



Sally C. Chamberlain Scholarship

American Association of University Women Harrisburg Branch

\$1,500 Scholarship 2025-2026 Academic Year

The **Sally C. Chamberlain Scholarship** was established by Ms. Chamberlain to offer encouragement funding for women seeking to renew or resume academic work for credit towards career employment or advancement, for example, those who have experienced interruptions in their post-secondary education and want to resume their studies. The scholarship aids women who, through education, are making changes, seeking to advance in current careers, or reentering the workforce.

Eligible candidates must meet the following criteria:

1. Enrolled at least half-time (6 or more credits per term) for the 2025-26 academic year
2. Female student having completed at least 15 credits toward an associate or bachelor's degree by the end of Spring Term 2025
3. Attending an accredited college or university located in Pennsylvania
4. Permanent resident of Cumberland, Dauphin, or Perry County or Northern York School District
5. Demonstrated academic achievement with at least a 2.90 GPA
6. Demonstrated financial need

Applicants must submit the following materials to AAUW Harrisburg, Scholarship Committee, P.O. Box 60911, Harrisburg, PA 17106-0911 by July 31, 2025:

1. Completed application
2. **Official** transcript through Spring Term 2025
3. Financial Aid Form
4. Essay
5. Letter of reference from a college counselor, instructor, or work supervisor

Additional information and application materials are available on the AAUW website: <http://harrisburg-pa.aauw.net>. The Harrisburg Branch of AAUW may be contacted by email at HbgAAUWScholarship@gmail.com.

Deadline: Postmarked or received by email July 31, 2025

Deadline for Submission: Postmarked or received by email July 31, 2025
Return to: Scholarships, AAUW Harrisburg, P.O. Box 60911, Harrisburg, PA 17106-0911
Or via Email: HbgAAUWScholarship@gmail.com

Rev. 03/27/2025



Sally C. Chamberlain Scholarship

Applicant Name: _____ Date: _____

Include your name at the top of each page. Complete the Application and Essay. Obtain references. Request financial aid information. Be sure to include additional documentation and information as directed. Type or print neatly.

Part I. APPLICATION

Contact and Residence Information

Permanent Address:	
Street City, State, Zip	
County:	
Phone:	
Email:	
Current Address (if different from above):	
Street City, State, Zip	
County:	
Phone:	
Email:	

High School and College(s) Attended

Name	City/State	Dates Attended	Credits Completed	Graduation Date MM/YYYY

Deadline for Submission: Postmarked or received by email July 31, 2025
Return to: Scholarships, AAUW Harrisburg, P.O. Box 60911, Harrisburg, PA 17106-0911
Or via Email: HbgAAUWScholarship@gmail.com



Sally C. Chamberlain Scholarship

Applicant Name: _____ Date: _____

Major Course of Study: _____

Cumulative GPA as of last semester attended:
Note: An official college transcript from the most recent semester completed must be sent from the college or university you last attended.

Extracurricular Activities (include employment, if applicable)

Activity	Involvement	Approximate hours per month

Deadline for Submission: Postmarked or received by email July 31, 2025
Return to: Scholarships, AAUW Harrisburg, P.O. Box 60911, Harrisburg, PA 17106-0911
Or via Email: HbgAAUWScholarship@gmail.com



Sally C. Chamberlain Scholarship

Applicant Name: _____ Date: _____

Part II. ESSAY QUESTION

Please type or print neatly and limit your response to one page and 300 words maximum

Essay Question:

AAUW's mission is to advance equity for women and girls through advocacy, education, philanthropy, and research. What are your reasons for seeking additional education and how does your academic major fit with your career goals Describe your potential for success in your chosen field and your proposed timeline for degree completion.

Deadline for Submission: Postmarked or received by email July 31, 2025
Return to: Scholarships, AAUW Harrisburg, P.O. Box 60911, Harrisburg, PA 17106-0911
Or via Email: HbgAAUWScholarship@gmail.com

Rev. 03/27/2025



Sally C. Chamberlain Scholarship

Part III. Reference

Using the form provided with this application, please submit a letter of reference from a college counselor, instructor, or work supervisor.

Deadline for Submission: Postmarked or received by email July 31, 2025
Return to: Scholarships, AAUW Harrisburg, P.O. Box 60911, Harrisburg, PA 17106-0911
Or via Email: HbgAAUWScholarship@gmail.com

Rev. 03/27/2025



AAUW Harrisburg Branch Scholarships

Part IV. DOCUMENTATION:

**Consent to Release Educational Records
Official Transcript
Proof of Enrollment
Financial Aid Information**



AAUW Harrisburg Branch Scholarships

Applicant Name: _____ Date: _____

CONSENT TO RELEASE EDUCATIONAL RECORDS TO A THIRD PARTY ***NOTE: PRIVACY ACT ENFORCED***

I, _____, hereby request and give my consent to the release of those educational records specified below to the AAUW Harrisburg, Scholarship Committee, P.O. Box 90611, Harrisburg, PA 17106-0911.

It is further understood that the college or university will inform the above-named applicant that any and all information contained in those educational records may not be transferred to another third party without her written consent.

Materials to be released:

1. **Official** Transcript
2. Scholarship Financial Aid Form
3. Verification of Enrollment

Reason for this release:

Application for AAUW Harrisburg Branch Scholarship

Student Signature

Date

Student ID Number



AAUW Harrisburg Branch Scholarships

Applicant Name: _____ Date: _____

FINANCIAL AID FORM

To be completed by the Financial Aid Officer at the Institution the applicant plans to attend during the 2025-2026 academic year.

Student Name:	
Student ID#:	
Permanent Address:	
School/College Name:	

Student enrollment for fall 2025 term: Fulltime At Least Halftime Less Than Halftime
 Grade Classification for fall term 2025: Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior
 Student Status: Dependent Independent
 Has this student filed a FAFSA for the 2025-2026 academic year? Yes No

Annual Costs for 2025-2026 Academic Year	
Tuition	
Required Fees	
Room and Board	
Books and Supplies	
Other Expenses (explain)	
Total Cost of Attendance	

2025-2026 Student Aid Index	
Parent(s) Contribution	
Student's Contribution	
Total	

Student Name:	
Student ID#:	



AAUW Harrisburg Branch Scholarships

Applicant Name: _____ **Date:** _____

Financial Aid: Actual or Estimated

2025-2026 Financial Aid	
A. Gift Aid	
College Grants (need based)	
PELL	
PHEAA	
FSEOG	
Private Scholarships	
Institutional Scholarships	
B. Self-Help	
Subsidized Federal Direct Loans	
Unsubsidized Federal Direct Loans	
Federal Work Study	
C. Other Aid (please identify each)	
Total	

This certifies that the information provided reflects data currently on file at this institution and is correct as of this date. It is understood that grants and loans for 2025-2026 may not be firm. This estimate or actual profile of assistance will provide AAUW Scholarship Selection Committee with information to determine the student's financial need.

Name of Financial Aid Officer:	
Phone Number:	
Email Address:	

Signature _____ **Date** _____