

## **Scholarship Opportunities – 2025-2026**

1. **CONNECTICUT JCI SENATE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM** - The 2025-2026 Scholarship Program is now open. The Scholarship Applications are in Microsoft Word format and can be found at, <https://www.usjcisenate.org/index.php/scholarship-program> .

Deadline: January 12, 2026

2025-2026 College Scholarship Application

2025-2026 Vocational Scholarship Application

2. **The Exchange Club of Bristol** is the current administrator of the scholarship named in honor of Thomas M. Monahan and Philip R. Josolowitz, two long time members of the former Kiwanis Club and dedicated citizens of Bristol, Connecticut. One high school senior, a Bristol resident, who is pursuing advanced education at an accredited institution toward the study of technical, vocational, or trade degree or certificate will be selected per year to receive \$1,500.

### **ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS**

A senior attending either Bristol Eastern or Bristol Central High School, St. Paul High School or Bristol Technical Education Center who is also a resident of Bristol, Connecticut.

Recipients of the scholarship must attend an accredited college, vocational / trade school or vocational program leading to trade, technical, industrial or vocational occupations.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: APRIL 17, 2026

The scholarship recipient will be notified by May 22, 2026

*For Scholarship Application, See Mrs. Holman in the School Counseling Office*

3. **Main Street Foundation Scholarships**

Go to, <https://www.mainstreetfoundation.org/apply-for-scholarship> .

Application Deadline – March 6, 2026. For a complete list go to, [https://www.mainstreetfoundation.org/sites/mainstreet.rpdesign.com/files/2026%20Scholarship%20Directory%20FINAL\\_0.pdf](https://www.mainstreetfoundation.org/sites/mainstreet.rpdesign.com/files/2026%20Scholarship%20Directory%20FINAL_0.pdf)

Applicants who qualify must be residents of Bristol, Burlington, Plainville, Plymouth, Southington, Wolcott and more. Students of Bristol Public Schools, Plainville Public Schools, Plymouth Public Schools, Regional School District 10, Wolcott Public Schools, private schools, technical or vocational schools and more.

#### **4. American Savings Foundation Scholarship Program**

Go to, [www.asfdn.org](http://www.asfdn.org) to learn more and apply online.

Application Deadline – March 31, 2026

Students who live in one of our 64 Connecticut towns and will be attending a 4-year college, 2-year college, or a technical / career program should apply! High school seniors, current college students, and nontraditional adult students may apply through our online application for the 2025-2026 academic year.

Over 100 new scholarships will be awarded this year, and scholarships are renewable! There is no minimum GPA to apply. Scholars are selected primarily based on financial need and the potential impact of a scholarship award.

#### **5. 2026 Juvenile Justice Scholarship**

Go to, <https://markshermanlaw.com/juvenile-justice-scholarship/>

Application Deadline – April 30, 2026

The scholarship is open to any U.S. citizen or lawful permanent resident currently living in one of the 50 states or the District of Columbia who, as of Spring 2026, will be enrolled in a vocational program or a two- to four-year accredited post-secondary school. Eligible applicants include current high school seniors, vocational students, and students at the college or graduate level.

Individuals who are employed by The Law Offices of Mark Sherman, LLC, as well as their immediate family members (parents, children, siblings, and spouses) or anyone residing in the same household—regardless of relation—are not eligible for consideration.

Applicants must have a cumulative GPA of at least 3.0 and maintain good academic standing.

#### **6. SVFT 2026 Retiree Chapter Award Program**

Application Deadline – April 16, 2026 @ 3:00 P.M.

The State Vocational Federation of Teachers Retiree Local 4200A- R is pleased to notify you of two \$500.00 awards available to CTECS seniors. The funds will be directed to the recipient's future plans.

Please note: The 2026 award will be presented based on vocational or academic promise. For application, see Mrs. Holman in the School Counseling Office.

## 7. Bristol Lodge of Elks #1010 Scholarship Award

Application Deadline: April 1, 2026

Open to deserving high school seniors. Criteria is based on financial need, academic excellence and community service. The scholarship is also designating the **Bradford G. Wolf Scholarship** award in the amount of \$1,000 to a student enrolling in a trade school. In addition, there is also the **Jacob's Journey Scholarship** in the amount of \$1,000 open to special education students and/or students pursuing a teaching degree in special education.

See Mrs. Holman in the School Counseling Office for an application.

## 8. Joe Lieberman Connecticut Scholarship Program

Application Deadline: April 30, 2026

Application materials are available at, <https://scholarshipamerica.org/scholarship/lieberman/>

Applicants must meet all of the following criteria:

- Be U.S. citizen or permanent legal resident
- Be in High School or reside in CT and attend public or private high schools or homeschooled in CT.
- Plan to enroll in full-time undergraduate study at an accredited two-year or four-year college, university, or vocational-technical school for the entire upcoming academic year.
- Have a minimum GPA of 3.8 on a 4.0 scale (or its equivalent).
- Demonstrate outstanding leadership potential and record of community service.