

**ORDER SONS AND DAUGHTERS OF ITALY CONNECTICUT
GRAND LODGE FOUNDATION, INC.**

APPLICATION FOR ACADEMIC 2022 SCHOLARSHIP

PLEASE COPY AS NEEDED (THE CONTENTS OF THIS APPLICATION ARE CONFIDENTIAL)

To the Foundation Scholarship Chairperson:

I hereby apply for a scholarship to be given at the CT Grand Lodge Annual Convention, scheduled on **Saturday May 13, 2023**. In support of this application, I submit the following information and certify it to be true and correct. I understand that if any information submitted is determined to be untrue or incorrect, the committee may reject the application.

Final Acceptance Date: April 15, 2023 (Postmarked)

Signed _____ Date _____

General Eligibility: CT resident of Italian descent (at least one Italian or Italian-American grand-parent). No application will be considered unless all questions are answered. (Typing within the document is recommended, but not required) **Note:** Applicants must submit an official transcript from their high school.

Name _____ Date of Birth: _____

Home Phone () _____ Email Address _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zipcode _____

High School _____ Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zipcode _____

High School Phone () _____ GPA _____

High School Counselor/Principal _____ Email, If Available _____

Name and Address of Father or Guardian _____

Name and Address of Mother (if different from above) _____

Maiden Name of Mother _____

Are you a member of the Sons and Daughters of Italy in America? _____ If so, what lodge? _____

Do you or did you have a family member that belongs to the Sons and Daughters of Italy? _____

If so, provide member's name, relationship and address _____

Lodge Name and Location _____ Are they currently a member? - _____
What college, university or trade school do you plan to attend? _____

What major or principal study will you pursue? _____

On a separate sheet of paper, please explain how you plan to finance your college education. Include what portion parents will be responsible for and what portion you will be responsible for. Please include any special circumstances or pertinent remarks.

Will you need to work? _____ For what portion of the expenses? _____

In addition, please submit the following:

1. Official Transcript
2. Two (2) Letters of Recommendation. These recommendation letters should exemplify your character, activities and community involvement.
3. Name and addresses of two persons whom you have asked to recommend you for a scholarship:

Name/Address: _____

Name/Address: _____

4. An **essay** of at least 200 words to include the following:
 - your Italian origin;
 - your future aspirations, work experiences, extra-curricular activities, and organizations which you are a member; and
 - Include a paragraph at the end of the essay describing an Italian you admire (not related to you) who made an impression in your life.

REMINDER: Verify all questions are answered correctly and honestly. Send all above items in one envelope to the address listed below. Please certify by signing below.

Applicant

Parent or Guardian

Please comply with all of the above so that your application can be processed.

Mail application and all supporting documents to:

*CT Grand Lodge Foundation
Paul DeRiu (Scholarship Committee Chairman)
141 Maple Tree Hill Road
Oxford, CT 06478*

DUE DATE: APRIL 15 2023 (Postmarked)