

# Scholarship Packet



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Come see us for:  
College/Career Planning  
College Applications  
SAT and/or ACT Registration  
Scholarships & Financial Aid

*College Central is located in Building 2 Room 121G- between Security & the Nurse*



College Foundation of North Carolina (CFNC) offers help with career and college planning. You can investigate future careers, explore college choices, figure out how to pay for your education, and even complete college applications on line. Visit [CFNC.org](http://CFNC.org) today to create your account.

When you create your account, you can:

- Apply for scholarships and other financial aid.
- Complete college applications.
- Complete Residency Status through RDS (Residency Determination Service)
- Find tools and resources appropriate to your grade or stage of life;
- Store your work, applications, account and other information to pick up or review any time;
- Keep a lifelong portfolio to help with future career transitions; and
- Get suggestions based on previous web activity



What is RDS?

North Carolina partially subsidized the cost of NC public college and university tuition for all students whose permanent legal residence is in NC. Residency determination establishing is students should have in-state or out-of-state tuition.

Do I need to use RDS?

- ✓ Any student applying for admission, readmission or transfer to a state supported college or university and claiming residency must use RDS for residency determination.
- ✓ Students applying to, or enrolled at, a North Carolina Independent College or University who want a North Carolina state grant must use RDS for residency determination.

Log on to [ncresidency.org](http://ncresidency.org) today to create your account and to complete your RDS.

## Mark Your Calendar



## Take the SAT at SHS

(Before you pay to test stop by College Central for your test fee waiver.)

Test Date	Registration Deadline	LATE Registration Deadline
March 14, 2020	February 14	February 24
May 2, 2020	April 3	April 20



## Take the ACT at SHS

(Before you pay to test stop by College Central for your test fee waiver.)

Test Date	Registration Deadline	LATE Registration Late Fee Required
February 8, 2020	January 10	January 11 – 17
April 4, 2020	February 28	February 29- - March 13



Want help completing the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid)? We'll make it easy. College Foundation of North Carolina, the North Carolina Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators, and State Employees' Credit Union are offering free programs to help you complete and submit this important form. The FAFSA will be available on **October 1, 2019**, but you can obtain a FSA ID **now**! The student and one parent must have a FSA ID to sign the FAFSA.



Scholarships are gifts of money that do not require repayment. Scholarships usually recognize special achievements in academics, talent, and leadership. Some scholarships may also require that students demonstrate financial need. Financial need will be determined by submitting the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). **\*\*The new FAFSA opens October 1st\*\*** [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov)

### **Scholarship Tips**

Before you start any scholarship applications, it's important to know basic information about the scholarships you are applying for. Common requirements for many (not all) scholarships include: a completed Application, Letters of Recommendation, Essay (s), a copy of your Transcript, and your GPA and SAT/ACT scores.

#### **Tips to remember:**

1. Apply only if you are eligible.
2. Complete the application in full and follow directions.
3. Neatness counts. Recommended to submit typed applications.
4. Give concrete examples to essay questions.
5. Identify the sponsor's goals.
6. Write an accomplishments resume.
7. Watch all deadlines
8. Take steps to make sure your application gets where it needs to go.
9. Ask for help if you need it.
10. Remember – your scholarship application represents YOU!

For more tips, visit <http://www.studentscholarshipsearch.com/tips/scholarship-essay-tips.php>



**Search for Scholarship Apps on your  
Smartphone & Scholarship pages on Facebook!**  
Examples: Scholly; Scholarships.com; College Greenlight



### **National Scholarship Sites**

[www.fastweb.com](http://www.fastweb.com)

[www.ScholarshipPoints.com](http://www.ScholarshipPoints.com)

[www.scholarshipexperts.com](http://www.scholarshipexperts.com)

[www.zinch.com](http://www.zinch.com)

[www.StudentScholarships.org](http://www.StudentScholarships.org)

[www.Cappex.com](http://www.Cappex.com)

[www.NextStudent.com](http://www.NextStudent.com)

[www.saltmoney.org](http://www.saltmoney.org)



[CollegeCovered.com](http://CollegeCovered.com), a **free** resource on planning and paying for college, for students and their families.



**College Board  
Opportunity Scholarships**

Introducing the College Board Opportunity Scholarships. A Clearer Path to College for All Students. Applying to college is a complicated process, so we've created a program that guides you through it.

Visit: [opportunity.collegeboard.org](http://opportunity.collegeboard.org)

## **Scholarship Scams**

There are many legitimate scholarship resources available for students and families. Unfortunately, there are also numerous scholarship scams. We encourage all students and parents to learn more from the Federal Trade Commission about common scholarship scams. By becoming aware of the strategies and techniques used, you can learn how to protect yourself and identify potential pitfalls during your scholarship search.

## **Local Scholarships**

Mrs. Chavis-Johnson will begin receiving applications for local scholarships in the Spring **(February/March)**. As she receives the applications and deadline information, she will promote the available scholarship in her monthly "Scholarship Packets", which are posted online or you will be able to pick up from College Central. You will read through the packet to identify the scholarships that you are eligible to apply for and then, upon your request, she will provide the application and/or directions for each requested scholarship.

## **Statewide Scholarships**

North Carolina residents are encouraged to search for scholarships at the North Carolina State Education Assistance Authority ([www.ncseaa.edu](http://www.ncseaa.edu)), the College Foundation of North Carolina ([www.cfnc.org](http://www.cfnc.org)) and the North Carolina Community Foundation ([www.nccommunityfoundation.org](http://www.nccommunityfoundation.org)).

# **Scholarships to Apply for Now**

*(In order of Application Deadline)*

## **2019 SAE UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIPS**

Deadline: **January 15, 2020**

Award Amount: Varies

Scholarships for high school senior who intend to earn a degree in engineering or a related science (examples include: math, chemistry, physics, biology, technologies, computer science). Must be a citizen of the United States, meet minimum requirements with regard to GPA, SAT/ACT scores as outlined in the individual requirements of each scholarship. Please visit <http://students.sae.org/scholarships/freshman> to apply.

## **NC DIVISION OF VETERANS AFFAIRS (NCDVA) SCHOLARSHIP**

Deadline: **February 1, 2020**

Award Amount: Varies

Did one of your parents serve in the military? You may be eligible for a NCDVA Scholarship! The NC Division of Veterans Affairs Scholarships offers a four-year scholarship program at approved schools in North Carolina for the qualifying children of certain class categories of deceased, disabled, combat or POW/MIA veterans. For more information and to apply, please visit the NCDVA website at <http://www.nc4vets.com/nc-programs>

## **JIMMY RANE FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP**

Deadline: **February 7, 2020**

Award Amount: Varies from \$500 to \$5,000

Jimmy Rane Foundation scholars are students who exhibit academic excellence, leadership skills and community involvement as well as activities, awards and honors, and who have a demonstrated financial need in order to attend college. They must demonstrate their desire and ability to overcome barriers and to achieve their goals. Applications will be evaluated on: Future goals and plans to achieve them; Successful preparation as a high school student to prepare and pursue a college education; Self-motivation in completing challenging coursework; Demonstration of financial need. Minimum GPA of 3.0 required. Apply online at: <http://www.jimmyranefoundation.org/scholarships>

### **CHARLIE ADAMS ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP**

Deadline: **February 7, 2020**

Award Amount: \$1,500

Awarded to one senior male high school athlete participating on the varsity wrestling team and one senior female high school athlete participating on the varsity cross-country team at a North Carolina High School Athletic Association member high school. Recipients will each receive a one-time scholarship. Applications may be found at:

<https://www.nchsaa.org/students-parents/nchsaa-endowed-fund-scholarships>

### **PAT GAINES STUDENT AWARD**

Deadline: **February 7, 2020**

Award Amount: \$5,000

To provide scholarship support for two student-athletes with a focus on need-based applicants. Applicants must be either a senior, male high school athlete participating on a varsity baseball team or a senior, female student high school athlete participating on a varsity sports team at a North Carolina High School Athletic Association member high school within a county of limited financial resources. Applications may be found at:

<https://www.nchsaa.org/students-parents/nchsaa-endowed-fund-scholarships>

### **WILBURN CLARY MEDAL AWARD**

Deadline: **February 7, 2020**

Award Amount: \$2,000

Awarded to one male and one female graduating senior student-athlete participating on a sanctioned varsity sport team during his/her senior year at a North Carolina High School Athletic Association member school. Athlete must have participated on at least two sanctioned varsity sports during his/her high school career. Applications may be found at:

<https://www.nchsaa.org/students-parents/nchsaa-endowed-fund-scholarships>

### **WILLIE BRADSHAW MEMORIAL ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP**

Deadline: **February 7, 2020**

Award Amount: Up to \$1,750

To provide scholarship support to an outstanding African American, American Indian/Alaska Native\* and/or Asian Pacific Islander American\*\*, or Hispanic American student-athlete participating on a sanctioned varsity team at a North Carolina High School Athletic Association member school. Award Process: One male and one female from each of the eight regions will be selected to receive a one-time \$750 scholarship each to further their education. From the pool of sixteen (16) regional winners, one male and female will be selected as overall state winners and receive an additional \$1,000 each. Applications may be found at:

<https://www.nchsaa.org/students-parents/nchsaa-endowed-fund-scholarships>

### **"OUR FAMILY" SCHOLARSHIP – FOR CHILDREN OF MILITARY SERVICE MEMBERS**

Deadline: **February 7, 2020**

Award Amount: \$50,000

Corvias Foundation strives to support the educational goals of the children of **active-duty** service members. If you are a high school senior with a 3.0 GPA or higher, and the child of an active-duty service member stationed at one of the following installations, you are eligible to apply for the Corvias Foundation Scholarship: Aberdeen Proving Ground; **Fort Bragg**; Fort Meade; Fort Polk; Fort Riley; Fort Rucker; Fort Sill; Edwards AFB; Eglin AFB; Eielson AFB; Hurlburt Field; McConnell AFB; Seymour Johnson AFB (Applicants do NOT have to live in a Corvias Military Living home to be eligible.) Apply online at <http://corviasfoundation.org/?id=application-information>

### **NC DIVISION OF VETERANS AFFAIRS (NCDVA) SCHOLARSHIP**

Deadline: **February 1, 2020 (Class II & III Scholarships)**

Award Amount: Varies

Did one of your parents serve in the military? You may be eligible for a NCDVA Scholarship! The NC Division of Veterans Affairs Scholarships offers a four-year scholarship program at approved schools in North Carolina for the qualifying children of certain class categories of deceased, disabled, combat or POW/MIA veterans. For more information and to apply, please visit the NCDVA website at <http://www.nc4vets.com/nc-programs>

### **SANDHILLS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS**

Priority Deadline: **February 15, 2020**

Award Amount: Varies

Sandhills Community College has over \$500,000 in scholarships to award for the 2020-2020 year! Students who have completed a Sandhills Community College Admissions Application and have been issued a student identification number are eligible to apply for scholarships at SCC. By completing one scholarship application, students will be considered for all of the SCC foundation scholarships, which number over two hundred. To apply, visit <http://www.sandhills.edu/admissions/financial-aid/financial-aid-programs/scholarships/> and click on item #3.

### **NORTH CAROLINA HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION (NCHSAA) SCHOLARSHIPS** **NCHSAA CHARLIE ADAMS ENDOWED STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP**

Deadline: **February 7, 2020**

Award Amount: \$1,500

Awarded to one senior male high school athlete participating on the varsity wrestling team and one senior female high school athlete participating on the varsity cross-country team at a NCHSAA member high school. Applicant must meet NCHSAA academic eligibility requirements and possess a clean disciplinary record, both school and athletic related. Apply online at <http://www.nchsaa.org/students-parents/nchsaa-endowed-fund-scholarships>

### **LAURINBURG ALUMNAE CHAPTER OF DELTA SIGMA THETA SORORITY, INC.** **SCHOLARSHIP**

Deadline: **March 1, 2020**

Award Amount: \$750

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.- Laurinburg Alumnae Chapter, is offering a scholarship to graduating seniors with a 2.0 GPA or higher. Applications are available in College Central and are to be mailed to the donor by the deadline.

### **NCHSAA PAT GAINES STUDENT AWARD**

Deadline: **February 7, 2020**

Award Amount: \$2,000

To provide scholarship support for two student-athletes with a focus on need-based applicants. Applicants must be either a Senior, Male high school athlete participating on a varsity baseball or a Senior, Female student high school athlete participating on a varsity sports team at a NCHSAA member high school within a county of limited financial resources. Must have an unweighted GPA of 3.2 or higher, possess a clean disciplinary record, both school and athletics related, and have demonstrated athletic success. Apply online at <http://www.nchsaa.org/students-parents/nchsaa-endowed-fund-scholarships>

### **NCHSAA WILBURN CLARY MEDAL AWARD**

Deadline: **February 7, 2020**

Award Amount: \$2,000

Awarded to one male and one female graduating senior student-athlete participating on a sanctioned varsity sport team during his/her senior year. Athlete must have an unweighted GPA of 3.2 or higher and have participated on at least two sanctioned varsity sports during his/her high school career. This award is based on the individual's excellence in athletic participation, extra-curricular activities, and community service. Apply online at <http://www.nchsaa.org/students-parents/nchsaa-endowed-fund-scholarships>

### **NCHSAA WILLIE BRADSHAW MEMORIAL ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP**

Deadline: **February 7, 2020**

Award Amount: \$750\*

Purpose: To provide scholarship support to an outstanding African American, American Indian/Alaska Native and/or Asian Pacific Islander American, or Hispanic American student-athlete participating on a sanctioned varsity team at a NCHSAA member school. Must demonstrate leadership abilities through participation in community service, extracurricular or other activities; must have a clean disciplinary record, both school and athletic related. \*One male and one female from each of the eight regions will be selected to receive a \$750 scholarship each to further their education. From the pool of sixteen (16) regional winners, one male and female will be selected as overall state winners and receive an additional \$1,000 each. Apply online at <http://www.nchsaa.org/students-parents/student-athlete-scholarships>

### **UNCP EARLY ASSURANCE PROGRAM**

Deadline: **February 7, 2020**

Interested in being a Doctor or studying Medicine? The Early Assurance Program is a partnership between UNCP and ECU Brody School of Medicine (BSOM). This four-year scholarship from UNC Pembroke also guarantees the recipient a spot in East Carolina University's Brody School of Medicine once they graduate from UNCP. Must have a minimum of 3.5 GPA and a combined reading and math SAT score of 1100 to apply for the UNCP Early Assurance Program and be admitted to UNCP. See Mrs. Chavis-Johnson in College Central for more information and visit [www.uncp.edu/hcap](http://www.uncp.edu/hcap)

### **LOCAL GOVERNMENT FEDERAL CREDIT UNION SCHOLARSHIP**

Deadline: **February 1, 2020**

Award Amount: \$1,000

- Must be a member of LGFCU in good standing and must have an individual share account or hold a joint share account with a parent. Individuals can open a Share Account previous to applying for the scholarship.
- Applicants must have achieved an overall unweighted GPA of 3.0 or higher.
- Consideration will be given to leadership, community service, school activities and financial need.

### **MICHAEL A. DEMAYO SCHOLARSHIP**

Deadline: **February 2020**

Award Amount: \$2,500

- Be a high school senior
- Reside and attend high school in counties served by the Law Offices of Michael A. DeMayo LLP including Alexander, Anson, Burke, Cabarrus, Caldwell, Catawba, Cleveland, Cumberland, Gaston, Iredell, Lincoln, Mecklenburg, Richmond, Robeson, Rowan, Scotland, Stanly and Union.
- Essay/presentation required

### **TEENDRIVE365 VIDEO CHALLENGE**

Deadline: **February 2020**

Award Amount: Varies

Learning to drive is one of the coolest times for a teen. But facts have shown it can be extremely dangerous. You have the power to inspire your fellow teens, maybe better than a teacher or a parent can, because you know what messages will be the most powerful. Create a 30-60 second video for your fellow teen drivers that highlights the importance of safe teen driving and you could win \$15,000, or one of 14 other prizes! Visit <http://www.teendrive365inschool.com> for rules, overview, and to enter the video challenge!

### **GOLDEN LEAF SCHOLARSHIP**

Deadline: **March 1, 2020**

Award Amount: \$12,000

The Golden LEAF Foundation scholarship programs are available to students from qualifying rural NC counties (Scotland County qualifies), who demonstrate financial need and merit, to help them attend participating N.C. public or private institutions or community colleges. Approximately 215 scholarships will be awarded. Recipients are selected based upon multiple factors including grade point average, financial need, length of residence in the county *and the ability to communicate a commitment to returning to a rural county that is economically distressed*. Visit [CFNC.org/goldenleaf](http://CFNC.org/goldenleaf) to fill out the application form or call 866-866-CFNC for assistance. Your FAFSA, application, and transcripts are all processed through CFNC.org and must ALL be completed and submitted by the deadline. To apply, visit [www.CFNC.org/goldenleaf](http://www.CFNC.org/goldenleaf) and log into your SEAA Student Portal. (See Mrs. Chavis-Johnson if you need assistance locating the application and getting started!)

### **NC FORGIVABLE EDUCATION LOANS FOR SERVICE**

Deadline: **March 1, 2020**

Provides financial assistance in the form of forgivable loans to qualified students who are committed to working in North Carolina in identified critical employment shortage professions, including teaching, nursing, allied health and medicine. Applicants must be a legal NC resident, have a minimum GPA of 3.0 (W) and be willing to work in NC in a designated critical employment shortage profession upon completion of degree. Apply online at <https://www.cfnc.org/FELS>

### **UMC STUDENT SCHOLARESHIPS: UNITED METHODIST HIGHT EDUCATION FOUNDATION**

Deadline: **March 1, 2020**

Award Amount: \$1,000



- Member of the United Methodist Church for at least 1 year
- Enrolling in a United Methodist related institution of higher education

### **NORTH CAROLINA VETERAN'S SCHOLARSHIP**

Deadline: **March 1, 2020**

- Full scholarships including tuition, room and board and fees
- Must be children (under age 25 at time of application) of certain deceased or disabled veterans or of veterans who were listed as POW/MIA
- Veteran's disabilities must have occurred during a period of war
- Veteran must have been a legal resident of North Carolina at time of entry into service, or child must have been born in North Carolina and resided there continuously

### **CAROLINAS FOOD INDUSTRY COUNCIL SCHOLARSHIP (CFIC)**

Deadline: **March 1, 2020**

Award Amount: \$2,500

- High school seniors, college sophomores, juniors or seniors enrolling for the 2020 fall semester
- Must be a spouse or dependent of a permanent, full-time employee or a part-time employee of a CFIC Retail, Wholesale or Supplier member company in North or South Carolina.
- Extra consideration given to students employed in the grocery industry and/or enrolled in an accredited food industry undergraduate curriculum
- Written essay required
- Renewable but must reapply each year

### **RATTELIS FINANCIAL COUNSULTANTS ENVIRONMENTAL FINANCE AND MANGEGMENT FUND SCHOLARSHIP**

Deadline: **March 1, 2020**

Award Amount: \$1,000 renewable

- Pursuing an undergraduate or graduate degree with a concentration in environmental finance, environmental management, or related disciplines, in an accredited institution of higher education
- GPA greater than 3.0
- Must be a US citizen

### **AMERICAN COUNCIL OF THE BLIND**

Deadline: **March 1, 2020**

Award Amount: \$1,500 to \$3,500

- Proof of legal blindness
- 3.3 GPA
- Involved in school/local community

### **LIFE LESSONS SCHOLARSHIP**

Deadline: **March 2, 2020**

Award Amount: \$5,000-\$15,000

The Life Lessons Scholarship Program assist young people seeking a college education who are struggling financially because their parent died, leaving little or no life insurance. Applications available online after February 1, 2020 at: [www.lifehappens.org/scholarship](http://www.lifehappens.org/scholarship)

### **Carolinas-Virginias Retail Hardware Scholarship**

Deadline: **March 1, 2020**

Award Amount: Varies

[www.ffcsholarships.communityforce.com](http://www.ffcsholarships.communityforce.com)

The purpose of the Carolinas-Virginias Retail Hardware Scholarship is to provide undergraduate scholarships to children of employees of member firms of the Carolinas-Virginias Region of the National Retail Hardware Association. Parents or legally appointed guardians of applicants must be employees who have completed at least two years of full-time service with a member firm of the Carolinas-Virginias Region of the National Retail Hardware Association. The firm must have been a retail member of the hardware association for at least one year prior to the application deadline. Applicants must have a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.5 (on a 4.0 scale).

### **Crowder Scholarship**

Deadline: **March 1, 2020**

Award Amount: Varies

[www.ffcsholarships.communityforce.com](http://www.ffcsholarships.communityforce.com)

- Applicants must have a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.0 (on a 4.0 scale)
- Parents or legally appointed guardians of applicants must have worked for their respective general contracting company for at least three years prior to the application deadline. Descendants of O. P. Crowder and W. T. Crowder, Sr. are not eligible for scholarships.

#### **David T. Brown College Scholarship – Undergraduate**

Deadline: **March 1, 2020**

Award Amount: Varies

[www.fftscholarships.communityforce.com](http://www.fftscholarships.communityforce.com)

- Applicants must be the children of employees of an Insulate America member company.
- Applicants shall have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale.
- Parents or legally appointed guardians of applicants must be full-time employees of member companies of Insulate America who have been employed by the member company for a minimum of two years.
- The member company must have been an Insulate America member at least one year prior to the application deadline. If the eligible parent or legal guardian is retired, deceased or permanently disabled, he or she must have worked for the member company for at least two years prior to the retirement, death or disability.

#### **JANE GRAHAM MCKAY AND KATHERINE HILL MCKAY SCHOLARSHIP**

Deadline: **March 2, 2020**

Award Amount: Varies

<https://fftscholarships.communityforce.com>

- a resident of North Carolina with preference given to Scotland County residents.
- plan to major in education with preference given to early childhood and elementary education.
- plan to attend NC Approved Teacher Education Program Member College.
- have a cumulative grade point average (GPA) of at least 3.0.
- demonstrate financial need.

#### **LAURA M. FLEMING SCHOLARSHIP**

Deadline: **March 2, 2020**

Award Amount: Varies

<https://fftscholarships.communityforce.com>

- Children of Founders Federal Credit Union members shall be defined to include natural born or legally adopted children and stepchildren and wards of employees. In the case of stepchildren and wards, the applicant must live in the home with the eligible member.
- Applicants must be high school seniors scheduled to graduate in the spring of the current school year.
- Applicants must have a minimum 3.5 cumulative grade point average (on a 4.0 scale).
- The parents or legally appointed guardians of applicants must be Founders Federal Credit Union members in good standing for a minimum two years (24 months) prior to the application deadline.

#### **The Donald H. Bernstein and John B. Talbert Jr. Scholarship**

Deadline: **March 2, 2020**

Award Amount: Varies

<https://fftscholarships.communityforce.com>

- Applicants must be graduating high school seniors and have a minimum cumulative grade point average of 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale)
- Parents or legal guardians of applicants must be employees who have completed at least two years (24 months) of full-time service with Hanes Companies, Inc. USA prior to the application deadline.

#### **The Fred C. Wikoff Jr. Scholarship**

Deadline: **March 2, 2020**

Award Amount: Varies

<https://fftscholarships.communityforce.com>

- Parents or legally appointed guardians of applicants must be full-time employees who have worked for Wikoff Color Corporation for at least two years prior to the application deadline. If the eligible parent or guardian is retired, deceased or permanently disabled, he or she must have worked for Wikoff Color Corporation for at least two years prior to retirement, death or disability.
- Applicants enrolled in high school at the time of application must have a minimum cumulative grade point average 2.5 (on a 4.0 scale). Applicants enrolled in college at the time of application must have a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.0 (on a 4.0 scale).

#### **LUMBEE RIVER ELECTRIC MEMBERSHIP COOPERATIVE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**

Deadline: **March 2, 2020**

Award Amount: Varies (from \$2,000 - \$8,000)

LREMC established a scholarship program more than 30 years ago out of desire to help students who otherwise might not have the opportunity to continue their education. **Eligibility: must be a senior whose parents or guardians are members of the Lumbee River EMC cooperative or an individual who is a member of the cooperative.** Applications are available in College Central or online at <http://www.lumbeeriver.com/content/scholarships> and must be returned to the donor by the deadline.

#### **AFRICAN AMERICAN NETWORK-CAROLINAS**

Deadline: **March 2, 2020**

Award Amount: \$2,000

- Must attend a four year college or university located in North or South Carolina
- Plan to major in engineering, computer science, the sciences, accounting, finance or business administration

#### **UNITED METHODIST CHURCH SCHOLARSHIPS**

Deadline: **March 7, 2020**

Award Amount: \$500-\$1,000

For students who are full members of The United Methodist Church for at least ONE year. Membership is determined by the date the applicant was confirmed and took membership vows with a United Methodist church. Applicants must be pursuing a degree program at ANY accredited institution within the U.S. High school students may apply IF they will be college students in the fall term. Applicants must have a minimum GPA of 2.5 or higher and are required to be full-time students according to their school's standards for the program for which they are enrolled. Application available online at:

<http://www.gbhem.org/loans-and-scholarships/scholarships/apply>

#### **LCNAA Scholarship Fund**

Deadline: **March 15, 2020**

Award Amount: \$1,000

<https://ffitscholarships.communityforce.com>

- Planning to attend Livingstone College in Salisbury, NC
- Minimum grade point average of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale
- Exhibit good moral character

#### **A.B. GIBSON SCHOLARSHIP FUND AWARD**

Deadline: **March 15, 2020**

Award Amount: Varies

Presented annually to a graduating senior at Scotland High School who is qualified in accordance with the following criteria: fineness of spirit; integrity and determination; creative qualities of mind; sufficient success in school to indicate future success in continuation of education; and financial need. Applications are available in College Central and should be returned to Mrs. Chavis-Johnson by the deadline.

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#### **NORTH CAROLINA DISTRICT PILOT INTERNATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP**

Deadline: **March 16, 2020**

- Accepted to a NC College or University
- Interested in careers that will positively impact brain illness or disease awareness
- Volunteers in the community

Applications are available in College Central and should be returned to Mrs. Chavis-Johnson by the deadline.

#### **NORTH CAROLINA HOSPITALITY EDUCATION FOUNDATION (NC HEF) SCHOLARSHIP**

Deadline: **March 16, 2020**

Award Amount: Varies

NC HEF awards over \$50,000 in scholarship money each spring to high school seniors & college students studying to pursue their career in a hospitality related field (such as culinary arts, hospitality management, tourism

or other hospitality-related field). These awards can be applied at a 2 or 4-year school. The application is found on "The NC Restaurant & Lodging Association" website at [www.ncrla.org](http://www.ncrla.org) under "Foundation."

### **JERRY MCGEE ENDOWED STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP**

Deadline: **March 13, 2020**

Award Amount: \$1,000

Awarded to two senior year high school student-athletes from North Carolina High School Athletic Association member schools each year. This award is unique in that it honors both male and female student-athletes who have distinguished themselves by overcoming adversity and returned to excel beyond expectations in their scholastic athletic sport(s).

### **DOLMAN LAW GROUP SCHOLARSHIP**

Deadline: **June 20, 2019**

Award Amount: \$1,100

- Be currently attending or planning to attend a college or university during the 2019-2020 academic year
- Be in good academic standing with your current educational institution

Applications can be found by going to:

[https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/11192/dolman\\_law\\_group\\_scholarship\\_scholarship.php](https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/11192/dolman_law_group_scholarship_scholarship.php)

### **SCHOLARSHIPS FOR AFRICAN AMERICAN STUDENTS**

Visit any of the websites below to find MANY scholarships available to African American Students!

Collegescholarships.org: [http://www.collegescholarships.org/resc\\_minority.html](http://www.collegescholarships.org/resc_minority.html)

United Negro College Fund: <http://www.uncf.org/>

Thurgood Marshall Fund: <http://tmcf.org/>

### **SCHOLARSHIPS FOR NATIVE AMERICAN STUDENTS**

Visit any of the websites below to find MANY scholarships available to Native American Students!

Collegescholarships.org: <http://www.collegescholarships.org/nativeamerican.htm>

American Indian Graduate Center: <http://www.aigcs.org/>

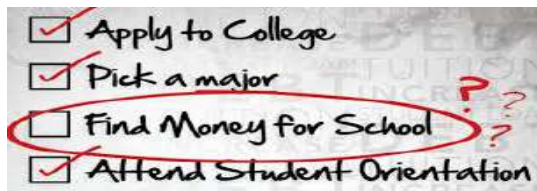
American Indian Education Foundation: <http://www.nrcprograms.org>

American Indian Services: <http://www.americanindianservices.org/students>

### **NATIONAL HONORS SOCIETY SCHOLARSHIPS**

Applications for the 2019-20 NHS Scholarship Program will be available in the fall of 2019. All senior members in good standing will be eligible to apply. Visit

<https://www.nhs.us/students/the-nhs-scholarship> for more information. NHS members also have access to **NHS Scholar Dollars**, a scholarship search tool powered by College Board. This tool expedites the scholarship search process, offering filtered results based on the four pillars of NHS: scholarship, service, leadership, and character. Use the tool at [www.nhs.us/scholdollars](http://www.nhs.us/scholdollars)



### **School-Specific Scholarships**

*Many colleges and universities offer their own scholarships to incoming freshman. These scholarships are general in nature and are made based on information received through the Admissions process or via information supplied to the Office of Financial Aid. In most instances, no additional*

*application is required to be considered for these awards. Visit the university's scholarship website for more information.*

### **APPALACHIAN STATE UNIVERSITY**

Complete your application for admission to Appalachian State University and the Merit Scholarship and Selective Academic Programs application, found at <https://scholarships.appstate.edu/apply/freshmen>. Then watch your email and your MyApp account for more information. Select scholarship applicants will be invited to visit campus and interview for potential scholarship awards during Scholars Day.

### **EAST CAROLINA UNIVERSITY**

[www.ecu.edu/universityscholarships](http://www.ecu.edu/universityscholarships)

Apply to ECU by November 15, 2019- Some scholarships make the award decisions based on data on file in your admissions record. Others scholarships invite the applicant to apply (Example: Honors College, Access Scholars). Additional opportunities can be located by visiting the ECU On-line Scholarship Management System: ECU Award at <https://ecu.academicworks.com>.

### **FAYETTEVILLE STATE UNIVERSITY**

<http://finaid.uncfsu.edu/scholarships>

### **NORTH CAROLINA A&T STATE UNIVERSITY**

<http://www.ncat.edu/admissions/financial-aid/aid/scholarships/index.html>

Incoming freshmen are automatically considered for scholarships once admitted to NC A&T. In some cases, where indicated, individual scholarships will require a separate application. For NC A&T's full ride scholarships, applications will be available online beginning November 1st. Deadline to apply is January 15th. Incoming freshman may apply for Endowed Scholarships beginning January 15th.

### **NORTH CAROLINA CENTRAL UNIVERSITY**

<http://www.nccu.edu/scholarships>

All incoming freshmen are considered for some scholarships when they apply. Visit the website above for additional scholarships to apply for. **The earlier you apply for admissions, the better your chances are for a scholarship!** NCCU BRITE Scholarship: Students interested in pursuing a career in the biotech industry are encouraged to apply for the BRITE Scholarship (to be eligible for a BRITE scholarship, you must meet the minimum requirements as outlined on the website above).

### **NORTH CAROLINA STATE UNIVERSITY**

<http://financialaid.ncsu.edu/types-of-aid/scholarships/high-school-students/>

### **UNC ASHEVILLE**

<https://financialaid.unca.edu/scholarships>

### **UNC CHAPEL HILL**

<http://admissions.unc.edu/afford/scholarships/>

### **UNC CHARLOTTE**

<http://scholarships.uncc.edu/scholarships>

### **UNC GREENSBORO**

<https://fia.uncg.edu/scholarships/>

Must submit a completed application for admission to the university no later than December 1st. In addition, students who want consideration for these awards must submit the application essay.

- *UNCG Blue & Gold Scholarships*: recognizes and encourages exceptional academic ability and talent. Approximately thirty renewable scholarships (ranging from \$1,500 to full tuition, fees, room and board) are offered annually to entering freshmen. Blue & Gold Scholarship recipients are chosen primarily on the basis of superior scholastic and personal achievement and potential. Successful candidates generally present a minimum SAT score of 1200 (critical reading and math) or an ACT score of 27, and a minimum high school GPA of 3.5. (No separate scholarship application).
- *UNCG Guarantee*: a selective scholarship program for high-achieving, low-income students who plan to attend UNCG and are residents of NC. Application available soon at <https://guarantee.uncg.edu/apply-for-guarantee>
- *UNCG Teacher Education Fellows*: Participation in the UNCG Teacher Education Fellows Program includes scholarships of up to \$20,000.00. Scholarship funds for tuition are distributed incrementally, with \$3,500.00 distributed in the first year, \$4,500.00 distributed in the second year, and \$6,000.00 distributed in each of the last two years, as long as eligibility requirements are maintained. Eligible students: NC residence majoring in Elementary, Middle Grades, High School, or Special Education. Weighted GPA 3.80, SAT score: 1100 or ACT score: 24

### **UNC PEMBROKE**

<http://www.uncp.edu/admissions-aid/costs-financial-aid-information/scholarships>

Must submit a completed application for admission to the university by March 1<sup>st</sup> to be considered for Merit Scholarships. To be eligible for University Scholarships for Native Americans, students must be residents of NC, rank in the top of their high school class and be a member of federal or state recognized tribe.

### **UNC WILMINGTON**

<http://uncw.edu/finaid/scholarships.html>

Your Admissions application will be evaluated for scholarship eligibility for some scholarships; other scholarships will be available for students to apply for once they've been admitted to UNCW (as early as November). To access the General Application: Log into your Seaport account and click the Student Services tab.

### **WESTERN CAROLINA UNIVERSITY**

<http://www.wcu.edu/current-students/scholarships/>

Scholarships are available to students based on academic achievement based on academic records submitted during the admission process. Other scholarships require a separate application. Visit the website above for information.

### **WINSTON SALEM STATE UNIVERSITY**

<https://www.wssu.edu/admissions/financial-aid/scholarships/default.aspx>

Winston-Salem State University offers several types of merit-based institutional awards. All accepted applicants are automatically considered for scholarship opportunities. Awards are determined based on a student's academic profile ranking. Apply early for fullest consideration.



