

NHS SCHOLARSHIP BULLETIN Updated February 2018



Scholarships:

*Note: This list does not include scholarships offered by individual colleges or universities.

Please be sure to check your desired school's website for information on scholarships for incoming freshmen!

Crumley Roberts Founder's Scholarship Foundation \$2,500

Students must have a minimum weighted GPA of 3.2 or higher and be a graduating North Carolina high school senior who will be attending a four-year accredited college or university. Written essay and 2 letters of recommendation required. https://www.crumleyroberts.com/culture-community/education-advancement-leadership-center/founder-s-scholarship/ Deadline is **February 1, 2018**.

NC Cooperative Extension Scholarship \$500

Student must be a resident of Pasquotank County. The scholarship will be awarded to the person who best shows academic achievement, initiative, and financial need. Paper copies of this application are available on the scholarship information board in the cafeteria. Deadline is **February 1, 2018**.

Regions Riding Forward Scholarship Essay Contest \$5,000

In honor of Black History Month and those who changed history, Regions Bank is giving students an opportunity to embrace their own legacies. Tell us about an African-American who has inspired you by entering the Regions Riding Forward® Scholarship Essay Contest, and you could earn a \$5,000 college scholarship. Students can apply at https://www.regions.com/promo/black-history-scholarship Deadline is February 28, 2018.

Golden Leaf Scholarship \$12,000

These scholarships are made possible through a grant from the Golden Leaf Foundation. For more information and an application visit CFNC.org/goldenleaf. Also, students must have proof of NC residency (complete RDS) and must submit the FAFSA by March 1, 2018. The application is due **March 1, 2018.**

The Elizabeth City Foundation Scholarship Amount Varies

Students must be a resident of Pasquotank or Camden County; must plan to attend Wake Forest University, NC State, or UNC Chapel Hill; and must exhibit financial need. Apply at http://www.elizabethcityfoundation.org/Scholarships.html by March 1, 2018.

NC Alpha Delta Kappa Student Achievement Scholarship Amount Varies

Applicant must be a graduating senior of a North Carolina high school pursuing a degree at a school of higher learning. Applicants <u>must</u> have an unweighted GPA of 2.5 to 3.5 and an SAT score (including Math, Reading, and Writing and Language Tests) n the range of 990 to 1130 OR an ACT composite score between 20 and 24. Applicants are also judged based on their service to school, community, and church, as well as their integrity and leadership potential. Apply at

http://www.nccommunityfoundation.org/scholarships/show?id=822&from=133 by March 1, 2018.

Douglas Family Scholarship for Military Children \$5,000 per year

This fund supports children of persons who are/were in the military and are low-income status. Scholarships are awarded on the basis of academic merit, financial need, and involvement in school and community activities. Applicants must have a cumulative GPA of at least 3.0. The application can be found by visiting https://fftcscholarships.communityforce.com Deadline is March 2, 2018.

2018 African American Network – Carolinas Scholarship Fund \$2,000

Scholarships of up to \$2000 will be awarded to seniors attending a 4 year college/university in NC or SC. Students must major in math, science, engineering, computer science, accounting, finance or business administration. Visit https://fftcscholarships.communityforce.com to apply. Deadline is March 2, 2018.

NC Farm Bureau R. Flake Shaw Scholarship \$4,000 per year

Scholarships are awarded to rising freshmen who demonstrate the intention to pursue a career in agriculture or in an agriculturally-related field, have financial need, satisfactory grades, and an evident understanding of the agricultural and/or agribusiness community. Preference is given to Farm Bureau members. The R. Flake Shaw Scholarship program awards six individual university level scholarships for a four year period at \$4,000 per year (\$16,000 total per student) and four individual community college scholarships for a two year period at \$1,000 per year (\$2,000 total per student). Students can apply at https://www.ncfb.org/Programs/R-Flake-Shaw-Scholarship Deadline is March 5, 2018.

George & Frances London Educational Foundation Scholarship Amount Varies

Students can find printed copies of this scholarship application on the scholarship information board in the cafeteria and in guidance. Last year's scholarship totaled \$7,500. Deadline to turn in applications to school counselors is **March 7, 2018.**

SECU Foundation People Helping People Scholarship \$10,000

Student is either an SECU member or is eligible for membership through a parent/guardian. Must be a graduating senior who has been accepted to one of the 16 constituent campuses of the UNC system, already filled out a FAFSA and RDS, and have at least a 2.5 unweighted GPA. This is a multi-step application and requires a short essay.

Students received an email with all application materials on January 8. Applications must be submitted *to your school counselor* no later than **March 14, 2018**.

The Elizabeth City Rotary Club Scholarship Amount Varies

Applicant must be a graduating high school senior who is a resident of Pasquotank or Camden County. Students can find printed copies of this scholarship application on the scholarship information board in the cafeteria. Deadline to turn in applications to school counselors is **March 16**, **2018**.

The Elizabeth City Jaycees Scholarship Endowment Amount Varies

Applicant must be a graduating senior from a high school in Camden, Chowan, Gates, Pasquotank, or Perquimans County. Student must be enrolling fulltime in a four year accredited program at a college or university, or full-time at the College of the Albemarle or Mid-Atlantic Christian University. Students should possess or demonstrate the following: Academic success, GPA of 3.0 or above, Financial Need & Service to others through volunteer efforts with school, church and/or community. Students can apply at http://www.nccommunityfoundation.org/scholarships/show?id=1020&from=133
Deadline is March 23, 2018.

Sharma Family Scholarship Fund Amount Varies

Eligible students must be graduating from high school in North Carolina to attend a college or university in the state of North Carolina. Preference is given to those attending North Carolina State University. Applicants must have a high regard for obtaining an education and the courage to pursue it in spite of limited financial resources; demonstrate leadership, involvement in extra-curricular activities, friendship to others, solid work ethic and a commitment to academics; have a purpose and a plan for being a productive citizen; and demonstrate a commitment to diversity, recognizing the value of all people regardless of religion, ethnicity, socioeconomic status or ability. Students can apply at http://www.nccommunityfoundation.org/scholarships/show?id=1110&from=133
Deadline is March 30, 2018.

Janice M. Scott Memorial Scholarship Fund \$2,500

The amount of each scholarship will be \$2,500 unless otherwise specified, and they will be issued on a one-time basis. Visit http://jmscottmemorialfund.org/ for more information and to apply. Students must mail the application by March 31, 2018.

NHS Class of 2008 10-Year Reunion Scholarship \$1,000

Students must be a graduating senior at NHS, have at least a 2.5 GPA, 0 out of school suspensions or major disciplinary issues, and planning to enroll in a college or university in fall 2018. Essay required. Paper applications are available on the scholarship information board in the cafeteria. Deadline is **April 1, 2018**.

The North Carolina Child Support Council Bob McGuire Scholarship \$1,000

Applicant must be a high school senior accepted to a North Carolina community college, trade school, or university in fall 2018. One parent must be a member of the North

Carolina Child Support Council or a client of the Child Support Program (Child Support Services or Clerk of Court services). Student must have maintained at least a C average throughout high school. Applications are available on the scholarship information board in the cafeteria. All applications must be postmarked by **April 20, 2018.**

2018 Student-View Scholarship Program up to \$11,000

Students must be planning to attend a 4 year or community college or career/trade school. Simply log on to www.student-view.com and complete a 15-20 minute survey. A random drawing will be used to select the scholarship winners. Deadline is **April 22, 2018**.

NC Association of Educational Office Professionals Scholarship \$250 and up

Student must be a graduating high school senior who has applied for admission in a post-high school program in North Carolina. Photograph, essay, and letters of recommendation required. Winning the local (\$250) level scholarship automatically advances applicant to district (\$500) level. District scholarship winners will be chosen in October of 2018. *Applications were emailed to seniors on February 12*. Applications must be typed and returned to school counselor. Deadline is **April 25, 2018**.

2018 Buster Bynum Education Scholarship \$2,500

Applicant must be the child of an active employee in public school transportation during the past three years. This includes school bus drivers, aides, monitors, mechanics, parts clerks, foremen, managers, trainers, supervisors, directors, and inspectors that work in public education. Students must have at least a 3.0 GPA and plan to attend a college or university in fall 2018. *Applications were emailed to seniors on February 12*. The application must be delivered to the ECPPS Director of Transportation by **April 24**, **2018**.

WACE INC: Advancing Cooperative & Work-Integrated Education Amount Varies

The Best of Co-op Guide is a source about college level co-op programs and you can access this publication at www.waceinc.org. WACE also has the National Co-op Scholarship Program where they will award 160 merit scholarships. There are 9 institutions that participate in this program. For more information visit http://www.waceinc.org/scholarship/index.html

Air Force ROTC Scholarship Opportunities Full Tuition

Visit https://www.afrotc.com/scholarships for information about AFROTC, a college Air Force officer training program.

2017 Quest Bridge National College Match up to \$200,000

Quest Bridge connects outstanding students from low-income backgrounds with admission and full four year scholarships to the nation's best colleges.

- You must be in the top 5-10% of your class, in the most challenging courses available
- Score > 1310 on the SAT or > 28 on the ACT

- Come from a household earning less than \$60,000 (for a typical family of four)
- Qualify for free or reduced lunch program

For more information visit the website: www.questbridge.org/outreach-materials

Decision Partners Financial Basic Scholarship Contest through CFNC \$500

\$500.00 scholarship awarded to two NC students per year who complete the Financial Basic course on CFNC.org

The Christian Connector \$2,500

Provides free Christian college information service as well as a \$2,500 Christian College Scholarship drawing. Students can log onto www.christianconnector.com to request information or call 1-800-667-0600.

Additional Opportunities/Information:

NCSSM

The NCSSM (North Carolina School of Science and Math) is a NC residential public high school for juniors and seniors. Students apply during the sophomore year. Eligible applicants may apply to either NCSSM's residential or online program, or both, using one electronic application. There is no cost to apply and no tuition for either program. All NCSSM applications must be completed via the CFNC.org electronic application. All applicants must take the SAT by December 2, 2017 and have the scores sent directly to the NCSSM. The NCSSM application must be completed by **January 15, 2018**. Note: applicants will use this CFNC account to submit a transcript and monitor their admissions progress and status. For more information visit www.ncssm.edu.

Hugh O'Brien Youth Leadership (HOBY) Conference

HOBY conference is designed to help high school sophomores to recognize their leadership talents and apply them to become effective, ethical leaders in their home, school, workplace and community. Schools may nominate 1 student to attend the 3 day spring leadership training. Fees apply. See counselor if interested. Visit http://www.hoby.org/ for more information.

Summer Ventures in Science and Mathematics

Summer Ventures in Science and Mathematics is a cost-free, statewide science and math enrichment program for students with proven academic ability, motivation in the STEM fields of study, and emotional maturity. Summer Ventures takes students beyond the traditional boundaries of high school science and mathematics while exploring topics of interest to them and learning experimental design, laboratory skills, instrumentation, mathematical modeling, strategies in mathematical problem solving and more. At the end of the four-week residential program, students present a comprehensive research project on a current topic in a STEM field of study. The online application may be found at: https://www.ncssm.edu/summerventures. Applications are due January 15, 2018.

NC Governor's School

The Governor's School of North Carolina is a publicly funded residential summer program for intellectually gifted high school students in the state of North Carolina. Most students are rising seniors in high school, though students from the artistic areas may be rising juniors. Students who attend Governor's School are nominated by their school or school system and selected on the basis of grades, test scores, an application essay and, for arts students, an audition. See your counselor or AIG facilitator and visit www.ncgovschool.org for more information.

Research Apprenticeship Program (RAP) at NC A&T University

This hands-on residential program for high school juniors and seniors will be held from June 17-July 13, 2018. Students will live on campus and work with research scientists to develop an independent research project. Participating students will receive financial compensation. Apply online at http://bit.ly/CAESrap. Applications are due **February 2**, 2018.

Martha Guy Summer Institute at Appalachian State University

MGSI combines a residential experience with out of state travel. Following two weeks on campus at Appalachian State University, the program concludes with a week of travel to various business and cultural/entertainment sites. Each MGSI class is small. Twenty-four students are selected. The group size provides a much more intimate, personal experience for each participant. Tuition is \$1,900 plus a meal plan fee of \$350. **Need-based scholarships are available to qualified applicants. MGSI is seeking students who have a sincere interest in business as a college major and demonstrate leadership potential and academic achievement. Applicants must be in the 11th grade. To apply visit marthaguy@appstate.edu. Applications are due **February 28, 2018**.

Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery (ASVAB)

The **ASVAB** is the military entrance exam that measures developed abilities and helps predict future academic and occupational success in the military. For more information visit http://official-asvab.com/.

For ASVAB practice visit:

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SAT/ACT Testing:

Northeastern High School's CEEB code for both the SAT and ACT is 341120.

Visit https://www.khanacademy.org/ for free SAT prep, as well as tutoring in many other academic areas.

SAT Registration Deadline

July 28, 2017 September 8, 2017 October 5, 2017

SAT Test Dates

August 26, 2017 October 7, 2017 November 4, 2017 November 2, 2017
February 9, 2018
April 6, 2018
May 3, 2018

December 2, 2017
March 10, 2018
May 5, 2018
June 2, 2018

For information and to register go to www.sat.org/register. Once you have set up your account you will also be able to register, check your scores and send scores to colleges.

ACT Registration Deadline

August 4, 2017 September 22, 2017 November 3, 2017 January 12, 2018 March 9, 2018 May 4, 2018 June 15, 2018

ACT Test Dates

September 9, 2017 October 28, 2017 December 9, 2017 February 10, 2018 April 14, 2018 June 9, 2018 July 14, 2019

The ACT is a college admissions test accepted by colleges in lieu of or along with the SAT. Visit www.actstudent.org for more information. Once you have set up your account you will also be able to register, check your scores and send scores to colleges.

Important Links:

College Foundation of NC (CFNC)

Sign up for an account through CFNC. This site offers valuable information for parents and students about applying and paying for college. You will be able to send transcripts electronically for free to in-state colleges. Seniors must have a CFNC account in order to send their transcripts to colleges in NC. Seniors needing help with their account should see their counselor. Website: www.cfnc.org

CFNC Scholarship Search

The new scholarship section on CFNC.org is now live. The new format provides easier access to all scholarships available for the 2018-2019 academic year and students will be able to read eligibility requirements without having to read the entire scholarship description. Visit cfnc.org/scholarships for more information.

Scholarship Search Sites

College Board Scholarship Search https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/scholarship-search FastWeb https://www.fastweb.com/

Scholarship Monkey http://www.scholarshipmonkey.com/

Petersons https://www.petersons.com/

Cappex https://www.cappex.com/

Niche https://www.niche.com/

CFNC College Search (NC Schools with Tuition Rates)

Click the link for information: https://www2.cfnc.org/#/campussearch

College Application Deadline Dates and Open House Dates

Click the link for information:

https://www.cfnc.org/static/pdf/home/sc/pdf/admissions_deadlines.pdf

Links for the NC Public, Private and Community Colleges

Community Colleges <u>Nccommunitycolleges.edu</u>
UNC System <u>Northcarolina.edu</u>
Private Colleges in NC NCICU.org

Residency Determination (RSD)

RSD must be complete if you are attending a college in NC—it is required to receive instate tuition. Students should use their CFNC user name and password. Complete RDS at https://ncresidency.cfnc.org/residencyInfo/

Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)

All seniors attending post-secondary education must complete the FAFSA to be eligible to receive federal, state or educational institution money. The first step is for both the student and parent to get an FSA ID. Keep it in a safe place you will use it every year. Visit FSAID to get started. To complete the FAFSA visit https://fafsa.ed.gov/index.htm.

FAFSFA Youtube video https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tAR96fvedF4&list=PLW-j8G6KRJz9jXIead518cfg7qn3-rLv0

7 Easy Steps to Completing the FAFSA- https://www.finaid.ucsb.edu/fafsasimplification/

NCAA Clearinghouse

Students planning to participate in NCAA college athletics at a Division I or II school are required to register with the NCAA Clearinghouse. Visit www.ncaa.org/student-athletes/future/eligibility-center for more information.