



**Scholarships Honoring  
Jean Luoma (\$2000)  
Diane Boyce (\$2000)  
Alice Bosselman (\$2000)  
Amy Kasper scholarship (\$1500)  
Susan Letizia Scholarship for Nursing (\$1000)**

**Deadline for Complete Application - March 31, 2026**

The American Association of University Women (AAUW) St. Augustine Branch of St. Johns County is offering five scholarships this year. The scholarships each year are awarded to local college and university students who are residents of St. Johns County. Three scholarships honor Jean Luoma, Diane Boyce, and Alice Bosselman for their years of dedicated service to the AAUW St. Augustine Branch. The Amy Kasper scholarship is from her mother Gerry Linton, a member in honor of her daughter. And additionally, the Susan Letizia Scholarship for Nursing.

**One Application for all scholarships begins on page 3 Below**

**REQUIREMENTS: An Applicant for the Scholarship must:**

1. Be a US citizen and permanent resident of St. Johns County, Florida for at least one year. Proof of permanent residency, such as a driver's license, voter registration, or passport is required. A permanent resident may live at a university outside of St. Johns County, Florida and maintain a permanent residence with parents or guardian living in St. Johns County.
2. Be an undergraduate or graduate student (all genders) at least half time, who has completed 24 credits of college level studies by the end of the 2025 Fall Term.
3. Have a minimum GPA of 3.0. Provide official transcript(s) from all colleges and universities that you have attended or currently attend.
4. Provide information regarding all financial assistance being received. This should include grants, scholarships, awards, and loans that you have received for the 2025-2026 academic year.
5. Completed application and 250-word essay either handwritten or typed.
6. Two letters of reference: one personal (not a relative) and one professional (faculty member, school administrator or professional mentor or employer) or employer.

These letters are to be mailed directly to the AAUW **Scholarship Committee**.

See application for address.

7. Be available for interviews in April. Date TBD. Interviews will be done by Zoom.

Failure to provide required letters of reference, transcript(s), essay, signature or completed application by the deadline of March 31, 2026 will be considered incomplete and will not advance in the competition.

Scholarship funds may be used only for qualified educational expenses, tuition, fees, books, room and board or educational equipment and will be paid directly to the college.

Download the application at: [staugustine-fl.aauw.net/scholarship/Application](http://staugustine-fl.aauw.net/scholarship/Application). Click on the word "scholarship".

**If viewing on the website, scroll down to application on next page.**



**American Association of University Women  
St. Augustine Branch**

**Application for**

- Alice Bosselman Scholarship (\$2000)**
- Jean Luoma Scholarship (\$2000)**
- Diane Boyce Scholarship (\$2000)**
- Amy Kasper scholarship (\$1500)**
- Susan Letizia Scholarship for Nursing (\$1000)**

**March 31, 2026 - Deadline for Receipt of Completed Application**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number \_\_\_\_\_

Email address \_\_\_\_\_

1. List colleges/universities attended, dates of enrollment, declared major or area of concentration and degree sought.
  
2. List all college activities, membership to organizations, offices held, honors and awards granted.
  
3. Beginning with the most recent, list employment history providing dates of employment, names and addresses of employer(s)

4. Attach a minimum of a 250-word essay stating why you applied for the scholarship and how it will assist you if awarded.
  
5. Include official transcripts(s), proof of St Johns County residency (driver's license), and information on financial assistance received. Letters of reference should be mailed to the address below by referring individuals.
  
6. How do your future goals align with AAUW's philosophies?

I, undersigned, affirm that all information on this application and supporting documents are true. I agree that my name, university, major and photo may be used in publicity releases by AAUW St. Augustine Branch by filling out the attached permission form.

Application Information Sheet can be downloaded in Word or PDF at:  
[staugustine-fl.aauw.net/scholarship /application](http://staugustine-fl.aauw.net/scholarship/application)

If under 18 years of age, please provide a parent or guardian signature.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ date\_\_\_\_\_

Return completed application, essay, transcript(s), letters of reference, financial information and proof of residency to:

AAUW Scholarship Committee  
Cathy McGinn  
841 Copperhead Circle  
St. Augustine, F 32092  
Phone 904-940-8226



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Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_