

# Complete Your Degree

## You're Closer Than You Think



Life Happens. So Does Opportunity.

Whether you started college and didn't finish, or never got the chance to begin — you're not alone.

The Complete Your Degree (CYD) program is designed specifically for adults in Oceana County who are ready to take that next step toward education, career advancement, and a better future.

No matter your age or life story, you deserve a chance to grow.

Take the next step with support, guidance, and funding from the Oceana Community Foundation.

## What is Complete Your Degree?

The Complete Your Degree program is a supportive scholarship initiative from the Oceana Community Foundation that helps adult learners in Oceana County return to college or career training and successfully complete a postsecondary credential.

### Program offers:

#### Scholarship funds each year.

Up to \$5,000 per year in scholarship funds. This money can be used toward tuition, books, fees, and other education-related costs.

#### Life needs financial support.

This includes help with things like gas, groceries, child care, internet access, technology, and other essentials that might otherwise get in the way of completing school.

#### A dedicated success coach.

Every participant is matched with a person who helps with career planning, motivation, time management, financial aid navigation, and ongoing support throughout the journey.

### Is CYD for you?

This program is designed for:

- Adults who live in Oceana County.
- Individuals who have started college or training in the past but didn't finish.
- People considering going to college or earning a certificate for the first time.
- Anyone who is motivated to build a better future but needs financial and personal support to make it happen.



**The Complete Your Degree program removes common barriers to returning to school—offering both financial help and hands-on guidance to help you stay on track and achieve your goals.**

**We've made applying easy—and we're here to help.**

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**Let's talk about your goals!**

