

**Media Release**

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**Ethel Strickarz Memorial Scholarship Opportunity**

The Arc of Steuben Foundation is proud to once again offer the 2025 Ethel Strickarz Memorial Scholarship. The scholarship is open to graduating seniors from a public or private school in Steuben County, homeschooled students who reside in Steuben County and are completing their senior year, or adult learners who resides in Steuben County and are pursuing their education in the field of special education, human services, or a related clinical area such as nursing, psychology, speech pathology, or physical/occupational therapy.

The award was created in memory of Ethel Strickarz, a longtime associate of The Arc of Steuben who served as Director of Development prior to her death in 2014.

Completed applications must be received on or before March 31, 2025. Students can return their completed applications to their high school guidance office. Students pursing education elsewhere should return their completed applications to The Arc Allegany-Steuben's Development Office, 1 Arc Way, Bath, New York 14810.

The application is also available on the Arc of Steuben Foundation's website at  
[www.arcofsteubenfoundation.org/ways-to-give/ethel-strickarz-memorial-scholarship](http://www.arcofsteubenfoundation.org/ways-to-give/ethel-strickarz-memorial-scholarship).

Questions about the Ethel Strickarz Memorial Scholarship should be directed to the Community Foundation office at [cmm@communityfund.org](mailto:cmm@communityfund.org) or 607-739-3900.

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