**JEWISH SCHOLARSHIP SERVICE OF GREATER PITTSBURGH**

**of the Jewish Federation of Greater Pittsburgh**

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 ***DEADLINE EXTENDED***

Attention: Financial Aid Offices, Guidance Counselors, Synagogues and Youth Organizations

The deadline for Jewish Scholarship Service of Greater Pittsburgh (JSS) applications has been extended to **March 2, 2021**. JSS is a non-profit scholarship agency providing grants to local students. Scholarships are distributed on the basis of **demonstrated financial need**. In addition, the applicant must be Jewish, be a resident of Allegheny, Westmoreland, Beaver, Butler or Washington County for at least two years, and need financial assistance to attend an accredited institution of higher education as either an undergraduate or graduate student. We highly recommend that students apply to our program even if they are uncertain of their plans for 2021-2022. It is better to apply for a scholarship and withdraw if they decide to not attend school rather than missing the **March 2, 2021** deadline.

We would appreciate your help in making students aware of the availability of these funds. Please inform any interested students that the **deadline for applications is now March 2, 2021; no exceptions.** Please also inform interested students that all first-time applicants must be interviewed by JSS staff.

Applications are available at [jfcspgh.org/scholarships](http://www.jfcspgh.org/scholarships). If you have any questions, please feel free to email me at alowenberger@jfcspgh.org.

Sincerely,

Alayne Lowenberger, Director

Jewish Scholarship Service of Greater Pittsburgh