



**The João José 'John' Santos
Charitable Organization**

From STIGMA to EDUCATION
*'Bringing depression and suicide
prevention into the spotlight'*
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João José 'John' Santos Memorial Scholarships

About the Scholarship

João José 'John' Santos Charitable Organization offers this memorial scholarship in honor of John's life and legacy. The scholarship supports students continuing their education and working to create a more compassionate, stigma-free world.

Eligibility Requirements

- Graduating high school senior
- Continuing education (preferably for mental health-related fields)
- Demonstrate academic excellence
- Meaningful community service involvement

Application Materials

- 1) Academic Transcript
- 2) Resume highlighting extracurricular activities & community service
- 3) 500-Word Essay describing:
 - Career goals
 - Impact of suicide loss or mental illness
 - Lessons learned
 - What stigma means & how to reduce it

Submission Details

Please email all materials by **May 6, 2026** to:
augusta@johnsantoscharitableorganization.org

***if rewarded, scholarships will be presented at the**

Walk to Prevent Suicide on June 7, 2026*