

Application for Scholarship for 2026 Hog Island Educator's Week

Seneca Rocks Audubon is sponsoring one teacher or adult community leader who promotes an appreciation of nature through school, work, or volunteer activities in Clarion, Forest, or Jefferson County for the weeklong program, Sharing Nature: An Educator's Week, at Hog Island, Bremen, Maine, August 9-14, 2026.

The SRAS scholarship will pay 100% of the cost of the course, room, and board. The chosen applicant is responsible for travel expenses.

If chosen, the applicant agrees to describe their experience in the SRAS newsletter, The Drummer, and to make a 30-45-minute presentation to Seneca Rocks Audubon in Fall 2026. Both should briefly include how the applicant will apply their learning to benefit their students or community.

A detailed program description can be viewed at:
<http://hogisland.audubon.org/sharing-nature-educator-s-week>

The Seneca Rocks Audubon **Hog Island Scholarship application is on the next page.**

Please submit your completed application by **February 22, 2026** to:
Seneca Rocks Audubon, Scholarship, P.O. Box 148, Clarion, PA 16214, or by email to
senecarocksaudubon@gmail.com

Any questions can be emailed to the above or call Jerry Cichocki at 717-439-4631.

We'll email an acknowledgment when we receive your application, and will notify you of the results by **March 1, 2026**.

Thank you for your interest!

Seneca Rocks Audubon Hog Island Scholarship

Name _____

Address _____

Email _____ Phone _____

Please answer the following questions about your interest in participating in the Hog Island Educators Week program:

1. How did you learn about this Scholarship?
2. What is your current position? Approximately how many children, teenagers, or adults do you work with each year?
3. Describe how you currently incorporate nature and environmental education into your teaching. Please include some of the methods you use and what the learning goals are.
4. What new methods or areas of study might you like to add to your teaching?
5. Why would you like to participate in this program, and what would you like to learn?
6. How might you share what you learn with other educators?
7. Do you have any other relevant background or experience that you'd like to share?