



Thousand Islands Foundation

PO Box 100, Clayton, New York 13624

An affiliate of the Northern New York Community Foundation

www.thousandislandsfoundation.org

The Thousand Islands Foundation exists to generate and distribute resources to create, enrich, and expand scholarship opportunities to maximize success for Thousand Islands area students and graduates.

THOUSAND ISLANDS FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS NON-TRADITIONAL

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ELIGIBILITY

Thousand Islands area residents from Alexandria Bay, LaFargeville, Lyme, and TI Central are eligible for assistance for educational opportunities. A student must be a resident from a Thousand Islands area high school for at least one year. A non-traditional student (defined as a student who is a resident from a Thousand Islands area high school and who now wishes to pursue a form of continued education) is also eligible. He/she must be accepted at an institution of continued education at the time of application. All scholarships will be for one year.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES

Secure an application from the School Counselor Office of Thousand Islands, Alexandria Bay, LaFargeville, or Lyme high school or download the application from the Thousand Islands Foundation website,

www.thousandislandsfoundation.org

1. Complete the application and return it to the Clayton address at the top of this page.
2. Provide a copy of your letter or documents of acceptance from the indicated institution of higher education.
3. Provide transcripts of your high school and any applicable college grades.
4. A personal interview *will be required of non-traditional students*.
5. If any requested material is not included, the application is considered incomplete and will not be considered for a scholarship.

AMOUNT OF GRANTS AND AWARDING

A determination of the amount of any grant shall be made by the Foundation based on available Foundation funds and the merits of individual cases.



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Full Time Non-Traditional Scholarship Application

Name _____

Address _____

Telephone _____

Marital Status _____

Children _____ Ages _____

Email _____

College or Continued Education Attending _____ Major _____

Expected Graduation Date _____ Degree _____

Previous Colleges Attended _____ GPA _____

Request all colleges you have attended and the high school you graduated from to send an official transcript of your academic record to the Thousand Islands Foundation.

Date Requested _____

On a separate sheet of paper please write an essay (typed or computer form) answering both questions in a minimum of 150 words, maximum of 200 words:

- Why should the Thousand Islands Foundation invest in your future?
- How will your education help you contribute to the community where you choose to live?

References (Include name, address, and telephone number of three people familiar with your education and employment performance.)

All applicants agree by signing this application that their name and their image can be used by the Thousand Islands Foundation and the Northern New York Community Foundation, and their successors, to advertise and promote the said Foundations in any and all forms.

Applicant's Signature _____ Date _____



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APPLICANT APPRAISAL

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM TO: THOUSAND ISLANDS FOUNDATION

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To be completed by a high school or college counselor, advisor, instructor, or supervisor.

This appraisal is worth a total of 10 points in scoring for our scholarships.

8 points for the assessment and 2 points for your comments.

You have been asked to provide information in support of a scholarship application for

Name of Applicant _____

Social Security Number _____

ASSESSMENT (8 points)

The applicant's choice of a post Secondary education program is Extremely appropriate Very appropriate Moderately appropriate Inappropriate

The applicant's achievements reflect his/her ability Extremely well Very well Moderately well Not well

The applicant's ability to set realistic and attainable goals Excellent Good Fair Poor

The quality of the applicant's commitment to school and community Excellent Good Fair Poor

The applicant is able to seek, find, and use learning resources Extremely well Very well Moderately well Not well

The applicant demonstrates curiosity and initiative Extremely well Very well Moderately well Not well

The applicant demonstrates good problem-solving skills, follows through, and completes tasks Extremely well Very well Moderately Not well

The applicant's respect for self and others Excellent Good Fair Poor

COMMENTS (2 points) Use backside of sheet if more space is needed.

Appraiser's Signature and Title _____

School/College _____ Telephone Number _____

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Name of Applicant _____

Educational Costs and Your Means to Cover These Costs

Expected annual cost of attending college:

Tuition	\$ _____
Room and Board	\$ _____
Fees	\$ _____
Miscellaneous (books, travel, etc.)	\$ _____
Total	\$ _____

Scholarships and Grants Awarded:

Scholarships	_____
Tuition Assistance Programs	_____
Pell Grant	_____
Work Study Grant	_____

TOTAL	_____



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Non-Traditional Scholarship Application

HAVE YOU?

- 1. Completed all pages of the application?
- 2. Included your typed essay?
- 3. Included with your application a statement of your educational costs and your means to cover these costs and a copy of your Financial Awards Letter from your college if you have received it?
- 4. Included a copy of your letter of acceptance from the institution of higher education?
- 5. Given the Applicant Appraisal form to someone to complete and return to the Foundation?
- 6. Asked your Guidance Counselor to send an official transcript of your academic record to the Foundation?

NOTES: Please submit the materials that you are required to return, in the order listed above.

Do NOT put your application in a folder, binder, etc.