

# SUNY Potsdam

## School of Education & Professional Studies

# SCHOLARSHIPS

### **Kenneth H. Campbell Scholarship**

Must be a graduate of a St. Lawrence County high school with preference given to Clifton-Fine CSD. Graduates from nearby high schools may be also considered. Recipient shall be a junior or senior. Must be an education major. Must have demonstrated financial need. Preference given to student who received the award the previous year.

### **Carbary Scholarship Fund**

Awarded to matriculated students that have attained junior status, pursuing an education major and maintain a 3.0 or better average. Legal residence must be in Clinton, Essex, Hamilton, Franklin, St. Lawrence or Jefferson counties. Must exhibit unmet financial need.

### **Dorothy B. Carpenter '34 Memorial Scholarship**

Student must be enrolled in a teacher-preparation program at SUNY Potsdam pursuing a bachelor's or master's degree in education. Must have financial need determined by the scholarship coordinator in the financial aid office. Must have great potential to become an outstanding teacher. May be renewable until graduation, provided student remains in good academic standing.

### **Michele Christy Scholarship**

Undergraduate student that has completed the Block I semester in childhood education. Demonstrates a passion for teaching with a desire to reach all children. Preference given to non-traditional students with young children. One letter of recommendation must be from a past/present childhood education instructor.

### **Richard C. and Joy (MacDonald '58) Dorf Family Scholarship**

Recipients must be students in the education program.

### **Florence M. Dowd Scholarship**

Awarded to a full-time student who is matriculated in a program leading to undergraduate elementary/early childhood certification or MS in Education (elementary/childhood). Students must be a graduate of Canton, Lisbon or Ogdensburg high school.

### **Krista Fordham '08 Masters in Education Scholarship**

Awarded to a student enrolled full-time in a master's degree granting program within the School of Education & Professional Studies. Preference shall be given to residents of Northeastern United States. Scholarship is not renewable.

### **Karleen Brown Jones '56 School of Education Scholarship**

Recipient(s) must be declared early childhood education major(s) in the School of Education and Professional Studies; Scholarship(s) may be renewable for up to three additional years provided recipient(s) remain declared early childhood education major(s), maintains a minimum 2.5 GPA.

### **Elizabeth "Betsy" Burgan Northrop '61 Scholarship**

Undergraduate "rising junior" who shows great promise of being an outstanding childhood/early childhood teacher. Demonstrates a passion for teaching and a desire to reach all children. Financial need is not a requirement, however preference shall be given to candidates who exhibit financial need. This is a one-time award and thus is not renewable.

### **Eola Pitz Memorial Scholarship**

Given to a non-traditional student majoring in education. Preference given to an undergraduate student who has completed at least one year at Potsdam and has a 3.0 GPA. If there is not an eligible undergraduate student, the scholarship may be awarded to a graduate student. Scholarship is renewable.

### **Cecelia Alton Rock Fund Scholarship**

Awarded to students pursuing a degree in early childhood/childhood education who exhibit financial need. Selection of recipients will be made by representatives of the School of Education and Professional Studies.

### **Evelyn Perley Schmidt '35 Scholarship**

For undergraduate students majoring in early childhood education, who have completed a full year of study at SUNY Potsdam, and have a 3.0 GPA or higher. May be renewable for up to an additional two years, provided the student remains an early childhood education major and maintains a 3.0 GPA. Preference to students with financial need. Student must show commitment to, and passion for, teaching young children.

### **James W. and Ruth J. Scott Scholarship**

Awarded to two freshman matriculated undergrad students who have declared an education major; financial need (per financial aid office); at least 3.5 GPA. Also awarded to matriculated full-time grad students with financial need in teacher preparation.

### **Mildred Pierce Wark '26 Memorial Scholarship**

Awarded to a SUNY Potsdam elementary education major entering their senior year. Recipients should exhibit great potential as a teacher. Student must be in good academic standing.

### **Weatherup-Holland Teachers Scholarship**

Student must be a declared childhood/early childhood education major. Be a resident of St. Lawrence, Jefferson or Franklin county (in order of preference). Be a sophomore, junior or senior and show potential to be an exceptional teacher in the opinion of the SoEPS faculty. Preference shall be given to students with financial need, students who are the first in their families to go to college (first-generation students), students interested in teaching in New York State's North Country region and students involved in activities that enhance the quality of their learning experience, especially if the activity is related to the teaching profession. Scholarship will be renewable until student gradu-

ates, provided they maintain a 3.0 GPA and continues to be enrolled in the early childhood/childhood major.

### **Jerry & Catherine Welsh Scholarship**

Student must be a matriculated student who has expressed interest in pursuing teacher certification and has successfully completed at least one required course for coaching certification. Must have determined financial need. Must have an overall GPA of at least 2.75. Must be involved in some type of leadership in campus and/or community program while at SUNY Potsdam. Must be a graduate of a St. Lawrence, Jefferson, Clinton, Essex, Franklin or Lewis county high school. If no qualified candidates from any of these counties, a recipient may be chosen who is a resident of New York State. Scholarship may be renewable for up to one additional year, provided the recipient remains in good academic standing.

### **Crane Family Scholarship**

Recipient must be a full-time undergraduate student enrolled in a program in math or science education. Must have financial need as determined by the financial aid office. Scholarship is awarded to a "rising junior." Must have an overall GPA of at least 3.0, have exemplary character and demonstrate potential to become an exceptional math or science teacher. Renewable until graduation providing student maintains an overall GPA of 3.0.

### **Marian Lee Frazier '40 and Lulu M. Lee Scholarship**

Scholarship recipient must be a declared early childhood/childhood education major and must have completed a minimum of 24 hrs. of coursework at SUNY Potsdam. Preference shall be given to students who are single parents or come from single-parent homes. Scholarship may be renewable for up to two additional years provided recipient remains a declared early childhood/childhood major and maintains a minimum 2.5 GPA.

### **Kathleen Strobeck '44 & Allen R. Fales Scholarship**

Awarded to a declared undergraduate childhood/early childhood education major enrolled at SUNY Potsdam. May be renewable for up to three years, provided the student remains in good academic standing as a declared early childhood/childhood education major.

### **William J. Amoriell Scholarship**

Awarded to a matriculated full-time or part-time student enrolled in the School of Education & Professional Studies. Must be a "rising junior" or a graduate student. The recipient must have and maintain a minimum GPA of 3.0 for undergraduate and 3.3 for a graduate student. Preference shall be given to a non-traditional adult learner. Preference shall be given to a candidate who has significant financial need. May be renewable for one year provided recipient continues to major in a program within SoEPS and maintains the GPA stipulated.

### **Business Administration Scholarship**

Awarded to rising sophomores, juniors or seniors. Must have determined financial need. Must be a full-time declared business administration major and be employed, working 20+ hours per week to help pay for college. Must have a 2.5 GPA or better.

### **Susan Holly Dierks Scholarship for Early Childhood Education**

For a rising junior (sophomore entering junior year) majoring in early childhood/childhood education who has completed two years of study at SUNY Potsdam or JCC in the jointly registered early childhood/childhood program who will enter SUNY Potsdam as a junior and have a 3.0 GPA or higher. May be renewable for up to an additional year, provided student remains an early childhood/childhood education major and maintains a 3.0 GPA.

### **Evans-Cummings '83 Scholarship**

Awarded to an incoming freshman, transfer student or current SUNY Potsdam student. Education major. High school graduate from a North Country school district (St. Lawrence, Jefferson or Lewis county) with preference given to South Jefferson CSD. Financial need. Good academic standing. Illustrated involvement in their community (hometown or college). Awarded to one undergraduate and one graduate student. May be renewable for one additional year.

### **Carol Clements Scholarship**

The student must be enrolled in a teacher-preparation program at SUNY Potsdam, pursuing either a bachelor's or master's degree in education. Must have financial need as determined by the financial aid office. Must be judged by the Scholarship Committee of the SoEPS as having great potential to become an outstanding teacher. The scholarship shall be renewable until graduation providing student remains in good academic standing and continues to be enrolled in a teacher-preparation program at SUNY Potsdam.

### **Kathleen M. Sipher Memorial Scholarship**

Awarded to a junior declared math education major in good academic standing, with preference to a student who exhibits financial need and who writes the most compelling application essay describing their passion for teaching. In the event of multiple equally qualified candidates, preference shall be given to a student who graduated from a North Country high school. Scholarship may be renewable for up to an additional year, provided student remains a declared math education major and remains in good academic standing.

### **Dr. Neil & Marilyn Johnson Scholarship**

Awarded to a major within the Department of Public Health and Human Performance and is based on merit. Some consideration may be given for financial need, but need is not a requirement. Recipient must be a junior or senior during the awarding year. The scholarship is a one-time award, but a student may be selected a second time.

### **Susan Cancilla Witkowski '79 Endowed Internship Scholarship**

The Susan Cancilla Witkowski '79 Endowed Internship Scholarship was established in 2015 by Susan C. and James P. Witkowski ("the donors"), who wish to help students with expenses associated with off-campus internships within the community health major. The recipient will be chosen according to the following criteria: student must be a declared community health major, must be in good academic standing, must have secured an internship before applying for the scholarship, and the internship must be for academic credit. Financial need is not a requirement for this scholarship, but if there are equally qualified candidates being considered for the scholarship, preference may be given to the candidate with the greatest financial need.

### **Winton H. Buddington Reading Scholarship**

To qualify, a student must: be a matriculated student enrolled in the MSED Literacy Graduate Program, have completed a minimum of nine graduate credits, maintain a 3.5 or better average, and provide a recommendation from a faculty member at SUNY Potsdam. If teaching professionally, recipient must also provide a recommendation from a peer or supervisor in the school district in which they teach.

### **William H. & Margaret B. Cullen Scholarship**

Awarded to students who are enrolled in a teacher preparation program, have completed at least one year of college, exhibit commitment to teaching, exhibit financial need and have at least a minimum GPA of 3.0. The scholarship may be renewable.

### **Lorraine Mader-Bryner Memorial Scholarship**

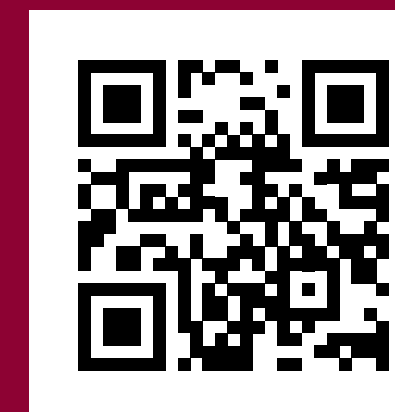
Awarded to graduate students pursuing a master's degree in special education. Candidates will be evaluated on their ability to demonstrate their potential and commitment to becoming an exceptional teacher in special education. Financial need is not a requirement, but special consideration may be given to candidates who express a need for financial assistance in order to complete their degree.

### **Thomas "Tommy" Bickford Memorial Scholarship**

The scholarship recipient will be selected by the Scholarship Committee of the School of Education & Professional Studies in consultation with the Special Education faculty. Student must have applied and been accepted into the Special Education master's degree program. First preference will be given to a candidate who has had previous experience working with individuals with special needs. Second preference will be given to a candidate who has (or has had) personal experience with a family member or friend with special needs. A student may receive the scholarship only once.

### **Alfred W. Santway Scholarship**

Graduate student must be matriculated in a registered program leading to MS in education or MST degree. Preference is given to those students preparing to become teachers and who reside in St. Lawrence County. Need and seriousness of purpose of the students shall be the primary consideration in the selection of recipients rather than scholarship attainment alone. Student must have completed at least 12 credit hours.



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