

Georgetown Working League  
Scholarship Committee  
P.O. Box 262  
Georgetown, ME 04548  
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Dear Georgetown Resident,

If you are planning to continue your education at an accredited institution of higher learning - academic, technical, or professional, I encourage you to apply for one of several scholarships presented by the Georgetown Working League (GWL). The league is an organization founded by a group of women in 1913. GWL is dedicated to supporting many community organizations, as well as, awarding scholarships to deserving residents. We award scholarships of our own, as well as scholarships underwritten by community members, organizations, and businesses.

Scholarships are given on a yearly basis, you may apply each year, even if you have previously been a recipient.

**Scholarships the GWL has awarded:**

Benjamin Riggs	Georgetown Island Education Foundation (GIEF)	John & Nancy Calhoun
Island Carpentry	Derektor Robinhood Marine Center	Josephine Hooker Shain
North End	Georgetown Working League	Connie Donovan
	Woodex MECO Bearing Company	

**To be eligible for one of these scholarships you must:**

1. **Be a resident of Georgetown, Maine.**
2. Have been accepted or wait-listed\* at an accredited school for further advanced education - trade school, college or university, or a gap-year program.

**To apply for one of the scholarships you must:**

1. Obtain instructions and an application form from the GWL folder at the Georgetown Post Office, our website at [www.georgetownworkingleague.org](http://www.georgetownworkingleague.org), or by contacting me directly.  
**The completed application form must be signed in ink.** (unless submitted online, you will sign the application electronically)
2. Gather all supplemental materials: application, transcript, a copy of your acceptance or wait-list\* letter, and essay. The committee emphasizes the essay portion of the application.
3. Submit the application and supplemental materials online or in one envelope postmarked no later than Monday, May 4th, 2026, to the address above.
4. **Note: No emailed, faxed, or hand-delivered applications will be accepted!** (Plan ahead).

**If you fail to enclose the required information and/or submit late, your application may be disqualified.**

The League's Scholarship Committee will announce all recipients in June. You will be invited to a luncheon on June 16th, 2026, to meet/thank the donors and receive your check. If you have any questions during this process, contact me at 1(617) 899-8635, or by email at [kfarina@myfairpoint.net](mailto:kfarina@myfairpoint.net).

Best regards,

Katharine Farina  
GWL Scholarship Committee Chair

\*If wait-listed, please mail a copy of your acceptance letter when received.

