

## SCHOLARSHIPS FOR ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

***Pending the appropriation of state funds of the NYS Legislation, 8,000 scholarships will be awarded. Two thousand scholarships will have a value of \$1500 each and 6,000 scholarships will have a value of \$500 each. Scholarship winners must attend a college or university in New York State. Those who do not attend a college or university in New York State forfeit the award. Awards are renewable for up to four academic years of undergraduate study or five academic years if the program of study normally requires five years.***

### Eligibility Requirements:

- Must graduate from a New York State high school.
- Must be a legal resident of New York State for at least one year (citizen of the US).
- Must be in attendance as a full-time, matriculated student at an approved New York State postsecondary institution by the fall following graduation.

### Selection Criteria:

Dryden uses Regents test scores in determining scholarship recipients. The weighing of the scores shall be:

Comprehensive English – weight of 3

Algebra 2 & Trigonometry – weight of 3

Global Studies – weight of 1

US History/Govt – weight of 1

Science (3 lab) – weight of 1 for each course