

For your award book, my scholarship's title will be:

Student Loan Awareness Award

Awarded to any high school senior attending college the following fall who demonstrates mitigations and awareness of the cost of college.

Requirements: Applicants are to watch the following youtube video and respond to the following questions: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PqzEcER8AJA>

- 1.) When it comes to degree and college selection, what factors could Jesse have taken into account to make her student loans more manageable?
- 2.) List different ways you will help yourself to graduate with little to no student loan debt.
- 3.) List the average annual salary of your degree for someone in NYS (simple google search).
- 4.) Calculate how much money you will have to borrow via loans. In your calculations, estimate your expected scholarship awards. Also, include room and board if you choose to live on campus, as well as an estimate of books cost. You may be general but accurate in your calculations.
- 5.) Bonus (optional): In what ways will having student loans impact your life? (eligibility to purchase a house, save for retirement, have children, buy a car, etc)

GPA requirements: None

Minimum page essay: None (full answers to the questions; the more detail you include, the better!)

Minimum Degree anticipated: Associates

Scholarship amount: One-time award of \$1000 that can be used for any expense for the best applicant, \$500 to the second place applicant. Award will be in the form of cash.

Students may use the help of any adult for answering any of the questions or reach out directly to me. It is encouraged for the applicant to consult with a sibling or family member who has gone to college recently.

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