



Sicilian Sisterhood

Application Guidelines and Instructions

Sicilian Sisterhood is now accepting applications for its 2026

Community Engagement/Teamwork, Carol Castro, and Pam/Ed Battaglia Scholarships

To be eligible, you:

- Must be a female high school senior scheduled to graduate high school by June 2026
- Must be planning to study and pursue a career where her gifts and talents will be used to better the local community and/or the world
- Must have currently (or during this school year) worked/volunteered with a community organization
- Must be able to describe how you are demonstrating community service and teamwork
- Must be enrolled in a college or technical school by the fall 2024 term following high school graduation

To apply, ALL the following **MUST** be included and submitted by **Monday April 13th, 2026**:

- This completed scholarship application that:
 - Is filled out completely, accurately, and neatly (preferably typed)
 - Is signed by you and a school administrator
- A letter of reference from a community organization that:
 - Is typed on company letterhead, addressed to the Sicilian Sisterhood Scholarship Committee, AND signed by the supervisor writing the letter;
 - Describes your specific duties during your time working with their organization;
 - Describes how you display(ed) teamwork while working with their organization;
- A one (1) page typed essay (**12 pt. font and double spaced**) where you:
 - Highlight any philanthropy you have participated in and how you have been involved in your local community
 - Describe a situation that required you to work as a team member and how you handled it
 - Explain how your heritage has played a role in your personal development
- A copy of your high school transcript (unofficial)

This completed application and attached documents must be RECEIVED via email no later than:

MONDAY APRIL 13th, 2026 by 5:00 PM

E-mail all attachments to: tslaviero@comcast.net

IMPORTANT NOTE: The Sicilian Sisterhood Scholarship Committee reserves the right to disqualify any application that is incomplete or submitted after the deadline. Student recipient(s) will be notified no later than May 30th 2026. Actual monetary scholarships will be issued after a verification of student enrollment in a recognized college or career-technical school program has been received. Verification of enrollment (to be sent to Sicilian Sisterhood by the scholarship recipient) **must be received by October 31st** of the year the award was granted in order to collect the scholarship funds. Student winner(s) must provide the name and address of the educational institution as well as a school-issued student ID number and/or account number where the check will be deposited.



Sicilian Sisterhood 2026 Italian/Sicilian Scholarship Application

Application and all other documents must be scanned and emailed to the following address by 5:00 p.m. MONDAY APRIL 13TH 2026 to the attention of the Sicilian Sisterhood Scholarship Committee:

E mail all attachments to: tslaviero@comcast.net

Scholarships: Sicilian Sisterhood Carol Castro Pam/Ed Battaglia

Please Print:

Student Name: _____ E mail: _____

Address: _____ Cell Phone: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

High School you are attending: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Name and Title of School Administrator: _____

School Administrator Contact Email: _____

Name and location of college or technical/trade school you plan to attend: _____

Have you applied for admission to this school or program? Yes No

Community Service involvement this school year

Name of Business or Organization: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Supervisor Name and Title: _____

Contact Phone: _____ Email: _____

Job/Position/Internship Title: _____

Start Date: _____ Hours worked per week: _____ Is/Was the position: Paid Unpaid

Duties Performed: _____

Signature of Applicant

Signature and Title of School Administrator

Please scan and email the following items to tslaviero@comcast.net:

This completed application form

Community service/business site supervisor letter of reference

One (1) page, typed essay (**12 pt. Font, double-spaced**)

Copy of your high school transcript (unofficial)

DO NOT WRITE BELOW THIS LINE (for office use only)

Date and Time Application Received _____ (must be by 5:00 PM Monday April 13th 2026)

_____ Application completed neatly (including signatures and accurate information)

_____ Letter of reference on letterhead from a community organization student worked with

_____ One-page essay included (12-point font, double-spaced)

_____ Unofficial transcript included