



MAP

Maine Island Scholarship

Geiger Scholarship

Who?	Island high school juniors	Island students pursuing post-secondary education, including graduating high school seniors, current college students, and adult/non-traditional learners	Island middle school, high school, gap year and college students
Brief Program Overview	Transition support for all high school juniors. Involves leadership training, monthly webinars, and individualized support. Includes access to a peer mentor and scholarship for students who enroll in post-secondary education.	Island students pursuing post-secondary education, including graduating high school seniors, current college students, and adult/non-traditional learners	Scholarship supports students to expand their educational horizons through off-island enrichment and travel experiences, including summer camp, semester, study abroad, and gap year programs.
Scholarship Amount	\$500/year for post-secondary education, up to four years (\$2,000) Additional competitive scholarship opportunities specifically for MAP students	Sweet Scholarship: \$2,500/year renewable for up to four years. Awarded to ONE incoming college freshman Maine Island Scholarship Award: \$1,500/year for one year. Awarded to FOUR students pursuing post-secondary education Otter Island Award: one-year award to the top scoring applicant attending one of the following schools: Connecticut College, Colorado College, Duke University, Texas Christian University, University of Utah, and Vanderbilt University.	Up to \$10,000 for semester programs and up to \$5,000 for summer programs. Due to the generosity of a donor, we are able to fully fund (tuition and program deposit) ONE student to attend the Yale Young Global Scholars Program. Student must apply and be accepted into the program.
Application Materials	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Personal/School Information • Resume • Transcript • Personal Statement 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Personal/School Information • Resume • Transcript • Personal Statement • Letter of Recommendation • EFC from FAFSA Student Aid Report 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Personal/School Information • Program Information (including dates and cost) • Personal Statement • Letter of Recommendation
Application Deadline	February 28, 2019	February 28, 2019	November 30, 2018 and February 28, 2019

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Important Notes

Students do not need to know what their next steps after high school will be to apply for MAP. Students will need to complete program requirements to receive scholarship award.

Incoming freshman who apply will be considered for both the Sweet Scholarship and the new Maine Island Scholarship. Students may apply for the Maine Island Scholarship every year during their post-secondary education.

You may receive the Geiger Scholarship once in middle school and once in high school. Once as a gap year and once for college study abroad. Students must be enrolled in a program.

Eligibility Requirements

- Island resident of or attending high school on one of Maine's 15 year-round, unbridged islands
- Currently enrolled in or have graduated from the highest grade available at your island school
- Current high school junior

*Extenuating circumstances regarding island resident and education considered one a case-by-case basis

*Please note that students enrolled in an island school magnet program who are not island residents may apply for and participate in MAP programming, but are ineligible for the scholarship award.

- Island resident of one of Maine's 15 year-round, unbridged islands
- Currently enrolled in or have graduated from the highest grade available at your island school
- Student pursuing post-secondary education (2-year, 4-year, or vocational/technical) at an accredited institution
- Undergraduate, fully matriculated EFC of \$15,000 or less (from FAFSA)

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- Island Resident of one of Maine's 15 year-round, unbridged islands
- Currently enrolled in or graduated from the highest grade level available at your island school
- 6th grade or above

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Link to apply

See our website to apply for these scholarships: www.islandinstitute.org/program/education/scholarships