



is pleased to announce:

The Maria Guarrera Wilmeth Scholarship Awards

Two awards of \$800 each for outstanding Washington metropolitan area **high-school students** of a public school in which the Italian language is part of the curriculum.

APPLICANT MUST:

1. send a handwritten letter in Italian, which includes a short biographical presentation and saying why they chose to study Italian;
2. include a letter of recommendation;
3. send us a creative video of 2 to 3 minutes, in which the student - or a group of 2, or 3 students maximum (who will share the award: \$250 each; or \$200 each, if 3 students) - speak in Italian: acting, talking about themselves, cooking, or doing/presenting a subject of their choice, as long as they speak in Italian.

The winners will be expected to make remarks in Italian accepting the award [at the ICS Gala, at the Italian Embassy on June 7th.](#)

APPLICATIONS DEADLINE: May 15th, 2024.

Send to: language@italianculturalsociety.org (for sending us the video, you can use the website www.wetransfer.com)

See other [ICS Scholarship Awards](#) on our website.



A few words on our association:

The Italian Cultural Society of Washington D.C. is a non-profit organization that promotes Italian language and culture, through [monthly events](#), [special events](#), [scholarship awards](#), and through the [Italian Language Program](#), established in 1974, thanks to contributions of the ministry of Foreign Affairs. Today the ILP is a leading private school with over 2,000 enrollments per year, offering language and cultural classes, including courses focused on History, Cinema, Opera, Art, Music, Travel, Cooking, Yoga in Italian, Food-Wine Pairing and Latin, as well as themed Workshops and Summer Camps for kids and teens. Instructors are native Italians and well-trained in teaching Italian as a second language.

Our members are Americans, Italians, Italian-Americans and lovers of the Italian culture.