



## HOW TO HELP IN MAINE & MARTIN'S POINT COMMUNITY OUTREACH SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

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Sponsored by Martin's Point Health Care

At "[How to Help in Maine](#)" we are excited to announce the first annual Community Outreach Scholarship. Founded in 2018, we are a student run organization which helps connect students to volunteer opportunities throughout Maine.

We will be awarding two **1500 dollar scholarships** to two high school students currently going to school in Maine who best represent the spirit of volunteering. Please fill out the following application to be considered. We will announce the winner in early May.

**Applications are due by: Friday, April 24, 2020**

[howtohelpinmaine.scholarship@gmail.com](mailto:howtohelpinmaine.scholarship@gmail.com)

**Full Name:**

**Home Address:**

**Phone Number:**

**Email Address:**

**High School:**

**Grad. Year:**

**Organization(s) where you volunteer:**

**Address of primary volunteer organization:**

**Street Address:**

**Town / City:**



1. We are looking for two passionate high school-aged students who are making a profound impact on their community through innovative work and community service. In a 250-500 word response, please describe how your volunteer work makes you a valuable applicant. Describe how the work has changed you as well as the community.



2. Please provide two references that we can contact regarding your community service. One should be affiliated with the volunteer work that you do and the other should be a teacher or administrator from your school. Please inform both references that we may be contacting them and grant them permission to talk about your volunteer activities.

**Volunteer Reference Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone Number:** \_\_\_\_\_

**School Reference Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone Number:** \_\_\_\_\_

3. Although it is not required for consideration, we would love to have one or two photographs of you volunteering or of the organization where you volunteer. We hope to create a photo-video slideshow of all the great student volunteers throughout the state to be shown on the night we present the scholarships. If you have some to share, please send attach when you submit the application.

4. Applicant Information Release  
I hereby authorize "How to Help in Maine" to use my volunteer story as well as any photos I have submitted in any future digital and/or print publications/considerations.

**Printed Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signed:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent Signature (if under 18)** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_



**Please send completed pdf to the following email. Attach any photos you would like to share with us.**

**howtohelp.scholarship@gmail.com**

**Thank you for submitting your application!**

**Winners will be announced in May of this year at a date to be determined. All applicants and their families are welcome to attend an awards ceremony at that time. This ceremony will celebrate all the great volunteers throughout the state, feature a keynote speaker, and recognize the scholarship winners.**

**Please follow us on social media and sign up on our website to learn more about our organization and to keep informed of all the cool volunteer activities available to students throughout Maine.**

### **HOW TO HELP IN MAINE MISSION**

At "How to Help In Maine," we're raising awareness of all the places students of any age can donate their time, goods and money to organizations and people who need them most. We believe in taking action with urgency in order to raise public awareness about some of the most pressing issues facing Maine residents today.

On our [website](#), we have over fifty organizations across Maine available for students to explore their interests and make new, meaningful connections. There is also an events calendar, featuring charity events throughout Maine, and a blog where students can share a poem, anecdote, or piece about their volunteer experiences.

You can sign up to be on our contact list on our website under the "Who We Are" tab. You will receive periodic emails about charity events, new volunteer opportunities, and How to Help in Maine updates. To receive weekly news, you can follow us on social media @howtohelpinmaine.