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2026 John Santos Memorial Scholarships

Suicide is incredibly complex, but prevention is possible when individuals address the root causes of past trauma and learn self-care tools to foster resilience and healing.

Our scholarships aim to spark dialogue, increase awareness and break the stigma surrounding suicide and mental health challenges.

Please support our 2026 goal to award 21 scholarships to deserving high school seniors across New Jersey — students who have been impacted by suicide or mental health challenges, who excel academically and are strongly active in community service.



Since 2011, a total of 64 memorial scholarships have been awarded

**Please mail your tax - deductible
donation to:**

John Santos Charitable Org
PO Box 234
Raritan, NJ 08869

Or Venmo: @Augusta-Santos

Thank you!

The João José “John” Santos Charitable Organization was created in memory of a devoted, hard-working man with a heart of gold, whose life was tragically cut short by mental illness. What began as a grassroots effort has grown into a nonprofit organization with a mission to educate and equip families with the tools they need to address mental health challenges and help prevent suicide.



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Charitable Organization**

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prevention into the spotlight’
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