



Southold Free Library Scholarship application

The Southold Free Library is offering a \$500 scholarship to offset future education/training costs. Two scholarships will be awarded in 2026.

Eligibility: A student graduating from Southold Jr/Sr High School, any parochial or private school, or homeschool, who is a Southold Library card holder for a minimum of one year prior to applying.

How to Apply: Submit contact information, essay, and resume to Library Director Caroline MacArthur via email (caroline@southoldlibrary.org). Applications may also be dropped off at the Library attention to Caroline MacArthur.

Deadline: April 15, 2026

1. Contact Information:

Name:

Address:

Phone:

Email:

2. Submit a 400-700 word essay discussing **one** of the following topics:

- A. How do you think AI will transform the Southold Free Library from the present to the future?
- B. How can the Southold Free Library prepare to best serve our changing community?
- C. What do you see as the library of the future?

3. Describe briefly what your future plans entail (e.g. education goals, field of interest). What would you like to be doing in five years?

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