



Protecting and improving the health of  
Brewster's ponds through science,  
education and advocacy

## \$2,000 Scholarship Award for 2026

### Guidelines for Nauset Regional High School and Cape Cod Regional Technical High School

**PURPOSE:** The Brewster Ponds Coalition (BPC) will provide two scholarship awards for the purpose of supporting students who have chosen to pursue an education and career related to the mission of the organization.

**AWARD:** Each scholarship award will be for \$2,000. The recipients will receive a check from the BPC to use towards his/her continuing education program.

**ELIGIBILITY:** Students are eligible to apply for the BPC 2025 Student Scholarship Award provided they: 1) are seniors at the Nauset Regional High School OR Cape Cod Regional Technical High School; 2) have a minimum cumulative unweighted GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale; and 3) plan to enroll in a continuing education program and field of study that support the mission of the BPC.

*A continuing education program may be a two- or four-year college, work/study program, internship, alternative study program, apprenticeship, etc. A field of study may include environmental studies and sciences, water resource management, wastewater management, marine sciences, marine technology, natural resources management, natural landscaping, wildlife management, biology, chemistry, etc. All students who meet these requirements are encouraged to apply.*

**APPLICATION PROCESS:** Students must complete the 2026 Student Scholarship Application and attach: 1) at least one reference letter, 2) full secondary school transcript, and 3) a personal essay as described on the Application. **Incomplete applications will not be considered.**

[The Application can be accessed and downloaded here](https://www.brewsterponds.org/uploads/1/4/9/0/149051869/2026_bpc_scholarship_application.pdf) or by typing this into your browser: [https://www.brewsterponds.org/uploads/1/4/9/0/149051869/2026\\_bpc\\_scholarship\\_application.pdf](https://www.brewsterponds.org/uploads/1/4/9/0/149051869/2026_bpc_scholarship_application.pdf). It is also available on the BPC website [www.brewsterponds.org](http://www.brewsterponds.org). Navigate to the "Programs" tab, and select the "Student Scholarship Award" page. Applicants can also scan the QR code at the bottom of this page to access the BPC website.

**DATE DUE:** Send all documents via e-mail or mail to the BPC, as noted in the Application, by April 1, 2026.

**QUESTIONS:** Send an email to: [scholarship@brewsterponds.org](mailto:scholarship@brewsterponds.org).



The Brewster Ponds Coalition is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization dedicated to "protecting and improving the health of Brewster's ponds through science, education and advocacy. The BPC has active projects of citizen scientists testing pond water quality, educating children and adults on pond ecosystems, and advocating with local government leaders on pond and water quality issues.