



The
Maria A. Sciara
Scholarship Fund
Dedicated To Fulfilling Educational Dreams

Scholarship Applications

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To Whom It May Concern:

Enclosed are applications and guidelines for the LI2Day Scholarship and the Maria A. Sciara Scholarship. Both scholarships are administered by LI2DAY. **Please pay careful attention to our eligibility requirements for each scholarship before distributing to your students.** Be certain that students receive a copy of the appropriate Application Guidelines with the Scholarship Application.

Eligibility requirements are as follows.

LI2Day: This is a \$2,500 scholarship that will be awarded to 5 graduating seniors in Nassau and Suffolk Counties. LI2Day has awarded nearly \$200,000 in scholarships to Long Island students in the past 13 years. The student must reside with a parent or guardian who is a survivor of ***breast cancer and/or other women's cancers***, or have resided with a parent or guardian who has passed from ***breast cancer and/or other women's cancers***.

Maria A. Sciara : NEW THIS YEAR! Those aspiring to become teachers will be given extra consideration for this scholarship but it is no longer the criteria for applying for the scholarship.

This is a \$2,000 scholarship that will be awarded to 3 graduating seniors in Nassau and Suffolk Counties. \$6,000 has been earmarked for three (3) scholarships. The student must reside or have resided with a parent or guardian who is a survivor of any cancer ***other than breast cancer and/or other women's cancers*** or have resided with a parent or guardian who has passed from any cancer ***other than breast cancer and/or other women's cancers***.

Applicants for either scholarship must also reside in Nassau or Suffolk County.

- The application and all accompanying materials must be submitted together in a single package. No incomplete applications will be considered.
- The due date for both applications is April 1, 2017. There will be no exceptions. Please be certain you give your students enough time to respond in a timely manner.

For questions about this scholarship, please e-mail scholarships@li2daywalk.org. Thank you for your continued interest in our scholarship program.

Very truly yours,

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