



**Academic Year: 2018/2019**

**Scholarship: Women in Food Service Scholarship**

**Granter: New Jersey Restaurant Educational Foundation**

**Award Amount: \$800**

**Scholarship Application Deadline: All applications must be received before April 1, 2019**

**Eligibility Requirements:**

Student must be enrolled in a college, university, or an adult vocational school.

Student must provide high school or college transcripts. Student GPA must be 3.0 or higher.

Student's permanent address must be in the state of New Jersey

Application must be accompanied by proof of admission to a school of higher learning and the required essay.

Student must provide a resume that includes work experience in the food service industry.

**Essay should be 400-500 words about one of the listed topics below:**

- Why are you applying to the Women in Food Service Scholarship?
- How has your education contributed to who you are today?
- What do you consider to be the best advice you ever received? Who gave you the advice and did you follow it or not?

**All students should send their scholarship application and essay to:**

Sarita Curry  
New Jersey Restaurant Educational Foundation  
126 West State Street  
Trenton, NJ 08638

**Scholarship recipients will be notified by April 16, 2019.** The recipient for the "Women in Food Service Scholarship Award" will be contacted by email or phone. They will also receive an official letter of congratulations in April. Awarded recipients 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 (1) scholarship per academic year.



**New Jersey Restaurant Educational Foundation Women in Food Service Scholarship Application**

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

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

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

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

High School: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

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

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

Cumulative GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

- I have attached my transcripts       High School       College

High School Graduation Year: \_\_\_\_\_  I am a high school senior.

College Graduation Year: \_\_\_\_\_ Current College Level: \_\_\_\_\_

- I have attached a copy of my resume with references included  
 I have attached proof of acceptance into an institution of higher learning  
 I have attached an essay between 400-500 words answering one of the below questions

- Why are you applying to the Women in Food Service Scholarship?
- How has your education contributed to who you are today?
- Who in your life has been your biggest culinary influence and why?

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

Age: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Are you a ProStart Graduate/Student?  Yes       No