The Dante Scholarship

A scholarship for students of Italian descent who are legal residents of, or from the greater Rochester area

Dante Scholarships are awarded to men and women every year to recognize academic achievement and promote pride in Italian American heritage. Applicants must be full-time matriculated undergraduate or graduate students at one of three institutions: the University of Rochester, Nazareth College of Rochester or St. John Fisher College. It is funded by the Italian Women’s Civic Club of Rochester.

Eligibility:

1. Academic standing as a sophomore or junior in an undergraduate degree program; or a senior accepted into a graduate degree program; or a full-time graduate student (12 hours or more) enrolled in a master’s level or doctoral program.

2. Cumulative GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale or the equivalent.

3. Be a legal resident or native of the Greater Rochester Area, including Monroe, Orleans, Livingston, Wayne, Ontario and Genesee counties.

4. Have some Italian heritage.

5. Be available and willing to attend the Dante Scholarship Dinner in the fall and participate in one IWCC event that celebrates Italian American culture.

Find details and an application link at [http://www.iwccinc.org/dante%20scholarship.htm](http://www.iwccinc.org/dante%20scholarship.htm)

The application deadline is April 1, 2017