

ORDER SONS and
DAUGHTERS of ITALY in
AMERICA

FILIPPO MAZZEI LODGE #2763
of GREATER MILWAUKEE



2024 SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

Scholarship Amount: \$2,000

Application Deadline: May 31, 2024

Winners Announced: June 21, 2024

Scholarships Awarded: July 17, 2024



Filippo Mazzei Lodge #2763

SCHOLARSHIP OVERVIEW

The Filippo Mazzei Lodge #2763 of Greater Milwaukee is pleased to offer a merit scholarship again this year. We are part of the national organization, Order Sons and Daughters of Italy in America. OSDIA originated in 1905 as a mutual aid society. The spirit of helping and giving continues today with the awarding of our scholarships.

Our motto is LIBERTY, EQUALITY and FRATERNITY.

ELIGIBILITY

1. Origin - Candidate to be of Italian descent as determined by OSDIA's trustees and selection committee.
2. Residence - Candidate must reside in the following counties: Kenosha, Milwaukee, Ozaukee, Racine, Walworth, Washington and Waukesha.
3. Educational Requirements - Graduating senior of an accredited public or private high school.

SCHOLARSHIP QUALIFICATIONS

Academic achievements, references, honors/awards, personal statement, financial need, citizenship, personality, and leadership are the criteria by which applicants will be judged. The required documents are:

1. The scholarship application and personal information sheet.
2. Two letters of recommendation, less than 250 words each, from non-family members.
3. An official transcript of credits.
4. A copy of the (ACT or SAT) scores, if applicable.
5. A personal statement of your Italian descent.

FILING of APPLICATIONS

The application, signed by the Principal or Counselor of the applicant's school, must be postmarked by the deadline indicated on the cover page and submitted to:

Filippo Mazzei Lodge #2763
c/o Italian Community Center
631 E. Chicago Street
Milwaukee, WI 53202-5916
ATTN: Scholarship Chairman



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SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Full Name: Mr./Ms. _____ Phone _____

Email Address _____

Home Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Date of Birth _____ High School _____

Graduation Date _____ ACT/SAT _____ Grade Point (4.0 Scale) _____

Honors/Awards _____

Offices/Memberships Held in Class or School Organizations _____

Extracurricular Activities _____

Community Activities, Offices Held, Awards, etc. _____

Work Experience _____

Career Plans/College Choice _____

The information submitted on this form and attached hereto, has been examined by me and I thereby certify that the facts contained herein are true.

Student's Signature

Date

Principal's/Counselor's Signature

Date



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SCHOLARSHIP PERSONAL INFORMATION SHEET

(To be completed by the student)

FATHER or GUARDIAN:

Name _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____ Work Phone _____

Occupation _____

MOTHER or GUARDIAN:

Name (include maiden name) _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____ Work Phone _____

Occupation _____

Explain Any Extraordinary Expenses, Debt or Hardship Circumstances _____

Why Do You Feel You Should Be Selected? _____

Please attach a personal statement. Include your Italian descent and any involvement in Italian American activities. (One page, double space limit)