



2024 SULLIVAN 180 SCHOLARSHIP

A DONOR-ADVISED FUND OF THE COMMUNITY FOUNDATION OF ORANGE & SULLIVAN

Sullivan 180 is a non-profit organization dedicated to building a healthy community through people, places, and policy; with an intentional focus on prevention and empowering a healthier generation. We are committed to change by degrees; working with partners, schools, and communities through a grassroots and inclusive approach where everyone can participate in turning around the health of our county.

To this end Sullivan 180 offers grants, technical assistance; and a variety of programs and resources to support our mission; and the efforts and initiatives of our community to enhance health outcomes.

The Sullivan 180 Scholarship is made possible through a donor-advised fund established with the Community Foundation of Orange and Sullivan. Scholarships are available for undergraduate educational studies at the college of one's choice for the **Spring 2025 semester**.

ELIGIBILITY

For an application to be considered the candidate must be a resident of Sullivan County and able to demonstrate that they have volunteered for a 2024 Sullivan 180 project **in a significant way**. Volunteer activities include gardening, caring for public spaces, project documentation, outreach or fundraising.

Prospective candidates are encouraged to read through the application and respond to all questions thoroughly.

Determination and award amounts will be made based on the extent of the applicant's volunteerism.

APPLICATION PROCESS

Scholarship applications are due by **August 19, 2024**, and must be completed electronically via the Community Foundation of Orange and Sullivan's Online Portal.

The completed application includes the submission of:

- A typewritten personal essay explaining the applicant's Sullivan 180 volunteer experience and how it impacted them personally
- A letter of recommendation from the project leader
- One additional letter of recommendation from a member of the community or other non-relative.
- Photos of the applicant during their volunteer experience (2 or 3)

Applications missing any of the above items will be considered incomplete and held until all documentation is received. This may impact review and award.

An interview of final candidates may be conducted before selection. Scholarship recipients will be notified by phone whether they have been awarded a scholarship; followed by letter and documentation.

If awarded a scholarship, payment will be made directly to the financial office of the recipient's college/university.

[Click here for the portal](https://www.grantinterface.com/Home/Logon?urlkey=cfosny) or copy and paste **https://www.grantinterface.com/Home/Logon?urlkey=cfosny** into your browser.

For New Users:

Step 1: Create an account.

Step 2: Once you have a user ID and Password, log in to the **Online Scholarship Application Portal**.

Step 3: In the top right field, enter access code **24SUL180** and click the Enter Code button. You will be redirected to the Sullivan 180 Scholarship page.

Step 4: Click Apply and complete the application

For Returning Users:

Step 1: Log in using your current information

Step 2: In the top right field, enter access code **24SUL180** and click the Enter Code button. You will be redirected to the Sullivan 180 Scholarship page.

Step 3: Click Apply and complete the application.

Contact Lisa Mitchell at Lisa@cfosny.org or call 845-769-9393 with any questions about the application process.

Contact Anne-Louise Scandariato, Director of Community Engagement at Anne-Louise@Sullivan180.org or call 845-295-2680 with any questions about the scholarship or eligible activities.