



Jeanne L. Hammond Memorial Scholarship

Information for Scholarship Applicants

The BPW/Maine Futurama Foundation awards a \$3,000 scholarship to a woman who is a resident of Maine in memory of Jeanne L. Hammond. She was a member of BPW for more than 50 years and worked tirelessly with Waterville BPW, BPW/Maine, the Futurama Foundation scholarship program, and the Maine Women's Hall of Fame. Jeanne was honored as both BPW/Waterville and BPW/Maine Member of the Year, as received the AAUW Achievement Citation Award recipient in 2000, and was named BPW/Waterville Volunteer of the Year at the REM Community Awards Ceremony in 2005.

The Jeanne L. Hammond Memorial Scholarship is awarded annually to a woman who demonstrates financial need and is currently pursuing an undergraduate degree or certification at least a half-time.

The scholarship is intended to help cover educational expenses during a student's second year of post-secondary study or to support a student who has completed at least one year of college and will need to attend for at least one additional year.

Primary consideration will be given to applicants with strong school and/or community involvement, in honor of Jeanne's life and accomplishments. Secondary preference will be given to women pursuing a journalism degree, as well as members or former members of BPW/Maine and the female dependents of BPW/Maine or the American Association of University Women.

The scholarship payment will be made directly to the school and applied toward the second academic term. The Maine Community Foundation will send a check in early December to the student's school or college. Both the student and the school or college must sign the check.

Criteria

- Be a Maine resident who will complete her first year at an accredited college or other post-secondary education.
- Demonstrate school and community involvement.
- Demonstrate financial need.
- Have clear educational, personal, and career goals.

Requirements

Only applications submitted as a single, combined PDF file in one email will be considered. Do not send multiple attachments or emails.

1. **Application Form:** Complete the form, including the statement of financial need signed by a Financial Aid Official. If available, attach the Financial Aid Award letter from your institution. See Page 2. Always download the form to your desktop before typing.
2. **Transcript:** Provide a copy of your college transcript.
3. **Recommendation Letter:** Submit one letter from an unrelated person, such as a teacher, counselor, or supervisor.
4. **Personal Statement:** Include an essay of 500 words or more describing your educational, personal, and career goals. The statement should also explain your financial need and why this scholarship is important to your goals.
5. **Involvement:** Include a list of school and/or community involvement, including high school if applicable.
6. **Optional:** If you or a relative are members of BPW or AAUW, include the relative's name and your relationship with them.

The deadline for completed applications is April 15. Late applications will not be considered. Please email all application materials as a single, combined PDF to FuturamaFoundation@gmail.com.



Jeanne L. Hammond Memorial Scholarship Application

Name: _____ Age: _____
Mailing Address: _____ Telephone Number: _____
City, State: _____ Zip: _____ Email Address: _____

High School Attended: _____ Enrolled Dates: _____ Grad Date: _____
College Attending: _____ Expected Grad Date: _____
Major/Area of Study: _____ Attending Full Time ___ Part Time ___
If a program other than college, please describe: _____

Current Employer: _____
Annual Income: _____ Amount of Income/Savings used for educational expenses: _____
Marital Status: _____ If married, please provide combined annual income: _____
During the school year, where will you be living? At home: ___ On Campus: ___ Off Campus: ___

List family members attending college (i.e., siblings, children, spouse/partner)

Table with 3 columns: Siblings, Children, Spouse/Partner; Institution Enrolled; Age

Note: If you have additional information relevant to this application, please submit a separate document detailing it. For example, medical circumstances or unusually high childcare costs.

Statement of Financial Need for the Ensuing Academic Year

Financial Aid Award for Academic Year

Total Grant Funds: \$ _____
Total Scholarships: \$ _____
Total Direct Loans: \$ _____
Total Private Loans: \$ _____
Other Aid: \$ _____
TOTAL All Financial Aid: \$ _____

Estimate Estimated Expenses

Tuition/Fees: \$ _____
Books/Supplies: \$ _____
Room/Board: \$ _____
Travel/Miscellaneous: \$ _____
TOTAL Expenses: \$ _____

Effective Family Contribution (Student portion): _____ Effective Family Contribution (Parent portion): _____

Name of Financial Aid Official: _____
Title: _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____

I hereby apply for the above scholarship and agree to conform to all the regulations governing it. The above statements are certified to be true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____