



MLT Priscilla Hathaway Art Scholarship

The Mattapoissett Land Trust is seeking a qualified candidate for its annual \$1000 Priscilla Hathaway Art Scholarship. Priscilla was a professional artist, teacher, and environmentalist, as well as co-founder of the Mattapoissett Land Trust. She was a sailor and helped “save the seas” as a bay watcher with the Buzzards Bay Coalition. She was very interested in Native American artifacts. Priscilla loved the outdoors, especially the woods, beaches, and sand.

This award is available to a Mattapoissett, Marion, or Rochester resident graduating from high school in the spring of 2026, who is committed to keeping the core values that Priscilla Hathaway exemplified, is studying art, and plans to continue education in fine arts. The scholarship is made available through the generosity of Brad Hathaway and his family.

Deadline for applications: April 17, 2026

Notification of award: May 15, 2026

Name: _____

Home address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Mother's name: _____

Address: _____

Occupation: _____

Father's name: _____

Address: _____

Occupation: _____

Names and ages of siblings; specify family members attending college:

School activities/honors (attach additional sheet if necessary)

Area of study and college you are planning to attend:

Total annual anticipated college expenses:

Tuition & fees: _____

Room & board: _____

Please identify any family or personal circumstances you feel warrant attention:

Along with the application form, the following is required:

- A piece of visual art, such as a drawing, painting, or art installation, either 2D or 3D. No video or animation will be accepted. Art should be photographed and sent digitally with the application.
- A personal statement about how the applicant's art piece connects the viewer to the natural world, and how the applicant connects with Priscilla Hathaway's core values.
- A professional letter of reference from a teacher or counselor.
- A letter of character reference from an employer, activity leader, or community member.
- An official school transcript including credits and class rank.

Once the candidate is chosen, the original art must be matted or mounted for display at your school's senior awards event.

Mail application and accompanying materials to:

**Mattapoissett Land Trust
Priscilla Hathaway Scholarship
PO Box 31
Mattapoissett, MA 02739**

The deadline for submitting the complete application is April 17, 2026. The recipient will be notified by mail by May 15, 2026.

The actual award will be dispersed after the student submits an official college transcript documenting the successful completion of the first semester in college to the Mattapoissett Land Trust.