

SVFT 2025 Scholarship Program

The State Vocational Federation of Teachers Local 4200A is pleased to notify you of twelve (12) \$1,000 scholarships available to members' children **who are currently high school seniors** and planning to further their education or to begin work in their trade in the fall of 2025.

Please note: The 2025 scholarships will be awarded on the basis of vocational or academic promise. Applications must be received on time and complete to be considered.

SVFT 2025 Mini-Grant Program

The SVFT is also pleased to announce that up to \$4,000 in scholarship funds are available in the form of **mini-grants** to SVFT members for the purpose of professional growth.

To apply, send the coversheet and respond to the statements.

Successful grant recipients will be required to submit a newsletter or website article explaining how the investment was used for professional growth. The purpose of this grant is to enable members to grow professionally, **outside of the activities funded by CTS-43 or the tuition reimbursement program.**

Applications for scholarships or mini-grants must arrive at the SVFT office no later than Thursday, May 15, 2025 at 3pm.

Announcement of awards will be made on or about Friday, June 6, 2025.

Applications are available on our web site, svft.ct.aft.org

Questions may be addressed to SVFT Vice President, Makenzi Hurtado, 860-371-6382 or mhurtado@svft.org.

Committee Members

<u>Name</u>	<u>School</u>
Tashua Sotil – Chairperson	Vinal
Tina Piscioti	Goodwin
Angela Ocasio	Windham
Siobhan Jurczyk	Wilcox
Kris Paradis	Grasso
Cynthia Keeney	Kaynor
Krista Miller	Eli Whitney
Makenzi Hurtado	

**State Vocational Federation of Teachers
2025 Mini-Grant Application**

Include the following:

- 1) This application coversheet
- 2) Respond to the following statements:
 - a. Explain how the requested funds will be used.
 - b. Explain the expected individual professional growth.
 - c. Explain how your growth in this area will benefit your school and/or the school community and/or SVFT.
- 3) Flier/information from program and a breakdown of specific costs. We do not accept links to websites.

The application and all supporting documents must arrive at the union office, addressed to

**SVFT
439 Main St.
Wallingford, CT 06492**

to the attention of the **Scholarship Committee**, no later than **3pm on Thursday, May 15, 2025**.

Applicant's Name _____

Applicant's Address _____
(Street)

(City) (State) (Zip Code)

Applicant's School of Employment _____

Applicant's current position(s)/subject _____

Personal Email Address _____

Amount Requested: _____

Have you applied for CTS-43 funding (up to \$550)? (yes / no) If yes, was it approved? (yes / no / pending, date entered: _____) If approved, will some of the funds go to sub coverage? (yes / no)

I acknowledge that if awarded any funds for this mini-grant, I will need to submit an article for the *SVFT Vocational Instructor*.

Applicant signature: _____