The Jan DiMartino Delany Memorial Scholarship, an endowment fund of The Foundation for Enhancing Communities, offers a $3,000 scholarship for graduating seniors of Cumberland Valley High School attending a two-year or four-year institution of higher education. The scholarship is named for the 1975 graduate of Cumberland Valley High School who served as the senior class president and showed remarkable strength in pursuing her career goals despite many hardships. Jan passed away suddenly in 1995 and her family and friends have memorialized her with this scholarship fund.

**ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA**
1. Graduating senior of Cumberland Valley High School
2. Leadership qualities within the school or community and community service
3. Overcome personal challenges
4. Scholastic ability
5. Financial need

**HOW TO APPLY**
Please visit your school’s counseling office to pick up a copy of the application. Once completed, please return the application to your school counseling office.

The following information will be required for the application to be considered complete:
1. FAFSA Student Aid Report (SAR): Please attach the report in its entirety. This report must include the Estimated Family Contribution (EFC). Please be aware that the SAR is not the same as the Summary Report. In addition to the SAR, you may also provide a letter with information you believe will be useful in determining your financial need (e.g., family and student income). Are there extenuating circumstances of which we should be aware? For example, illness in the family, loss of employment, or other relevant information?
2. Personal Essay: Explain how you have overcome personal challenges. 300 words maximum, typewritten, 12 pt. font, double spaced.
3. Two (2) Personal Reference Letters. One letter must be from a high school teacher on school letterhead; the other letter must be from an employer, supervisor, or community advisor on letterhead. Letters from family members will not be accepted. References should be sealed in an envelope and should not be opened by the student. All reference letters must remain confidential.
4. Official Transcript.

**RENEWABILITY**
This scholarship is a one-time only award.

**MATCHING AWARD OPPORTUNITIES**
AES/PHEAA’s PATH Program: Scholarship recipients are eligible to have their awards matched on a dollar-for-dollar basis by AES/PHEAA’s PATH (“Partnerships for Access to Higher Education”) Program. PHEAA may grant matching funds to scholarship recipients who are enrolled in an approved Pennsylvania college or career school as an undergraduate student on at least a half-time basis, who are a Pennsylvania state grant recipient and who demonstrate financial need. Students must also be a resident of Pennsylvania, not in default on any educational loans, maintain academic progress, and not be considered an incarcerated student. The match provides last-dollar support for tuition and fees. Scholarship funds used for reimbursement of textbook purchases are not eligible for a PATH Program match. The scholarship recipient's information is submitted to PHEAA by TFEC staff. No additional work will be asked of the scholarship recipient. For more information regarding AES/PHEAA, please refer to their website at www.pheaa.org.