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WEST ISLIP HIGH SCHOOL

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WEST ISLIP HIGH SCHOOL*

September, 2011

Each year local civic and community organizations recognize our seniors with special awards and scholarships. These can be based on financial need, community service, academic performance, participation in school activities, or any combination of these.

If you are a member of the Class of 2012 and wish to be considered for any scholarships, you must complete the West Islip High School scholarship application. This application may be downloaded from the district website. If you are unable to print a copy, one may be picked up in the high school main office.

Please understand that applications are anonymous when submitted to local scholarship committees. Students should complete all requested information on the application. Follow all directions carefully or you may be disqualified from consideration for a particular scholarship. The application **plus four (4) copies** must be returned to the high school main office no later than **Monday, November 14, 2011**. Please be aware that due to the large number of organizations involved, we cannot make any exceptions to this deadline.

Good luck!

Sincerely,

Fernando A. Agramonte
Assistant Principal



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West Islip Union Free School District

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SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

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SCHOOL YEAR

2011-2012

September 2011

By completing this local scholarship application, you will automatically be considered for the following scholarships:

Alyssa Aquafredda Memorial Scholarship on behalf of Captree PTA
Babylon Lions Club-William L. Cassidy Scholarship
Bayview PTA Marilyn Andia Memorial Scholarship
Bayview PTA Terence McShane Memorial Scholarship
Bayview PTA Dr. Andrew Pecararo Scholarships
Bayview PTA Debbie Tibaldi Memorial Scholarship
Beach Street PTA Scholarship
Paul J. Bellew PTA Scholarships
Paul E. Kirdahy @ Captree Elementary PTA Scholarship
Nick LaGiglia Memorial Scholarships
Manetuck PTA Scholarships
Oquenock PTA Scholarship
Marc Rosen Memorial Scholarship
Lyndsey Sangiorgio Memorial Scholarship
Darlene Schultheis Memorial Scholarships
Udall PTA Scholarship
Westbrook PTA Scholarship
Westbrook PTA Scholarship in Memory of Paula Dewhurst
West Islip Alumni Association Scholarships
West Islip American Legion Post # 1738 Scholarship
West Islip Beautification Society Scholarships
West Islip Bicentennial Committee scholarships
West Islip Council of PTA Scholarships
West Islip School PTSA Scholarship
West Islip Lions Club – Joseph Lite & Robert Annino Memorial Scholarship
West Islip SEPTA Scholarships
West Islip Teachers Association Scholarships

Should other scholarships be offered using this application, you will automatically be considered for that scholarship. Some other scholarships require separate applications that may be obtained from the Counseling Department.

Please listen for announcements, read the Counseling Newsletter, and check the bulletin board in the Counseling Department for information regarding scholarships as they become available.

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DIRECTIONS FOR COMPLETING SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS

- 1. Any potential West Islip High School graduate who has applied for post high school education is eligible and may apply for scholarship consideration.**
- 2. Students are evaluated for scholarships based upon completion of an application form which includes a record of economic need, school activities, achievements and community service. In addition to this information, committees are provided with the student's GPA. Applications are coded and the name associated with that code is only revealed if selected as a scholarship recipient.**
- 3. The essay is very important and will accompany the attached scholarship forms. This essay should be typed on an 8 1/2" x 11" paper. In your essay please indicate your plans for the future and your reasons for applying for scholarships. The essay should not be more than 300 words or you can be disqualified from a scholarship.**
- 4. DO NOT USE ANY PROPER NAMES (YOURS, PARENTS, TEACHERS, COUNSELORS, ETC.) IN YOUR APPLICATION.**
- 5. Make sure that the "School Activities and Achievements" and "Community Activities and Service" section is accurately completed. You may attach one additional sheet of 8 1/2" x 11" paper, if necessary to complete these sections.**
- 6. The first page of the application form entitled "Application for Scholarship Affidavit" will be removed from the application after it is submitted - this is to preserve the anonymity of the applicant.**
- 7. Return the original plus 4 copies of the completed scholarship application to the high school main office no later than Monday, November 14, 2011. Please bear in mind, packets must be put together and distributed to local organizations for review. If you miss this deadline, you will miss valuable scholarship opportunities.**

(1)

Code # _____

APPLICATION FOR SCHOLARSHIP

AFFIDAVIT

I, the undersigned, _____ hereby certify that
Student's Name (Please Print)

all statements made in this scholarship application are true to the best of my knowledge.

Signature of applicant: _____

Signature of Parent(s) or Guardian(s)

_____ / _____

Signature

Print Name

Date: _____

Code # _____

1. Elementary School Attended: _____
2. Middle School Attended: _____
3. What college or school do you plan to attend after your high school graduation? _____
Approx. tuition cost per year _____
4. What is your college major? _____
5. After you complete your post secondary education what are your career plans?

6. Brothers and sisters living at home:

<u>Age</u>	<u>Grade</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Grade</u>
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

7. List any brothers and sisters now in post-secondary education:

<u>Year in School</u>	<u>Tuition/Year</u>	<u>Aid Received</u>
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

8. While attending a post-secondary school, will you live at home? _____ or at college? _____
9. List dependents, other than children, living in your home: e.g. grandparents

10. Family Income Range before taxes (check one):

- | | |
|----------------------------|------------------------------|
| _____ Under \$30,000 | _____ \$76,000 to \$90,000 |
| _____ \$31,000 to \$45,000 | _____ \$91,000 to \$105,000 |
| _____ \$46,000 to \$60,000 | _____ \$105,000 to \$130,000 |
| _____ \$61,000 to \$75,000 | _____ over \$130,000 |

11. Does your family own or rent your home? _____
Mortgage/month \$ _____
or
Rent/month \$ _____

(3)

12. Have you had any extraordinary expenses the past few years? If so, please explain how that has impacted your family's ability to contribute financially to your post-secondary education.

13. How much can your family give you towards your post secondary education?
\$ _____/year

14. Do you have any other sources of financial assistance? e.g. you have a part-time job

Specify: _____

15. Did you ever receive services through Special Education? (e.g. Resource Room, Speech, O.T.) _____

If yes, list the grades that services were provided. _____

16. If you have a disability, please explain how you have worked to compensate and overcome in order to achieve academic success.

Please list School Activities and Achievements, for Grades 9-12 such as student government, class officer, publications, clubs, music, honor society, honor roll, committees, athletic and non-athletic awards, sports etc.

ACTIVITY	GRADE	ACTIVITY	GRADE

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES and ACHIEVEMENTS

Including community service

Please list activities and indicate achievements in community, church, civic associations, Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Little League, Volunteering, etc.

Date(s)	Group Name	Describe activity	Service performed

Please describe any paid work experience and future plans:

Past work experience:

Present work experience:

Finally, what are your future life plans:

Essay: In an essay 300 words or less explain why you should be considered for a scholarship.