

LAKE FOREST HIGH SCHOOL LOCAL SCHOLARSHIPS 2025-2026

AMERICAN LEGION SCHOLARSHIP

Awarded to students who inspire patriotism and good citizenship through patriotic observances, youth activities such as scouting, oratorical contests, school awards, Legion Baseball, and community service.

TBD/Multiple Awards (3)

APPLAUSE EXCELLENCE IN MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP

The Applause Scholarships are intended to recognize outstanding musical accomplishments by LFHS senior music students and to further encourage their study of music and are awarded to one student in each of the following categories: band, orchestra and chorus, and a fourth discretionary award for composition or other category.

\$1000-Multiple Awards

[Application Form](#)

APT SENIOR CONTRIBUTION AWARD

The Senior Contribution Awards are given each year to those students who have been involved and given their time, energy and talents to the benefit of LFHS. Emphasis will be placed on school service, although community service will be considered as well.

TBD-Multiple Awards (10+)

DEER PATH ART LEAGUE SCHOLARSHIP

This fine arts scholarship will be awarded to a graduating senior who will study fine arts as a major at an accredited college, university or art school.

\$2000

[Application Form](#)

FRIENDS OF THE LAKE FOREST LIBRARY SCHOLARSHIP

Scholarships are awarded to graduating seniors who clearly demonstrate a passion for reading.

\$2000-Multiple Awards (3)

[Application Form](#)

GORTON CENTER-THE POWER OF COMMUNITY SCHOLARSHIP

Awarded to a graduating senior who best defines how being part of a community has shaped their life, goals, and/or future plans.

\$1500-Multiple Awards Possible

[Application Form](#)

GREGORY PAUL FRIEDMAN GENEROSITY OF SPIRIT SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship will be awarded to a graduating senior who displays a "Generosity of Spirit" in their daily life.

\$2000

[Application Form](#)

JUNIOR GARDEN CLUB OF LAKE FOREST SCHOLARSHIP

Awarded to a graduating senior who best demonstrates what they have done to enjoy or promote gardening, conservation, civic planting or environmental sustainability.

\$1000-Multiple Awards Possible

[Application Form](#)

HALLIE GROSSMAN “LIVE LIFE THE HALLIE WAY” SCHOLARSHIP

Scholarships will be awarded to two graduating seniors who are supportive of others, demonstrate kindness and make a positive difference in the lives of others.

\$1000-Multiple Awards (2)

LAKE FOREST EDUCATION ASSOCIATION-FUTURE EDUCATORS SCHOLARSHIP

Awarded to a graduating LFHS senior who intends to major in k-12 education and pursue a career in this field immediately after graduating from college.

\$1000

[Application Form](#)

LAKE FOREST-LAKE BLUFF LIONS CLUB SCHOLARSHIP

Awarded to a graduating LFHS senior who best exemplifies the Lions Club commitment to community service through both school and community activities.

\$6000 (paid in four renewable installments of \$1500/school year)

[Application Form](#)

LAKE FOREST OPEN LANDS ASSOCIATION HOFFMANN AWARD FOR NATURE AND CONSERVATION

Awarded to a LFHS graduating senior who demonstrates their connection to the natural world and a commitment to land conservation and stewardship.

\$1500

[Application Form](#)

LAKE FOREST PRESERVATION FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP

Awarded to a graduating LFHS senior who best conveys how historic preservation is an important part of Lake Forest and why preserving the historic visual character is important.

TBD/Multiple Awards Possible

MARK JONATHAN YATES MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Awarded to deserving LFHS students who are planning to attend Knox College and who demonstrate financial need based on financial aid forms submitted to Knox College. This scholarship is renewable provided the student remains in excellent academic standing.

Amount varies with each recipient/Multiple awards possible

[Application Form](#)

NIKI STAGE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Sponsored by the Lake Forest Education Association in honor of Mrs. Niki Stage. Awarded to a graduating LFHS senior who embodies Mrs. Stage's creative, vibrant, and joyful spirit, and has positively contributed to their art classroom environment.

\$1000

[Application Form](#)

PALS & ITS SCHOLARSHIP

The PALS/ITS scholarships will be awarded to graduating seniors who have participated in any aspect of LFHS Theatre including performance, direction and technical production and are ITS members.

\$500 Minimum/Multiple Awards Possible

[Application Form](#)

STEVEN MALIN, JR. MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Scholarships will be awarded to two graduating seniors who best exemplify what it means to have good character, how their lives have shown that commitment, and how they will specifically apply those principles to their adult life.

\$1250-Multiple Awards (2)

[Application Form](#)

The applications will be available on January 15th.
The deadline to submit these applications to the
[Scholarship Application Submission Form](#)
(unless otherwise specified on the application)
is: **March 20th**

LATE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED

Please direct any questions to:

Mrs. Gleason at jgleason@lfschools.net

or stop by her office in Room 103

***THESE SCHOLARSHIPS WILL BE AWARDED AT
THE SCHOLARSHIP AND AWARDS NIGHT ON MAY 28TH***