

MHS LOCAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION PROCESS

- Timeline:
 - [Google form](#) (sent via email) will open to all MHS seniors on **Monday, March 31st**.
 - Students will have until **Friday, May 2nd at 2:15 PM** to submit their completed Google Form.
 - Scholarship winners will be notified via a letter home during senior week.
- Tips & Tricks:
 - Please be sure to use your **rsu35 email address** when completing the Google Form. As long as you are signed in with your student Gmail, it will save the progress of your application.
 - **Take note of any scholarships that require additional essays or other information** - these are noted
 - on the tracker on the next page. Make sure that these essays are complete before you officially submit your application, as there will be a required spot to upload your essay.
 - **Have the following information ready as you are completing your application:**
 - **College financial aid award information** - These are scholarships, grants, loans, that come from your financial aid award letter from the school you are planning to attend.
 - **Outside scholarship awards received** - These scholarship awards do not come from your college of choice, but from outside organizations. Only list scholarship awards you have been officially awarded.
 - **Special circumstances** - You will have the option to write a brief statement for any special circumstances that should be considered with your application, which may include family illness, medical/dental expenses, education expenses of other family members, loss of job, etc.
 - **FAFSA information** - You will be required to submit your [SAI \(Student Aid Index\)](#) and [FSS \(FAFSA Submission Summary\)](#), both found within your studentaid.gov account. Click the links to learn more about where to find this information.
 - **Resume** - You will have the option to input any extracurricular activities, employment, and community service to strengthen your application. Having your resume handy will help input this information easily!
 - **Take advantage of drop-in scholarship application help on Monday, April 14th and Monday, April 28th in the Career Center!**
 - **See your school counselor if you have any questions throughout this process - we are here to support you!**

MHS LOCAL SCHOLARSHIP LISTING 2025

Below is the list of local scholarships that will be offered this year! Use this sheet as a “tracker” to review which scholarships you will apply to. You must submit your completed Google Form by May 2nd, 2025 in order to be considered for scholarships. **Be aware of specific eligibility requirements, and any scholarship that has additional essays or required materials.** Scan the QR code to access the Google Form!



✓	SCHOLARSHIP	\$	ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS
	Goransson Foundation Track and Field/ Cross Country Scholarship	\$5000 for 4 Years	Two (2) seniors pursuing post-secondary education who have been members of the Cross Country and/or Track and Field teams and have demonstrated strong academic achievement, community service, and financial need .
	The McKenney Family Scholarship	\$5000	One (1) senior who plans to attend a four year university who has demonstrated combined strong academic achievement and leadership.
	Marshwood High School First Responders Scholarship	\$3,000 One (1) or \$1,500 Two (2)	One (1) or two (2) students based on interest, who will be pursuing a post secondary or training in Fire Fighting, Law Enforcement, or EMS. Need based.
	Wentworth-Douglass Hospital Auxiliary Endowment Scholarship	\$2,000	One (1) senior, based on academic merit, who plans to pursue a health-related degree at an accredited two or four-year university or technical school. The chosen recipient is expected to attend a reception (at a time to be determined) for the purpose of thanking the committee, receiving recipient instructions, and taking a publicity photo.
	William G. Mayo Memorial Scholarship	\$1850	One (1) senior who plans to enroll in a four-year college and ranks in the upper 40% of the graduating class. Preference will be given to a student pursuing a degree in education .
	Rodney C. Wotton Memorial Scholarship	\$1,500	One (1) senior student athlete planning to attend college with a field of study in education, nursing or occupational, physical or speech therapy. Special consideration given to students who played football.
	Kennebunk Savings Bank Foundation	\$1,000	One (1) senior planning to attend a post-secondary school. Nonspecific course of study. Student must have a financial need.
	Mr. Mohammed's Vocational/Career Tech Scholarship	\$1,000	One (1) needs-based MHS senior who is applying to a post-secondary school to further a career in a Vocational or Career Technical program.

	Eliot High School Alumni Association	\$1,000	Two (2) seniors who are descendants of a graduate from Eliot High School (Eliot, Maine 1965 and prior) and are planning to attend any accredited post-secondary educational institution. Please state the former graduate's name and year of graduation in your application.
	Great Northern Builders Scholarship	\$1,000	Description: One (1) senior with a strong interest in pursuing a career in the building trade. Requirements: An essay describing their plan for the use of the funds while expressing their enthusiasm, aptitude, and desire to work in the building trade. Also a reference letter, and grades/attendance/educational efforts. This scholarship recipient will be decided by Great Northern Builders.
	Brian Sweeney Memorial Scholarship	\$1,000	Description: Two (2) seniors who have participated in sports all 4 years and are on track to graduate. Requirements: An essay with the topic "Who do you admire most in your life and why". This scholarship recipient will be decided by the family of Brian Sweeney.
	Quamphegan Education Association (QEA)	\$750	One (1) senior planning to attend college to major in education .
	Sandy MacDonald Scholarship	\$550	One (1) senior planning to attend college who is interested in music or performing arts .
	Richard Gagnon Memorial	\$500	One (1) senior South Berwick female student-athlete who demonstrates good citizenship and financial need .
	Theodore Libby Memorial	\$500	One (1) senior planning on further education in engineering or technical areas.
	Tiffany Smith Memorial	\$500	One (1) senior who is either planning to attend Arizona State University or any 4-year university outside of New England and plans to major in social work or social science .
	Nancy Oliver-Gruen Memorial	\$500	One (1) senior who has shown interest, talent, and dedication in the performing arts while a student at MHS. The recipient should have been active in performing arts and preference will be given to a senior who is pursuing performing arts after high school.
	Marshwood Music Boosters	\$500	Two (2) senior music students who aspire to continue their education after high school. An essay describing how participation in your high school music program has had a positive effect on your life must be attached to this application.
	Specialty Services Corporation	\$500	One (1) senior who demonstrates financial need .

	Eleanor/Elwyn Zamarchi Memorial	\$500	One (1) senior going into the field of public service in the police department, fire department, or as a town administrator.
	Richard Goulet Foundation Scholarship	\$500	Two (2) seniors pursuing post-secondary Trade education . (I.E. HVAC, Automotive, Construction, Plumbing, Electrical, Etc.) Both merit and financial need will be taken into consideration.
	Brian Beckner Memorial	\$500	One (1) senior who will be pursuing a post-secondary vocational/technical major.
	Eliot Lions Club	\$250	One (1) senior student.
	Fontaine-Young Scholarship MHS Girls Basketball Boosters	\$250	Two (2) senior girls who have played all four (4) years at MHS on the basketball team and have been accepted to a college or university. An essay - "How did Marshwood basketball contribute to my future success" needs to be attached to this application.
	Linwood Saddler Memorial	\$200	One (1) male and one (1) female senior who plans to major in education , demonstrates financial need and has been involved in extracurricular activities.
	Rupert Baglivo Memorial	\$150	One (1) senior who has demonstrated high initiative and commitment as a student and who plans to become a teacher with an emphasis in the area of history.