

Columbus Citizens Foundation Scholarship Programs

Columbus Citizens Foundation, based in New York City, is dedicated to the celebration of Italian culture and Italian American heritage. Since 1984, CCF has provided scholarships to deserving Italian American students to assure their academic dreams are fulfilled. Each year, the Foundation offers a range of competitive scholarships. Please note that most CCF Scholarships are for four years and require the applicant to be entering 9th Grade or to be a College Freshman during the first year of the Scholarship. Please note also that the majority of the Scholarships are restricted to specific high schools and colleges. There are additional scholarships for medical school, to attend John Cabot University in Rome for one or two college semesters, and for summer immersive learning opportunities in Italy. To learn more about CCF, please visit <https://www.columbuscitizens.org/About>

APPLICATION AVAILABLE ONLINE:

[columbuscitizens.org/applications](https://www.columbuscitizens.org/applications)

application deadline: March 1, 2024

CRITERIA

Italian Heritage of at least 25%

Minimum 3.5 GPA

Financial Need is Considered

Availability is limited to students entering their freshman year of high school or college.



Scholarships are available for the following schools:

College

Three (3) Brooklyn College

Columbia University

Three (3) to any CUNY School

Hobart and William Smith

Iona College

Marist College

New Jersey Institute of Technology- School of Architecture

Pace University- Lubin School of Business

Rhode Island School of Design

Rutgers University - Ernest Mario School of Pharmacy

Two (2) St. John's University

University of Pennsylvania

*Six (6) unrestricted awards (to attend any accredited institution)

Two (2) awards for a graduate of St. Catherine Academy (Bronx, NY) to attend college

One (1) award for a student enrolling in pharmacy or nursing school

High School

Cristo Rey Brooklyn High School

Two (2) to Fordham Prep

Monsignor Farrell High School

St. Anthony's High School

St. Vincent Ferrer

*Seven (7) unrestricted awards

One (1) award for a graduate of Saint Mary School (Middletown, NJ) to attend:

Mater Dei High School

*Many of our scholarships are restricted to specific schools. Please note that where it says "unrestricted awards" that means that scholarship is not limited to any specific school.

