ESATYCB offers awards of up to $800 to outstanding biology students in New York State who expect to receive an Associate degree in the 2020-2021 academic year, and who plan to continue their studies in biology or a related field. Some transfer colleges and universities have agreed to either match or exceed the monetary award from ESATYCB. All students who have completed a minimum of three biology courses or who have completed 2 biology courses and have at least one in progress at the time of application (two of the 3 biology courses must have a laboratory component) and who have an overall grade point average of 3.0 or better are invited to apply.

Bonnie Glickman, the first graduate of Monroe Community College to be hired as a faculty member at MCC, began her career as a biology professor in 1969. She was dedicated to her profession and was involved in a multitude of environmental organizations. As a member of ESATYCB since 1988, Bonnie immediately became a Member-at-Large (1988-1992) and generously supported the annual scholarship to two-year college students planning to continue their education in a biology-related field. It is in her memory that ESATYCB awards this scholarship.

All application materials must be postmarked by April 1, 2021. Ineligible, late, or incomplete applications will not be considered for an award.

1. Complete this form and the essay described below, and send them to the address below. All applications must be typed/word processed, and the essay must be double spaced.

2. Ask two instructors from your college (at least one of whom must be from a biological discipline) to write letters of recommendation. The letters should be sent directly to the address below.

3. Have your college mail to the committee (address below) an official transcript, current as of March 16, 2021.

Address all mail to: Dr. Jennifer Merriam
Biology Department
SUNY Orange – Middletown Campus
115 South Street
Middletown, NY 10940

Your name:
_____________________________________________________________________________________

Home address (include ZIP):
_____________________________________________________________________________________
College you are presently attending:
_____________________________________________________________________________________

Program: ________________________ Advisor ____________________ Grad. date

Four-year colleges to which you have applied:
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Biology courses completed or in progress through Spring 2020 (name and number)
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Other college science courses through Spring 2021
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Names, titles, phone numbers of 2 instructors who are sending letters of recommendation:

1.________________________________________________________

2.___________________________________________________________________________________

Name & address of local newspaper
_____________________________________________________________________________________

Essay: On separate paper, typed or word-processed and double-spaced, state your career and academic goals and your involvement with extra-curricular and public service activities. Your comments concerning your future plans and how you plan to use this award if you win are very important components of the evaluation process.