100

Robert P. Currie Scholarship

Blue Tang, Southborough
UMass Amherst, Finance
\$1,800

Robert P. Goulet Memorial Scholarship

Cameron Clisham, Berlin
Bentley University, Finance
\$500

Robert T. Salem Educational Scholarship

Jemima Noel, North Brookfield
UMass Amherst
\$1,150 | Total award: \$4,600

Robert Thomson Scholarship

Lilah Nydam, Chatham, New Jersey
Washington University, Biochemistry
\$1,700 | Total award: \$6,800

Santo J. and Ellen M. DiDonato Memorial Scholarship

Hayley Phommala, Dudley
Providence College, Political Science
\$1,000 | Total award: \$4,000



In Memoriam: Sumner B. Tilton Jr. (1938-2026)

Sumner B. “Tony” Tilton Jr., one of Greater Worcester Community Foundation’s founders, former board president and civic leader, leaves an enduring legacy through the Sumner B. Tilton Memorial Scholarship Fund. In 1985, Tony and his sister established the fund in memory of their father and his belief in the power of higher education. Long recognized as one of the Foundation’s largest scholarship funds, it supports students attending outstanding colleges and law schools through meaningful renewable awards. As we remember Tony’s remarkable contributions to Greater Worcester Community Foundation and the Worcester community, this scholarship remains a tribute to his family’s vision, generosity and commitment to helping students pursue their educational aspirations.

Luigi Villegas Jr., Webster
Worcester State University, Business
\$1,000 | Total award: \$4,000

Sarah Daniels Pettit and William O. Pettit Scholarship

Elizabeth Abeka-Bannerman, Worcester
UMass Amherst, Biology
\$2,000 | Total award: \$8,000

Gianna Amaro Gentile, Worcester
UMass Lowell, Psychology
\$2,000 | Total award: \$8,000

Wilmer Gonon Chavez, Worcester
UMass Amherst, Marketing
\$1,375 | Total award: \$5,500

Thinh Luu Jr., Worcester
Clark University, Biology
\$1,375 | Total award: \$5,500

Stephen G. and Jacqueline A. Economos Scholar Athlete Scholarship

Gianna Manca, Templeton
Springfield College, Physical Therapy
\$1,000

Summers Family Education Scholarship

Jacob MacDonald, Mendon
University of Miami, Mechanical Engineering
\$700

Sumner B. Tilton Memorial Scholarship

Audrey Akoto, Worcester
Columbia University, Biology
\$3,500 | Total award: \$14,000

Kayla Djomo, Worcester
Howard University, Mechanical Engineering
\$4,000 | Total award: \$16,000

Molly Grandazzo, Auburn
Wheaton College, Psychology
\$4,000 | Total award: \$16,000

Isabel McCaffrey, Grafton
Boston College, Biology
\$2,000 | Total award: \$8,000

Caleigh Moriarty, Worcester
Bucknell University, Undecided
\$3,500 | Total award: \$14,000

Helen Taylor, Worcester
Wesleyan University, Government & Political Theory
\$2,000 | Total award: \$8,000

Swedish National Federation Scholarship

Avonlea Radue, Fitchburg
Wesleyan University, Psychology
\$1,450

Tahanto Regional High School Scholarship

Kiera Humphrey, Boylston
Villanova University, Nursing
\$1,550

Elizabeth Shoucair, Berlin
Worcester State University, English
\$1,550

Tatum J. Davenport Memorial Scholarship

Ayden Blanchette, Worcester
Roger Williams University, English Literature
\$1,700

Vaughn Kaprelian Memorial Scholarship

Alexis Guadiz, Westborough
Boston College, Physiology & Neurobiology
\$2,000 | Total award: \$8,000

Rediet Habtamu Abayneh

Worcester Woman’s Club Scholarship

Growing up in an immigrant household, Rediet navigated language barriers and unfamiliar systems, often serving as her family’s advocate. Inspired by her parents’ sacrifices and her own experiences with the legal system, Rediet became a leader in her school’s Model UN, founded the Student of Color Union, and interned at the District Attorney’s Office and U.S. District Court. Determined to bridge gaps in access and representation, Rediet will study Political Science at Columbia University, where she aims to become a lawyer who empowers immigrant families and uplifts marginalized voices.



Aidan Lawyer, Westborough
UMass Amherst, Music Education
\$2,000 | Total award: \$8,000

Walker Family Scholarship

Gianna Manca, Templeton
Springfield College, Physical Therapy
\$5,000

Wallace D. and Dorothy M. Andrews Scholarship

Elizabeth Abeka-Bannerman, Worcester
UMass Amherst, Biology
\$1,000

Oluwalayomi Akintan, Rutland
UMass Lowell, Pre-Med
\$1,000

Taylor Driver, Grafton
University of Rhode Island, Neuroscience
\$1,000

Israel Nyarko, Worcester
Clark University, Computer Science
\$1,000

Webster Square Business Association Scholarship

Kawther Naji, Worcester
Wesleyan University, Undecided
\$850

William J. Short Scholarship

Caleb Smith, Northbridge
Bryant University, Political Science
\$1,000

Stacey Twum-Barimah, Worcester
Northeastern University, Political Science
\$1,000

William P. and Carolyn C. Cannon Scholarship

Jenny Johnson, Millbury
Westfield State University, Criminal Justice
\$5,000 | Total award: \$20,000

Women in Development Community Service Award

Kawther Naji, Worcester
Wesleyan University, Undecided
\$1,000

Worcester Latino Coalition Scholarship

Briana Marte, Worcester
UMass Lowell, Nursing
\$1,200

Worcester Swedish Charitable Association Scholarship

Brendan Sullivan, Worcester
Bridgewater State University, Secondary English Education
\$1,500

Zoe Tetrault, West Boylston
Johnson & Wales University, Food & Beverage
Entrepreneurship
\$1,500

Worcester Woman’s Club Scholarship

Rediet Abayneh, Worcester
Columbia University, Political Science
\$1,000 | Total award: \$4,000



High Schools

The following high schools in Worcester County and beyond had scholarship recipients this year. Schools with dedicated scholarship funds at the Foundation are marked in bold.

- Abby Kelley Foster Charter Public School (5)
- Acton-Boxborough Regional High School** (2)
- Algonquin Regional High School (5)
- Advanced Math & Science Academy (1)
- Ashland High School (1)
- Assabet Valley Regional Vocational H.S. (1)
- Auburn High School** (7)
- Bancroft School (1)
- Bartlett High School** (1)
- Bay Path R.V.T.H.S.** (4)
- Bedford High School (1)
- Bellingham High School (1)
- Blackstone Valley R.V.T.H.S.** (3)
- Burncoat High School** (13)
- Chatham High School (1)
- Claremont Academy (2)
- Clinton Senior High School (1)
- David Prouty High School** (5)
- Doherty Memorial High School** (17)
- Douglas High School** (3)
- Dover-Sherborn High School (1)
- Framingham High School** (2)
- Frances W. Parker Charter School (1)
- Franklin High School (1)
- Grafton Memorial High School** (7)
- Groton-Dunstable Regional High School (1)
- Holliston High School (1)
- Hoosac Valley High School** (1)
- Hopedale Jr/Sr High School (1)
- Hopkinton High School (1)
- Hudson High School (1)
- Joseph P. Keefe Technical High School (1)

- Killingly High School (1)
- Leicester High School** (15)
- Leominster High School (5)
- Lincoln-Sudbury High School (1)
- Littleton High School (1)
- Lunenburg High School (1)
- Marianapolis Prep School (3)
- Massachusetts Academy of Math & Science (1)
- Maynard High School (1)
- Medfield High School (1)
- Medway High School** (2)
- Millbury Memorial High School** (1)
- Millis High School (1)
- Minuteman Regional High School (1)
- Narraganset Regional High School** (2)
- Nashoba Valley Technical High School (1)
- Natick High School** (1)
- Needham High School (2)
- Nipmuc Regional High School** (3)
- Norfolk County Agriculture High School (1)
- North Brookfield High School** (1)
- North High School** (6)
- Northbridge High School** (2)
- Norwood High School** (1)
- Notre Dame Academy** (2)
- Oakmont Regional High School (1)
- Oxford High School** (4)
- Quabbin Regional High School (4)
- Shepherd Hill Regional High School** (9)
- Shrewsbury High School** (3)
- South High Community School** (20)
- South Lancaster Academy (1)

- St. John’s High School** (1)
- St. Paul Diocesan High School (2)
- Sutton Memorial High School** (8)
- Tahanto Regional High School** (3)
- Tantasqua Regional High School** (3)
- Tri-County R.V.H.S. (1)
- University Park Campus School (7)
- Uxbridge High School** (1)
- Wachusett Regional High School** (7)
- Walpole High School (1)
- Wayland High School (1)
- Wellesley High School (1)
- Westborough High School** (6)
- Westford Academy (1)
- Whitinsville Christian School (1)
- Worcester Technical High School** (2)

To learn more about our scholarship funds, visit our searchable Scholarship Directory at greaterworcester.org



Renewing Scholarships

The following scholarship funds are providing awards to students currently in college that received a renewable scholarship through the Foundation.

- Admiral & Mrs. Louis E. Denfeld Scholarship**
 - Ava Biancheri, Catholic University of America | **\$1,000**
 - Nikita Panwar, University of Connecticut | **\$1,000**
 - Kael Susanto, Bryant University | **\$1,000**

- Alexander G. Simonatis Scholarship**
 - Willem Eisl, UMass Lowell | **\$2,000**
 - Sophia Jordan, Berklee College of Music | **\$3,000**
 - Abigail Nass, UMass Lowell | **\$2,000**
 - Katherine Robinson, Dartmouth College | **\$1,500**

- Anita & Nathaniel A. Feingold Scholarship**
 - Paige Lindley, Merrimack College | **\$850**

- Anthony E. Mickunas Memorial Scholarship**
 - Funbi Fatoke, UMass Amherst | **\$1,000**

- Arno & Robert E. Wagner Scholarship**
 - Shaan Chaudhary, Worcester Polytechnic Institute | **\$3,000**
 - Essined Colon, Bridgewater State University | **\$5,000**
 - Matthew Dean, Wentworth Institute of Technology | **\$1,500**
 - Logan Englund, Bryant University | **\$1,500**
 - Delaney Martin, Carnegie Mellon University | **\$2,000**
 - Gillian McGee, University of New England | **\$3,000**
 - Cecelia White, Plymouth State University | **\$5,000**

- Arthur J. and Dorothy G. Smith Scholarship**
 - Tommy Nguyen, Bentley University | **\$1,000**

- Arthur J. Remillard, Jr. Scholarship**
 - Cobbi Okyere, Northeastern University | **\$1,000**
 - Nana Okyere, Boston University | **\$1,000**
 - Nancy Osei, Boston University | **\$1,000**

- Auburn Knights of Columbus Scholarship**
 - Sydney Mercadante, Wentworth Institute of Technology | **\$1,000**

- Bradford J. Kemp Scholarship**
 - Nyia Gonzalez, Lasell University | **\$1,500**
 - Peter Lavache III, Thomas University | **\$1,500**

- C. Carvill Moore Scholarship Fund**
 - Chloe Bouchard, Northeastern University | **\$5,000**
 - Kayla Bouchard, Endicott College | **\$5,000**
 - Hannah Collette, University of Hartford | **\$5,000**
 - Dylan Delage, UMass Boston | **\$5,000**
 - Tyler Herron, Northeastern University | **\$5,000**

- Carrick Foundation Scholarship**
 - Callie Jee, University of Tennessee | **\$2,500**
 - Caroline O’Brien, Brown University | **\$5,000**
 - Erin Picanso, Williams College | **\$5,000**

- Charlton PTO Fund**
 - Rachel Gormley, Western Carolina University | **\$1,000**
 - Maggie Mullaly, Nichols College | **\$1,000**

- Chris and Helena Liazos Scholarship for Saint Spyridon’s Families**
 - Eleni Coulouras, Northeastern University | **\$1,800**

- Chris and Helena Liazos Scholarship for South High Students**
 - Paola Kasole, Northeastern University | **\$1,800**

- Class of Tomorrow Scholarship**
 - Belal Alnajjar, Worcester Polytechnic Institute | **\$1,000**

- Constantine Mina and Vasiliky Strates Moschos Scholarship**
 - Zachariah LaFlash, Gordon College | **\$1,500**

- Cynthia & Harrison Taylor Scholarship**
 - Ian Plourde, UMass Lowell | **\$1,000**

- Deborah A. Kaufman Scholarship**
 - Yafatou Sanneh, Westfield State University | **\$1,000**

- December 3rd Scholarship**
 - Kayla Belsito, Dean College | **\$2,000**
 - Riley Bisnette, UMass Amherst | **\$3,000**
 - Haley Courtney, Assumption University | **\$2,500**
 - Cole Delage, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute | **\$2,500**
 - Dylan Delage, UMass Boston | **\$2,000**
 - Ryan Delage, Worcester Polytechnic Institute | **\$3,000**
 - Isabella Giaquinto, Assumption University | **\$2,000**
 - Michael Giarusso, UMass Amherst | **\$2,500**
 - Annalisa Hair, Endicott College | **\$3,000**
 - Tyler Judge, UMass Amherst | **\$2,000**
 - Jack McCaffrey, Worcester State University | **\$2,750**
 - Thomas Papagni, Saint Anselm College | **\$2,000**
 - Marissa Rossetti, Bryant University | **\$2,000**

- East Brookfield Scholarship**
 - Grace Haight, Boston College | **\$1,000**
 - Ayla Messier, UMass Amherst | **\$1,000**

- Fairlawn Foundation Scholarship**
 - Hamza Adam, Worcester State University | **\$2,500**
 - David Nortey, Western New England University | **\$2,500**
 - Alexanne Sumner, Northeastern University | **\$2,500**

- Fannie E. Forbes Scholarship**
 - Regan Sullivan, Villanova University | **\$3,250**

- Finnish American Social Club Scholarship**
 - Susan Barrows, Cornell University | **\$1,300**
 - Gabrielle Pierce, Hofstra University | **\$1,000**
 - Andrew Shultz, University of Florida | **\$1,000**

- Frances F. Mansfield Scholarship**
 - Alvin Tete-Djawu, Cornell University | **\$1,000**

- GWCF General Scholarship**
 - Michael DiTullio, Lafayette College | **\$1,000**
 - Eliana Rivera, Mount Wachusett Community College | **\$1,000**
 - Minh Vu, Massachusetts Institute of Technology | **\$1,000**

- George W. Hanson Memorial Scholarship**
 - Stephen Kett, Worcester Polytechnic Institute | **\$2,000**

Greg’s Grant Scholarship Fund

- Luke Kilfoyle, High Point University | \$2,000
- Donna Montenegro, Framingham State University | \$2,000
- Jenna O’Connell, University of New Hampshire | \$2,000
- Mitchell Poisson, Stonehill College | \$2,000

Harold R. Jensen Memorial Scholarship

- Naa Dromo Aryee, Boston College | \$1,500
- Emily Cleary-Poteet, Worcester Polytechnic Institute | \$3,500
- Kiera Derrell, University of Rhode Island | \$4,000
- Emmilyn Fini, Assumption University | \$3,000
- Ewan Grant, UMass Lowell | \$1,500
- Kielle Henchar, UMass Dartmouth | \$1,500
- Leah Jones, Clark University | \$3,500
- Dea Kamberi, Harvard University | \$4,000
- Roy Karanja, Worcester State University | \$3,000
- Cleevens Lindor, Quinsigamond Community College | \$2,000
- Bu Meh, Worcester State University | \$3,500
- Paul Ogunsemore Jr, Worcester Polytechnic Institute | \$1,500
- Malia Montalvo, Boston University | \$4,000
- Say Reh, UMass Amherst | \$3,000
- Isabella Rodriguez, Stonehill College | \$3,000
- Yanalissa Vazquez, Quinsigamond Community College | \$3,000
- Lleyton Yawson, Worcester State University | \$1,500

Howard W. Dunbar Scholarship

- Julian Auger, Westfield State University | \$1,875
- Avery Derr, Worcester State University | \$2,500
- Abbey Donahue, University of New Hampshire | \$1,250
- Jace Duval, Bryant University | \$1,250
- James Hess, University of Delaware | \$2,000
- Elizabeth Mahlert, Worcester State University | \$1,250
- Patrick Mahlert, Wentworth Institute of Technology | \$2,500
- Sofia McCarty, Worcester Polytechnic Institute | \$2,000

Ida and Murray Rotman Scholarship

- Julia Habib, UMass Amherst | \$1,000
- Hyun Joon John Kim, Boston University | \$1,300

Janet Fraser Scholarship

- Meray Khela, Worcester Polytechnic Institute | \$2,500
- Zhiwen Liu, Boston University | \$2,500
- Garrett O’Mara, Ohio State University | \$3,000

Joyce W. Thompson Memorial Scholarship

- Emily Bradley, Florida Atlantic University | \$1,000

Judge and Mrs. William Garbose Fund

- Sanai Lewis, Worcester State University | \$1,000

L.W.V.O. Memorial Scholarship

- Erin Dailida, Assumption University | \$2,000
- Nathan Karalus, University of Rhode Island | \$2,000
- Charles Simulis, Clemson University | \$2,000
- Mitchell Simulis, Clemson University | \$2,000

Laurie C. Tinsley Scholarship

- Marileisy Baez, Westfield State University | \$1,000
- Gizelle Campos, Worcester State University | \$1,000
- Mai See Thao, UMass Amherst | \$1,000

Lawrence M. and Augusta L. Keeler Scholarship

- Sophia Gu, Tufts University | \$1,500
- Mara Keane, Assumption University | \$1,500
- Kayda King, Mount Holyoke College | \$1,500

Leicester Savings Bank Scholarship

- Hannah Collette, University of Hartford | \$1,000
- Dylan Delage, UMass Boston | \$1,000
- Tyler Herron, Northeastern University | \$1,000

Leonard F. Leamy Scholarship

- Sadie Michelson, Connecticut College | \$1,500
- Madelyn Mulhall, Merrimack College | \$3,000
- Lauren Ober, Boston College | \$3,000
- Troy Spencer, University of Connecticut | \$2,000
- Keara Valencia-Gonzalez, Bentley University | \$1,000
- Daniel Twohig-Mann, UMass Amherst | \$2,000
- Cecilia Worden, Benedictine College | \$1,500
- Carolyn Zheng, Brown University | \$2,500

Lieutenant Colonel Irving A. & Colonel Marie C. Lepore Scholarship

- Riley Manchester, Purdue University | \$1,500
- Christian Ortiz-Torres, Worcester Polytechnic Institute | \$1,500
- Shan Tang, Duke University | \$1,500

Lieutenant James F. “Jay” Lyons III Memorial Scholarship

- Farzana Darwishi, Boston College | \$2,000
- Andrew Suyer, Worcester Polytechnic Institute | \$2,000

Lincoln Village Tenant Association Scholarship

- Trisha Fynn, Providence College | \$1,000

Loretta J. Belval Scholarship

- Skyla Jack, Bridgewater State University | \$1,300

Lunenberg Opportunity Fund Scholarship

- Julia Acampora, Rivier College | \$2,500
- Jared Prokowiew, Bard College | \$2,500

Magee Family Education Scholarship

- Febrounia Gaeid, UMass Amherst | \$2,500
- Ana Guaman, UMass Amherst | \$2,500

Margaret G. Wolcott Scholarship

- Giovana Bonatelli, Assumption University | \$1,000
- Ravila Freitas De Souza, Worcester State University | \$1,000
- Carly Heske, Wheaton College | \$1,125
- Daniel Hoover, University of Michigan | \$1,000
- Tanish Jain, University of Connecticut | \$1,125

Marilyn M. and Russell S. Fox Scholarship

- Yara Alomar, Worcester State University | \$2,000

Mark MacPherson Lightbown Memorial Scholarship

- Hannah Dierenzo, University of New England | \$1,000
- Olivia Frabotta, University of Rhode Island | \$1,500
- Juliette Lannon, Worcester State University | \$1,000

Mary Falby Logan and Francis Logan Jr. Scholarship

- Edith Abelson, Georgia Institute of Technology | \$1,000

Mary Olive Wood Scholarship

- Payton Banfill, University of New Haven | \$3,000
- Genevieve Bartlett, UMass Amherst | \$3,000
- Anthony Burke, Nichols College | \$3,250
- Carly Cornacchioli, Springfield College | \$3,000
- Daniel Kudron, UMass Dartmouth | \$3,000
- Annie Maynard, University of New Haven | \$3,250
- Aidan Van Arsdalen, Emmanuel College | \$3,250



Mary R. Fedeli Memorial Scholarship

- Jesse Ayres, UMass Dartmouth | \$1,000
- Annabelle Joyce, UMass Amherst | \$1,000
- Sabrina Simpson, University of Connecticut | \$1,000

Mary T. Cocaine Scholarship

- Jayhla Alberti-Sanchez, Suffolk University | \$5,000
- Kiet Anh Bui, UMass Lowell | \$5,000
- Michelle Fosu, University of Southern California | \$4,000
- Sweeta Ghimiray, UMass Amherst | \$5,000
- Anita Konneh, Worcester State University | \$3,500
- Neema Mwihia, UMass Amherst | \$5,000
- Anh Nguyen, Assumption University | \$3,500
- Kimberly Noguera, Middlebury College | \$4,000
- Kasie Vuong, Northeastern University | \$5,000

Max H. and Eloise A. Kuhner Scholarship

- Brandon Grenier, University of Connecticut | \$1,000
- Sadie Sheldon, Northeastern University | \$1,250
- Lindsey Soter, Assumption University | \$1,000

Melanie Davidian Memorial Scholarship

- Aseda Nkansah, UMass Amherst | \$1,200
- Arieyana Robinson, Fitchburg State University | \$1,000
- Mark Tran, Massachusetts College of Pharmacy and Health Science | \$1,000

Norma and Saul F. Feingold Scholarship

- Eneid Andoni, Worcester Polytechnic Institute | \$1,000

Patricia Proko Morris Memorial Scholarship

- Alison Chouinard, Endicott College | \$1,000

Jenna Coleman, Assumption University | \$1,250

Katherine Przypek, Worcester State University | \$1,000

Reginald Washburn Scholarship

Juliana Narh, Johnson & Wales University | \$1,300

Richard and Carol Dymek Scholarship

Ryan Luong, Wentworth Institute of Technology | \$900

Richard W. Pierce Scholarship

Isabella Bible, Massachusetts College of Art and Design | \$1,400

Phoebe Clowes, UMass Amherst | \$1,400

Alin Dola, Worcester State University | \$2,000

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