



**Academic Year: 2022**

**Scholarship: Bobby Alviggi Culinary Arts Scholarship**

**Granter: Sabino and Diana Alviggi**

**Award Amount: \$1,250 (2 Awards \$1,250 each)**

**Scholarship Application Deadline: All applications must be received by May 2, 2022.**

The Bobby Alviggi Culinary Arts Scholarship, has been established in loving memory of Robert Alviggi, will provide an annual scholarship of **\$1,250** for recipient to attend a school of higher learning of his/her choice. Bobby had a love of food that he shared throughout his life with his family and friends. The recipient of these scholarships will be a student who demonstrates enthusiasm for learning along with a passion for the culinary arts and has demonstrated the ability to overcome setbacks, which allowed them to grow from that experience.

**Eligibility Requirements:**

Students must be pursuing a career in Culinary Arts or in the food service industry and enrolled in an accredited institution of higher education conducting classroom learning and labs. Application must be accompanied by proof of admission to a school of higher learning. Student must possess a **3.0** cumulative G.P.A. or higher and must provide a current high school or college transcript. Application should include a current resume and the required essay.

**Essay requirements:**

Essay must be between 500 – 1,000 words. Student should choose one of the topics below.

1. Why are you applying to the Robert “Bobby” Alviggi Memorial Scholarship?
2. Pick a negative experience from your own life and explain how you overcame any obstacle’s arising from this. What impact, if any, has that experience influenced your choice to pursue culinary art?
3. If you employed in the culinary arts, what advice would you give to another individual who is considering pursuing a career in culinary arts?

All students should send their scholarship application and essay to:

Leslie Steele  
New Jersey Restaurant Educational Foundation  
126 West Street  
Trenton, NJ 08608

Applications can also be sent via email to: [info@njrha.org](mailto:info@njrha.org)

Students will be notified by May 16, 2022 if selected for the Robert “Bobby” Alviggi Memorial Scholarship Award by email. They will be sent an official letter congratulating them in May. Awarded students will be invited to attend the NJREF Culinary Student Day Celebration. \*Students may apply for more than one NJREF scholarship; however, each student can only be awarded one scholarship per academic year.

New Jersey Restaurant Educational Bobby Alviggi Culinary Arts Scholarship Application

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

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

High school: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

College: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Cumulative G.P.A.: \_\_\_\_\_

- I have attached my most recent transcript  High School  College
- I have attached proof of acceptance into an institution of higher learning
- I have attached a copy of my resume
- I have attached an essay between 500 – 1,000 words answering one of the prompts above

**The below questions will not affect the decision to award the student a scholarship.  
They are solely for research.**

Did you compete in the 2022 State ProStart Competition?  Yes  No

Gender:  Male  Female

Are you currently employed in the food service industry?  Yes  No