

**Dixie High School and Abbeville County Career Center**

Scholarship and Awards News

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*Greenville Technical College does not allow application fee waivers.  
USC Aiken allows only \$20 off for fee waivers. Students pay remaining \$20.  
I have Lander application fee waivers available upon request!*

**Scholarship searches:**

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

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

[www.scois.net](http://www.scois.net)

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

Name	Description	Deadline
ACT Registration	December 4 ACT	Late registration
SAT Registration	December 3 SAT	Nov 8, 2011
Eskine College Open House	Visit Erskine College, call or go to <a href="http://visit.erskine.edu">http://visit.erskine.edu</a> to register	Nov 11, 2011
Presbyterian College	Open House for juniors and seniors, <a href="http://www.presby.edu/admissions/open-house.php">www.presby.edu/admissions/open-house.php</a>	Nov 12, 2011
Savannah College of Art and Design	Virtual Open House <a href="http://www.collegeweeklive.com">www.collegeweeklive.com</a>	Nov 14, 2011
Poetry and Poster Contest	Piedmont Education and Business Alliance, See guidance for details and form	Nov 16, 2011
Francis Marion	McNair Scholarship, 1100 SAT or 24 ACT, 3.0 GPA, full tuition, fee and room and board, see college web site	Nov 18, 2011
DAR Good Citizen Award	Senior who has demonstrated good citizenship: dependability, service, leadership, patriotism; essay, transcript and two letters of recommendation required. See Guidance for form	Nov 18, 2011
SC Junior Golf Foundation Scholarship	Apply on line at: <a href="http://www.scholarshipprograms.org">www.scholarshipprograms.org</a> , Must have GPA of 2.75/4.0, interest in golf, must attend a 4-yr college	Nov 21, 2011
USC Engineering	USC engineering scholarships, tuition plus, see college web site	Dec 1, 2011
Citadel Engineering	Citadel engineering scholarships, tuition plus, see college web site	Dec 1, 2011

Clemson University Application deadline	Must apply on line, have test scores , transcripts and supporting documents received by Dec 1 for priority response, <a href="http://www.clemson.edu">www.clemson.edu</a>	Dec 1, 2011
AXA Achievement Scholarship	Must be well-rounded, active in community, have led a project that benefits others, have overcome personal challenges. One student from each state selected, \$10,000; <a href="http://www.axa-achievement.com">www.axa-achievement.com</a>	Dec 1, 2011
SC Teaching Fellows Program	Must apply on line at <a href="http://www.cerra.org">www.cerra.org</a> . Up to \$6,000 annually if completing a 4 yr degree and pursuing teaching certification, must attend a Teaching Fellows institution, must send SAT and ACT from Collegeboard and ACT	Dec 1, 2011 Transcripts postmarked by Dec 16, 2011
USC-Upstate Fab Fridays	Visit USC Upstate	Dec 2, 2011
Role Models in Medicine on Feb 3, 2012	9 <sup>th</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup> grades, USC School of Medicine VA campus, in Columbia, Teacher and 4 students with very strong interest in being physicians, See guidance for nomination form	Reg deadline: Dec 2, 2011
FAFSA PIN	Want Financial Aid? Go on line and register for your PIN now: <a href="http://www.fafsa.gov">www.fafsa.gov</a>	Suggested: have PIN by Dec 15
Clemson C-CATS	Academic workshop and high adventure course including zip line for academically talented 9 <sup>th</sup> and 10 <sup>th</sup> graders, top 10% of class and 130 on PSAT, see guidance.	Must be nominated by Guidance by Dec 16, 2011
FAFSA on-line form	Need Financial Aid? Start completing your form now: <a href="http://www.fafsa.gov">www.fafsa.gov</a>	Beginning January 1, 2012
Carolina Tall Club Scholarship	Females must be at least 5'10" males at least be 6'2". Submit record of personal and academic achievements, volunteer work, and participation in school activities. Essay about what it means to be tall, required. \$1,000. See Guidance	Jan 6, 2012
Scholastic Art and Writing Awards	<a href="http://www.artandwriting.org">www.artandwriting.org</a> , submit photography, fashion, poetry, digital art, short stories, video game design and much more	Jan 9, 2012
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Passion for Fashion	Half-tuition scholarship to enroll in fashion program at an art institute, \$500 shopping spree at DKNY and \$500 gift card to use in NYC. <a href="http://Artinstitutes.edu/passion4fashion">Artinstitutes.edu/passion4fashion</a>	Jan 20, 2012
American Legion Oratorical Contest	Constitutional Speech contest, \$3,500 1 <sup>st</sup> place, awards for 1 <sup>st</sup> – 4 <sup>th</sup> place and one for each zone, See Guidance for nomination	Jan 28, 2012 9 <sup>th</sup> to 12 <sup>th</sup> gr
<b><i>General Biology, Pre-Med, Pre-Vet majors are NOT eligible for the next 4 scholarships</i></b>		
Harry Hampton Memorial Wildlife Fund	Seniors attending a 4 yr college and majoring in natural resources such as: wildlife biology, fisheries biology forestry or marine science, renewable if maintain 2.5 GPA, \$2,500 <a href="http://www.HamptonWildlifeFund.org/scholarship.html">www.HamptonWildlifeFund.org/scholarship.html</a>	Jan 31, 2012
David M. Cline Scholarship	For students majoring in natural resources such as: wildlife biology, fisheries biology forestry or marine science, or Criminal Justice. One year scholarship of \$2,000 <a href="http://www.HamptonWildlifeFund.org/scholarship.html">www.HamptonWildlifeFund.org/scholarship.html</a>	Jan 31, 2012
Wallace F. Pate Wildlife Scholarship	Seniors majoring in natural resources: wildlife biology, fisheries biology, forestry, marine science, environmental science. One year scholarship of \$1,5000 <a href="http://www.HamptonWildlifeFund.org/scholarship.html">www.HamptonWildlifeFund.org/scholarship.html</a>	Jan 31, 2012
James O. Thomason Wildlife Scholarship	Seniors majoring in electronic, print or photo journalism, advertising, public relations or mass communications, essay required, renewable if maintain 2.5 GPA. \$1,000 <a href="http://www.HamptonWildlifeFund.org/scholarship.html">www.HamptonWildlifeFund.org/scholarship.html</a>	Jan 31, 2012
USC-Upstate Fab Fridays	Visit USC Upstate	Feb 3, 2012
KFC Scholars	Awards up to \$20,000. Minimum 2.75/4.0, enroll in a public 4 year college in state of residence, financial need. <a href="http://www.kfcscholars.org">www.kfcscholars.org</a>	Opens December 1 to February 8, 2012
Morris College Open House	High School Visitation Day 8:30 to 2:00 pm.	Wed, Feb 8, 2012
Skylark Prize for Poetry	Poetry Society of SC \$500 contest, See Guidance for details and form	Feb 15, 2012
Co-Op Scholarship	155 merit-based scholarships for \$6,000. Must plan to participate in a cooperative education program at a participating university, See Guidance	Feb 15, 2011
Plum Creek Community Scholarship Program	High school senior, 2- or 4-year college, \$1,000 one time, first year college award, <a href="http://www.sms.scholarshipamerica.org/plumcreek">www.sms.scholarshipamerica.org/plumcreek</a>	Postmarked by Feb 25, 2012
HOBYS – Hugh O’Brien Youth Leadership Program	<a href="http://www.hoby.org">www.hoby.org</a> , One sophomore chosen per school for national workshop	See guidance for nomination - Spring

USC-Upstate Fab Fridays	Visit USC Upstate	March 2, 2012
Photography Scholarship	Photography Scholarship to an art institution, visit <a href="http://artinstitutes.edu/photocompetition">artinstitutes.edu/photocompetition</a>	March 2, 2012
USC-Upstate Open House	Visit USC Upstate	March 17, 2012
USC-Upstate Fab Fridays	Visit USC Upstate	April 6, 2012
USC-Upstate Open House	Visit USC Upstate	April 28, 2012
Nursing Scholarship –Charlotte Blackwell Memorial Scholarship	Senior enrolling at Lander or PTC, B av, financial need, exceptional interpersonal skills, outstanding clinical skills or potential based on work experience	Spring 2012
Nursing Scholarship – Mary Ella Ruff Scholarship	Senior or LPN enrolling in a nursing program in SC, B av, financial need, exceptional interpersonal skills, outstanding clinical skills or potential based on work experience	Spring 2012
Big Sun Scholarship	High school senior, athlete, attending a 2- or 4-year college, <a href="http://www.bigsunathletics.com">http://www.bigsunathletics.com</a>	June 22, 2012

Art Institutes	Visit <a href="http://artinstitutes.edu">artinstitutes.edu</a>	Ongoing 2011 9 <sup>th</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup> gr
Art School Portfolio Prep	Learn what art schools really want to see, sample portfolios, tips for photographing and submitting work, <a href="http://www.portfolio-prep.com">www.portfolio-prep.com</a>	Ongoing 2011-12
American Legion	For information go to <a href="http://www.legion.org">www.legion.org</a>	Not listed
Christian Connector	Scholarship and Grant website, \$2,500 scholarship drawing, <a href="http://www.ChristianConnector.com">www.ChristianConnector.com</a>	Ongoing 2011-12
DNA Learning Center at Clemson University	Tours for groups in grades 8-12, schools or individuals, open to the public, must contact for appointment <a href="http://www.clemson.edu/cafls/departments/biosci/scdnalc/">http://www.clemson.edu/cafls/departments/biosci/scdnalc/</a>	Ongoing 2011-2012
NCAA Clearinghouse	All student athletes must complete to be eligible to play Division I or II sports. Cost is \$50, unless Free/Rdc lunch, <a href="http://www.ncaa.org">www.ncaa.org</a>	Ongoing – sign up Spring of Junior year 2012
NCAA Webinar	Excellent information that ALL student athletes need to watch! <a href="http://www.freerecruitingwebinar.org/recorded/">www.freerecruitingwebinar.org/recorded/</a>	9 <sup>th</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup> 2012

On line College Fairs	<a href="http://www.collegeweeklive.com">www.collegeweeklive.com</a>	Ongoing 2011-12
OvationTV Dance contest	“One Dance One Chance,” <a href="http://www.OvationTV.com">www.OvationTV.com</a> , 30 second spot for dance teams	Opens Aug 15, 2011
Project HOPE	Medical Careers Full Scholarship and academic support program, must meet low income guidelines, includes medical boot camp and enrollment in technical college of choice	Ongoing See guidance 2011
Upward Bound	Academic support, mentoring and college planning for 8 <sup>th</sup> and 9 <sup>th</sup> graders, See guidance for more info and application	Ongoing 2011-12 See Guidance for application