

*The Suffield Observer*  
Samuel Spencer Fuller Scholarship

**Duration of Scholarship** - One year

**Criteria for Selection** -

1. The Samuel S. Fuller Scholarship is open to any Suffield resident who will be entering an accredited two or four-year college in September, 2026 and plans on studying journalism or communications and has a background of community service.
2. The applicant is required to write a 500-700 word essay or give a five-minute presentation in an electronic medium about something he or she loves to do, bringing to life the applicant's enthusiasm, emotion and passion for the topic. Sam inspired others to look at both sides of an issue and to become an active community participant. He was known for his generosity as well as his ability to laugh at himself.
3. Copy of high school transcript
4. Attach two letters of reference, at least one from a teacher at your school.
5. On-time completion of data form (see pages 1-2, below)
6. Application deadline – May 15, 2026

**Number of Recipients** – One

**Amount of Scholarship** - \$2,000

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**Student Information**

1. Name \_\_\_\_\_
2. Address \_\_\_\_\_
3. Phone and email \_\_\_\_\_
4. School currently attending \_\_\_\_\_
5. College of choice \_\_\_\_\_
6. Expected Major \_\_\_\_\_
7. SAT scores \_\_\_\_\_
8. GPA \_\_\_\_\_
9. Work experience \_\_\_\_\_  
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10. Community service experience  
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11. Student honors/awards  
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