

# **Local Scholarship Check-Off List & Application Process**



## **Newington High School**

**NHS School Counseling Department  
605 Willard Avenue  
Newington, CT 06111**

APPLICATIONS ARE AVAILABLE ON THE NHS WEBSITE

or

CAN BE FOUND HERE on the [Scholarship Site](#)



**DIRECTIONS FOR FILLING OUT SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM:**

*Read the criteria noted in the scholarship booklet.*

**BE SURE YOU QUALIFY FOR THE SCHOLARSHIP YOU ARE APPLYING FOR.**

- ★ **For Scholarships #1-46** fill out the online application form, which will be uploaded for each [standard scholarship](#) you are applying for and will include:
  - **Resume** - you must paste/include your resume in the application where prompted.
  - **FAFSA Student aid report (SAR)** and/or email confirmation (see samples on next page of this booklet) needs to be uploaded for each scholarship  
\***Make sure your Student Aid Index (SAI) is listed.**  
(The SAI replaced the EFC (Expected Family Contribution))
  - **Please note that scholarship numbers 15, 26, and 44, require a different essay than the standard prompt.**
  - **Transcript:** Request a copy of your transcript using this Google [form](#) or scan the QR code below. Once you receive it, you will paste a screenshot of it into your application where prompted.



**\*\*IMPORTANT\*\***

- ★ *When you make a copy of the application file, make sure you rename the file using your **FIRST and LAST NAME**.*
- ★ *Make sure you and your parent digitally sign at the bottom of the application.*
- ★ *Before submitting make sure all documents are included.*
- ★ **If applying to scholarship A-H you will need to fill out the application specific to that scholarship and include your:**
  - **Resume**
  - **FAFSA SAR**
  - **Transcript**
    - **See above for more details.**

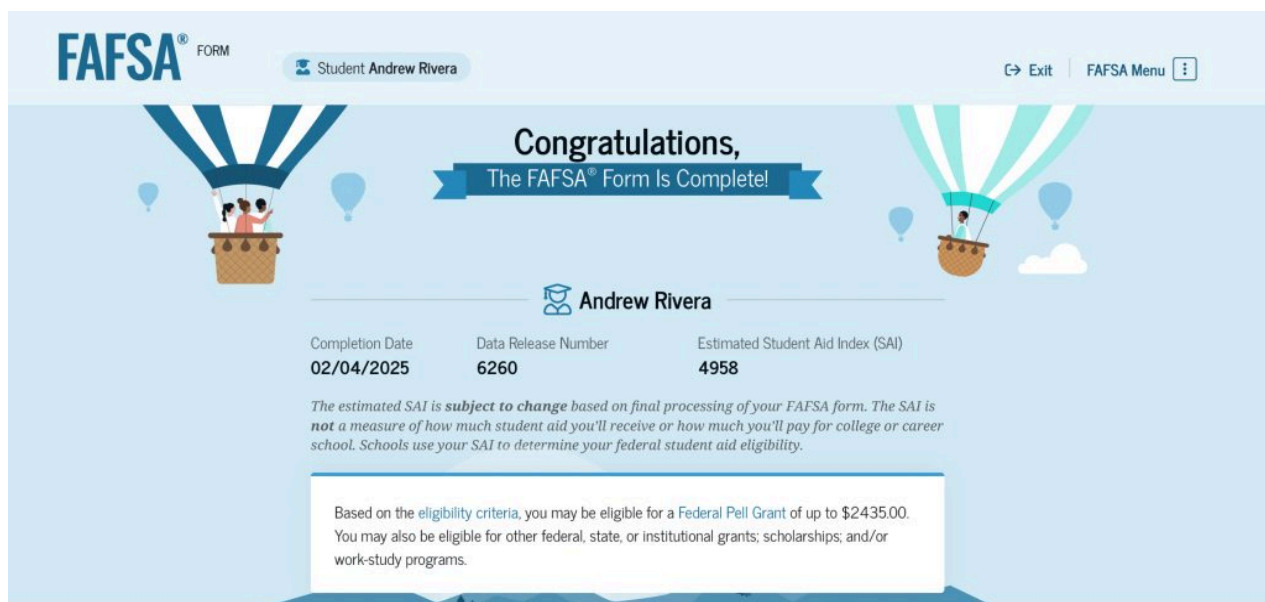
**APPLICATIONS ARE DUE**

**FRIDAY, MARCH 14, 2025 By 3:00 P.M.**

**NO EXCEPTIONS**

## **Sample of FAFSA Confirmation Page**

FAFSA format confirmations may look different than the examples below. **Please ensure your SAI is indicated on the document you upload to your application.**






The image shows a sample FAFSA confirmation page. At the top left is the 'FAFSA FORM' logo. To its right is a user profile for 'Student Andrew Rivera'. On the far right are links for 'Exit' and 'FAFSA Menu'. The main heading reads 'Congratulations, The FAFSA Form Is Complete!'. Below this is the student's name 'Andrew Rivera' with a graduation cap icon. A table displays key information: Completion Date (02/04/2025), Data Release Number (6260), and Estimated Student Aid Index (SAI) (4958). A disclaimer states that the SAI is subject to change and is not a measure of aid received. A box at the bottom indicates eligibility for a Federal Pell Grant of up to \$2435.00 and other financial aid.

Completion Date	Data Release Number	Estimated Student Aid Index (SAI)
02/04/2025	6260	4958

The estimated SAI is **subject to change** based on final processing of your FAFSA form. The SAI is **not** a measure of how much student aid you'll receive or how much you'll pay for college or career school. Schools use your SAI to determine your federal student aid eligibility.

Based on the eligibility criteria, you may be eligible for a Federal Pell Grant of up to \$2435.00. You may also be eligible for other federal, state, or institutional grants; scholarships; and/or work-study programs.

### **What Happens Next**

-  **Check Your Email**  
You will receive an email version of this confirmation page at the following email address: andrew@email.com.
-  **Track the Status of Your Form**  
In one to three days, your FAFSA form will be processed and made available to your schools. Check the status of your form by logging in to StudentAid.gov and selecting your FAFSA submission from the "My Activity" section of your account Dashboard.
-  **You Will Receive School Communications**  
We use the information collected on your FAFSA form to calculate your Student Aid Index (SAI). The SAI lets schools determine the aid you're eligible to receive. Your schools will reach out to you if they need more information. They will also contact you with your financial aid offers. Once received, you can contact their financial aid offices directly to ask questions about their student aid packages.



We received your *Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA®)* form.

Submission date: **January 14, 2024**

Date Release Number (DRN): :

**Note:** Keep your DRN private. Read about the Data Release Number for more information.

**Estimated Student Aid Index (SAI) =**

We can't calculate your SAI. Continue reading for more details.

The SAI is **not** a measure of how much student aid you'll receive or how much you'll pay for college. Schools use your SAI to determine your federal student aid eligibility.

Based on the eligibility criteria, you don't appear to be eligible for a Federal Pell Grant. However, you may be eligible for other federal, state, or institutional grants; scholarships; and/or work study programs.

**Use this sheet to help you stay organized!  
Scan this code to read over the criteria for  
each scholarship.**



**Check off the ones you are  
eligible for here to help you keep track.**

**Make sure you qualify**

# **STANDARD SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS**

- ☐ 1. GOLD AND BLUE SCHOLARSHIP
- ☐ 2. DIANE C. KABLIK MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
- ☐ 3. RICHARD E. ROGALSKI MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
- ☐ 4. BRUCE C. TORRY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
- ☐ 5. VIOLA AND CIPRIANO MAESTRE
- ☐ 6. THE GEORGE B. WILLIAMS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND
- ☐ 7. COLLEGE FAIR ENDOWMENT FUND
- ☐ 8. LISA AND GARY GEORGE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
- ☐ 9. DAVID KALISZEWSKI MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
- ☐ 10. MALVICINI MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
- ☐ 11. JULIANNE MARIE ROBERGE ART SCHOLARSHIP
- ☐ 12. RANDY RAMONDETTA MUSICAL SCHOLARSHIP
- ☐ 13. GLADYS M. JONES MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
- ☐ 14. CHRISTINE E. GUYON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
- ☐ 15. CLASS OF 1987 SCHOLARSHIP
- ☐ 16. CLASS OF 1959 SCHOLARSHIP
- ☐ 17. NEWINGTON POLICE DETECTIVE LIEUTENANT FRED H. CALLAHAN,  
JR. MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
- ☐ 18. FRANCIS KOCHANOWICZ—VOLUNTEER FIRE
- ☐ 19. JAY COLE MEMORIAL- VOLUNTEER FIRE
- ☐ 20. FRANK A. KELLY, JR. MEMORIAL MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP
- ☐ 21. JOHN MILLS JAZZ SCHOLARSHIP
- ☐ 22. NIKOLAS TINE MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP
- ☐ 23. ROSE HILL MEMORIAL PARK SCHOLARSHIP
- ☐ 24. KIWANIS/KEY CLUB SCHOLARSHIPS
- ☐ 25. NEWINGTON CHAPTER, NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY-  
KAREN MARHEFKA MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
- ☐ 26. NEWINGTON HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL'S SCHOLARSHIP

- ☐ 27. LAURIE SOUCY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
- ☐ 28. NEWINGTON VETERAN FIREFIGHTERS ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP FUND
- ☐ 29. THE ERNEST GROTH—SPRING BROOK ICE AND FUEL SERVICE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
- ☐ 30. A. NEWINGTON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE SCHOLARSHIP - Business
- ☐ 30. B. NEWINGTON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE SCHOLARSHIP - Trade
- ☐ 30. C. NEWINGTON ART LEAGUE
- ☐ 31. CHARLIE LOWE NEWINGTON ROTARY SCHOLARSHIP
- ☐ 32. NEWINGTON YOUTH AND ADULT COUNCIL SCHOLARSHIP
- ☐ 33. JOSEF TREGGOR MUSICAL PRODUCTION SCHOLARSHIP
- ☐ 34. JOHN J. ABBATE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
- ☐ 35. FRIENDS OF FOOTBALL SCHOLARSHIP - VARSITY FOOTBALL AWARD
- ☐ 36. RICHARD C. HASTINGS III MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
- ☐ 37. JACOB LAWRENCE MEYERS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
- ☐ 38. JOSEPH T. AND CHRISTINE J. SCHRIBERT SCHOLARSHIP
- ☐ 39. KATHRYN ANN WHITFORD MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
- ☐ 40. EARLY CHILDHOOD SCHOLARSHIP
- ☐ 41. THE RICHARD A. KLETT UPSTANDING CITIZEN SCHOLARSHIP
- ☐ 42. CULINARY INTERNSHIP SCHOLARSHIP
- ☐ 43. CHATURVEDI FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP
- ☐ 44. STANLEY & MARGARET NOWACKI SCHOLARSHIP
- ☐ 45. GEORGE D. COCOLA MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
- ☐ 46. JMA ARCHITECTURE & CONSTRUCTION SCHOLARSHIP

# **SPECIFIC SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS**

- ☐ A. NEWINGTON ELEMENTARY CHILDREN'S CENTER, INC. (NECCI)
- ☐ B. ROB K. PRILL MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
- ☐ C. NEWINGTON MASTER POLICE OFFICER PETER J. LAVERY  
MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
- ☐ D. THE MANKE FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP
- ☐ E. MARGARET E. CLARK SCHOLARSHIP-ALPHA DELTA KAPPA
- ☐ F. CIARA McDERMOTT SCHOLARSHIP
- ☐ G. SEQUIN-LEVEL MASONIC LODGE SCHOLARSHIP
- ☐ H. CAROL L. GAUGER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

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## **ADDITIONAL OPPORTUNITIES: INTEREST-FREE LOAN**

**Do you want \$1,500 to help with your  
post-secondary education/training costs?**

### **NEWINGTON STUDENT ASSISTANCE FUND, INC. LOAN PROGRAM**

NSAF provides interest-free loans which have been increased to \$1,500 for students pursuing post-secondary education or training and can be renewed annually as long as the student is enrolled in a post-secondary education program or a training program.

The loan is paid back after completion of post-secondary education or training.

Electronic applications are available at [nsa.info.org](https://nsa.info.org)

**SUBMISSION DEADLINE: Friday, June 7, 2024**

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## **ADDITIONAL SCHOLARSHIP SEARCHES**

<https://www.hfpg.org/scholarships>  
<http://www.fastweb.com>  
<https://www.fastweb.com/directory/connecticut-scholarships>  
<http://www.collegenet.com>  
<http://www.collegeboard.com>  
<http://www.collegescholarships.com>  
<http://www.scholarships.com>  
<https://www.hfpgscholarships.org/search/full-scholarship-list>

SchoolLinks also has scholarships listed.

**\*\*Beware of companies that charge fees or guarantee scholarships.**

Check for scams on the Federal Trade Commission Website located at: <http://www.ftc.gov>

### **“How to Apply for a Scholarship”**

**Adapted by the College Board**

**Don't Miss Deadlines-** Plan ahead and keep close track of deadlines.

**Start Your Research Early-** Gather the information and documents needed so you aren't scrambling in the end! If you're competing for talent-based scholarships, you may need to audition or submit a portfolio.

**Get Organized!** - Make a separate file for each scholarship and sort the files by application due dates.

Many scholarships ask you to send some or all of the following:

- High school transcript (request from the School Counseling Office)
- Standardized test scores (SAT or ACT)
- Financial aid forms, such as the FAFSA or [CSS/Financial Aid PROFILE®](#)
- One or more essays
- One or more letters of recommendation
- Proof of eligibility for the scholarship (for example, proof of membership in a certain group)

**Read Eligibility Requirements Carefully-** There's no point in applying for a scholarship you're not eligible for.

**Get Organized- Follow Instructions-** Stick to the word limit for the essay. If supporting materials are not requested in the application, don't send them.



**Proofread Your Application-** Don't leave anything blank! You can contact scholarship sponsors if you aren't sure how to fill out part of the application.

- If you're reusing material (such as a cover letter or an essay) from another scholarship application, make sure you haven't left in any incorrect names.

**Keep Copies of Everything-** Having copies makes it easy to resend quickly if application materials get lost in the mail. If you're applying for a scholarship online, save copies of your work on your computer.

**If you are awarded a scholarship, always follow up with a thank you email or card to show your appreciation.**

*Source: The above information was adapted from [www.collegeboard.com](http://www.collegeboard.com)*