



Italian American Men's Society Scholarship



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The Italian American Men's Society will award one \$500.00 scholarship to each of two eligible senior high school students seeking graduation in 2022. After proof of the successful completion of one semester of studies, the scholarship will be paid to the applicants' post-secondary school of choice.

Eligibility

The applicant must be:

1. Son or daughter of a current Italian American Men's Society member
2. High School senior planning to pursue post-secondary studies in the Fall of 2022.
3. Maintaining a cumulative high school career Grade Point Average (GPA) of 3.0 on a 4.0 point scale through the first semester of the 2021-2022 school year.
4. Intending to pursue course work:
 - ◆ leading to a one- or two-year diploma or associate degree
 - ◆ leading to a four-year baccalaureate degree

Application

A completed application will consist of the following:

1. Application form
2. Current school transcripts through first semester of 2021-2022 school year
3. Personal statement not to exceed 300 words
4. List of extra-curricular and/or community activities
5. Two letters of recommendation:
 - a) Classroom teacher familiar with applicant's academic performance and school activities.
 - b) Community member familiar with applicant's character and activities outside of school.

Deadline – Postmarked no later than Monday, April 18, 2022

Applications must be sent to:

**Joseph Torcaso
Scholarship Committee
Italian American Men's Society
2217 52nd Street
Kenosha, Wisconsin 53140**

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Application Form (type or print)

Applicant's Information:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Father's Name: _____

School Information:

School in attendance: _____

Cumulative GPA
(through first semester of current year): _____

Class Rank: _____

Class Size: _____

Post – Secondary Education:

List any colleges or universities that have accepted you for admission:

1. _____ 3. _____

2. _____ 4. _____

Current academic major or intended program of study:

Application Verification:

All information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge, I authorize the scholarship committee to contact schools and references to confirm or discuss any information contained in this application.

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____

All applicants currently under 18 years of age must have this application signed by a parent or guardian.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date _____

School Verification:

Principal's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Counselor's Signature: _____ Date: _____

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Personal Statement

Use the space below or attach this as a cover sheet to your personal statement (not to exceed 300 words).

Suggested topics to include:

- ◆ Explanation of your rationale for seeking post-secondary education
- ◆ Explanation of how your educational goals will impact upon your life
- ◆ Honors and awards received
- ◆ Offices and positions of leadership – inc. name of organization, position title, and year
- ◆ Membership in school or community organizations
- ◆ School activities (i.e. plays, music, athletics, clubs, etc.)
- ◆ Community Service (i.e. civic, church, youth groups, etc.)

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Recommendation

Classroom teacher familiar with applicant's academic performance and school activities

Name of Applicant: _____

Name of person providing recommendation: _____

Relationship/familiarity with the applicant: _____

Use the space below or attach this as a cover sheet to your recommendation. Please type or write clearly.

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Recommendation

Community Member familiar with applicant's character and activities outside of school.

Name of Applicant: _____

Name of person providing recommendation: _____

Relationship/familiarity with the applicant: _____

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