



Peruvian Outreach Project

We believe that a single action can make a difference in a community and that collective action can greatly impact our world.

Peruvian Outreach Project Mission

Through advocacy, partnerships, and outreach activities, the Peruvian Outreach Project (**POP**) works to enhance the lives of children and young adults living in Peru.

POP currently works with children living at the Aldea Orphanage in Tarapoto, Peru and supports young women while they attend nursing school near Tarapoto. A new initiative is underway in Trujillo, Peru, where special needs students are supported with education and health care.

This year, POP received funding that must be used as scholarships to support Western New York students pursuing degrees careers in education, child care, or health care. Those monies fully fund these scholarships.

The Peruvian Outreach Project Scholarship Initiative 2025

- To assist the post-secondary education of individuals who have supported POP or whose families have supported POP
- To assist students who are pursuing careers in education, child care, or health care

Applicant Eligibility

- High school student from a WNY high school or a WNY resident attending a post-secondary program

Terms

- Funds will be paid directly to the awardee's academic institution.
- The funds must be used within 6 months of being awarded.
- Five scholarships of \$500.00 are available in 2025.
- A completed application must be received BEFORE May 16, 2025.

The completed electronic application must be emailed to info@wnypop.org. or mailed in hard copy form to:

**Peruvian Outreach Project
P.O. Box 234
East Pembroke, NY 14056**

- POP is not responsible for lost or misdirected email or mail. We suggest applicants notify info@wnypop.org when submitting an application.
- The Scholarship Committee will make its selections by June 10, 2025
- All decisions by the Scholarship Committee are final.

Criteria for Judging

- Individual and/or family support of POP
- Pursuit of career in a health or child care profession or an education field.
- Essay
- Reference
- Application form

Required Materials

- Personal Information Form
- Written recommendation from a faculty member. Optimal references support applicant's success/probable success in a career in healthcare, child care, or educational.
- Essay discussing this prompt:

The Peruvian Outreach Project supports the health, welfare, and education of children and students in impoverished areas of Peru. What is your connection to the Peruvian Outreach Project (POP) and how are you planning to use your career to support the health, welfare, and/or education of others?

Personal Information

Name:

[Click or tap here to enter text.](#)

Street:

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City/Zip:

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Educational Institution Attending in September:

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Major:

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Career Goals / Vision:

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If **currently** attending a postsecondary institution, please complete the following information below

Course of Study:

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Year and Semester study began:

[Click or tap here to enter text.](#)

Course credits completed:

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Advisor name:

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