

Jag Scholarships Bulletin

... with financial aid resources

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How to Request a Scholarship Transcript ...

Complete the Scholarship Transcript Request Form: A link to this [Google Form](#) includes the Release of Records & Early Decision Acknowledgement Form link.

JAGS Financial Aid & Scholarship Organizer - Organize all your financial aid and scholarship pursuits in one Google sheet. *Make a copy of the sheet and Make it Yours!*

PRIORITY

MARCH 1 DEADLINE FOR FAFSA SUBMISSION FOR THE STATE OF MARYLAND
CREATE THE [MD CAPS](#) ACCOUNT TO ACCEPT MARYLAND FINANCIAL AID

NOTE: You can still file the FAFSA. There may be some scholarships and aid that you may not be eligible for.



If you missed the U.S. Department of Education's webinar series on FAFSA resources and navigating StudentAid.gov, don't worry! You can watch recordings on YouTube [@FSAOutreach](#).

Visit the video links below for details:

Getting Started with a StudentAid.gov Account

Ways to Pay for College and Career School

FAFSA Resources and How To Avoid Financial Aid Scams

FAFSA RESOURCE: BE READY FOR THE FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid)!
Create your electronic signature or FSA ID - View the 6 minute video linked below

[How To Create an FSA ID \(Account Username and Password\) video](#)

FEARNOT

The peak season for scholarship opportunities is coming soon... look for more opportunities to post after winter break!

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ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS!

SCHOLARSHIP: **AMERICAN INDUSTRIES [VET TECH SCHOLARSHIP](#)**. This scholarship was created to empower current and former foster youth **pursuing a college degree in veterinary studies** by providing up to \$24,000 to help recipients cover their educational expenses, making the path to a successful career in veterinary studies more accessible. Applicants must have resided in either public or private foster care in the United States for a continuous 12-month period leading up to and including their 18th birthday or have experienced orphanhood for a minimum of one year by the time of their 18th birthday. Applicants must be a US citizen. Find out more by clicking on the link provided.

Current Scholarship Listing: Look for this symbol in the **Current Scholarship Listing** to indicate **first time in publication; posted by deadline date:**

NEW

Application deadline dates for March 2025 ...

SCHOLARSHIP: AFCEA Washington, DC Chapter largely focuses on the Department of Defense, intelligence community, national security and military health related agencies. **The [AFCEA DC STEM Scholarship](#) is now available for application.** **SENIORS.** Applicants must be US citizens or have permanent residency and plan to major in the STEM fields. **DEADLINE TO APPLY: MARCH 9 2025** | Post 21 JAN 2025 |


SCHOLARSHIP: **[The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People \(NAACP\) Scholarship \(Montgomery County Branch\)](#)**. **SENIORS.** \$1,000. Applicants must have a GPA of 3.0 (weighted or not weighted). Applicants must have participated in extracurricular activities. Applicants must participate in faith-based, religious-based, or volunteer activities. (If this is not possible because of paid employment, please explain). Application includes a 300-word theme based essay, transcript and wallet sized photograph. **DEADLINE TO APPLY: MARCH 21 2025** | Post 27 JAN 2025 |

SCHOLARSHIP: **[The Joshua Snyder Memorial Foundation](#)** is a non-profit 501(c)(3) organization that has been established to award post-secondary scholarships to qualifying graduating **SENIORS** at Northwest High School in Germantown, Maryland. \$2,500 award. Click the scholarship link to apply and get to know more about Joshua. **DEADLINE TO APPLY: MARCH 28 2025** | Post 13 JAN 2025 |

SCHOLARSHIP: [The Project Management Institute \(PMI\) Montgomery County Chapter Scholarship](#). **SENIORS.** \$1,500 award. 2.75 minimum GPA. Applicants must take and pass the PMI quiz. All fields of study eligible. Click [HERE](#) to download the quiz and apply. **DEADLINE TO APPLY: MARCH 31 2025** (RECEIVED BY) | Post 30 OCT 2024 |

SCHOLARSHIP: [The LINDSEY VONN FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP](#). **FEMALES.** The Lindsey Vonn Foundation provides girls from underserved communities the tools they need to pursue their passion, overcome obstacles, and reach their goals through scholarships, programs, and mentorship. A scholarship from the Foundation is a financial aid option for academic, athletic, and enrichment activities. Age Range: The scholarship is open to girls aged 10–18, which includes students across all grades. GPA Requirement: There is no specific GPA requirement; we focus on supporting applicants who demonstrate passion, perseverance, and a commitment to personal growth. LVF Scholarship [FAQs](#). **DEADLINE TO APPLY: MARCH 31 2025; 5:00 PM** | Post 22 JAN 2025 |


SCHOLARSHIP: **AUTOMOTIVE IT/CYBERSECURITY SCHOLARSHIPS** offered by [AUTOMOTIVE SCHOLARSHIP.COM](#) offers hundreds of scholarships to students training to become automotive, heavy duty or collision repair technicians or those studying **IT/cybersecurity**, engineering, business, or other courses in preparation for a career in the automotive field. **SENIORS.** Each completed application is considered for all scholarships where the student meets the qualifications. **DEADLINE TO APPLY: MARCH 31 2025** | Post 27 FEB 2025 |

 **SCHOLARSHIP:** **The Association For Federal Information Resources Management (AFFIRM) STEM Scholarship.** AFFIRM is a non-profit, volunteer, educational organization whose overall purpose is to improve the management of information, related systems, and resources, within the Federal government. AFFIRM's scholarship program supports STEM educational opportunities for students attending District of Columbia, Maryland, and Virginia accredited institutions. AFFIRM annually determines the dollar amount of scholarships based on financial contributions received by the organization.

- [The AFFIRM Annual Scholarship](#) – *Both high school seniors and current undergraduate students* are eligible for this scholarship. The applicant must be pursuing a college/university degree with a major in computer sciences, information sciences, or any STEM-related field.

Scholarship application includes an uploaded essay and unofficial transcript. **DEADLINE TO APPLY: MARCH 31 2025; 11:59 PM** | Post 3 MARCH 2025 |

Application deadline dates for April 2025 ...

 **SCHOLARSHIP:** The [Masonic Charities of Maryland Scholarship](#). **SENIORS.** Awards up to \$7,000 available. Applicants must be US citizens or permanent residents at a MARYLAND public school. Application includes the official high school transcript, reference and essay. **When completing the application please note that Montgomery County Public Schools does not rank.** The scholarship is sponsored by the PENTALPHA LODGE #194. Visit <https://mdmasonicscholarship.org/> to apply. **DEADLINE TO APPLY: APRIL 1 2025** | Post 3 MARCH 2025 |

SCHOLARSHIP: [Navy Family Scholarships by the Naval Officers Spouses Club, Washington DC \(NOSCDC\)](#). **SENIORS.** Applicants must be a dependent of an active duty, activated reservists, retired from active duty or deceased USN service member. **DEADLINE TO APPLY: APRIL 1 2025** | Post 24 FEB 2025 |

SCHOLARSHIP: [The Damascus American Legion Post 171 Scholarship](#). **SENIORS**. US citizenship. 3.0+ GPA required. Applicants must plan to attend an accredited post-secondary academic institution, vocational, trade, or business school full-time in the fall of 2025. Awards of \$1,500 or \$2,000 available. **DEADLINE TO APPLY: APRIL 1 2025** | Post 11 FEB 2025 |

SCHOLARSHIP: [The Esperanza Education Fund](#). **SENIORS**. In 2025, the Esperanza Education Fund will award scholarships of \$4,000 - \$5,000 to immigrant students and/or students who have two immigrant parents/guardians in the District of Columbia, Maryland, and Virginia to attend an accredited college/university. Students are eligible for the scholarship regardless of ethnicity, national origin, or immigration status. The application process is entirely electronic. **DEADLINE TO APPLY: APRIL 1 2025** for associate-degree seeking applicants | Questions please email apply@esperanzafund.org | Post 13 JAN 2025 |

SCHOLARSHIP: [League of Educators for Asian American Progress](#) (LEAAP) 2025 Scholarship. **SENIORS** who identify as Asian and plan to major in Education as part of their post-secondary education. \$3,000. **DEADLINE TO APPLY: APRIL 1 2025** | Post 5 FEB 2025 |

SCHOLARSHIP: The [Bernie 2025 Scholarship](#). **SENIORS** currently living in HOC housing. The application must be completed online. Allow sufficient time to complete. Document uploads are required. The following documents MUST be available to complete this application. **DEADLINE TO APPLY: APRIL 1 2025** | Post 3 FEB 2025 |

1. Most recent (unofficial) high school transcript.
 2. ONE (1) completed Recommendation Form from a person who knows you academically or professionally. (This individual CAN NOT be a relative or personal friend). Email this [2025 Recommendation Form](#) link to the recommending writer for completion and submission to The Bernie.
 3. Name and contact information for Rental Subsidy Provider Agency. Your permanent address must be in Montgomery County, Maryland.
 4. HOC TENANTS ONLY: Complete the [Release of Information - HOC - 2025.pdf](#) save it and upload.
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SCHOLARSHIP: [2025 Sherry S. Hintz Scholarship](#). **JUNIOR or SENIOR**. EveryMind and Greater Washington Community Foundation oversee and administer the scholarship fund for the Hintz family. The scholarship recipient may receive up to \$20,000 per year for as many as four years of undergraduate education. Students are eligible to apply if they meet all of the following criteria:

- Have lost a parent or primary guardian to breast or ovarian cancer
- Are a resident of Montgomery County, Maryland
- Are a member of a family with a demonstrated financial need
- Are a high school senior, or high school junior graduating this year, or a high school graduate under 22 years old
- Have achieved at least a 3.0 GPA
- Are involved in a school, community, or athletic activity, ideally in a leadership position
- Wish to attend college

All applications and attachments must be completed and postmarked or delivered to the EveryMind office in Rockville by the stated deadline. If you have questions, please don't hesitate to contact me at tlatimer@everymind.org. **DEADLINE TO APPLY: APRIL 4 2025** | Post 3 FEB 2025 |

SCHOLARSHIP: [The DC Area Phi Beta Kappa Association Scholarship](#). **SENIORS**. GPA of 3.5+ on a 4.0 scale. \$1,000. Applicants must display interest in the liberal arts and science, love of learning, and civic responsibility. Applications will be accepted electronically only via the website or using this [Google form](#). Questions with application can be directed to awards@dcpbk.org. **DEADLINE TO APPLY: 11:59 PM on APRIL 6 2025** | Post 11 FEB 2025 |

SCHOLARSHIP: The **Alfred Street Baptist Church Foundation** is offering need-based scholarships for graduating **SENIORS** who will enroll in a four-year college or university in the fall of 2025. This year, scholarships ranging from \$1,000 to \$30,000 will be awarded to students who are U.S. Citizens, accepted to and committed to attend a four-year college or university in the fall of 2025, and have financial need. The Foundation's Scholarship Committee will review applications in April, interview finalists in May, and select winners and award scholarships early June 2025. Students may apply online at: https://webportalapp.com/sp/asbc_foundation_application. *Please note: If access to the scholarship application is blocked, try using a non-MCPS computer.* **DEADLINE TO APPLY: APRIL 15 2025** | Post 19 FEB 2025 |

 **SCHOLARSHIP:** The [Marjay D. Anderson Trailblazer Scholarship](#) (MDATS) was established by the Blue Horizon Foundation in 2021. The MDATS is awarded annually to a graduating **FEMALE HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR** entering an accredited U.S. college or university full-time for training in a Science, Technology, Engineering or Mathematics (STEM) career in the fall of the year. The applicant must have a 3.0 or higher cumulative grade point average (GPA), and be a permanent resident of the Washington, District of Columbia area (including neighboring Maryland and Virginia). The student must attend a college or university in the United States. The award will be paid directly to the institution. Awards may only be used for undergraduate study and are limited to those seeking a first bachelor's degree. **DEADLINE TO APPLY: APRIL 15 2025** | Post 4 MARCH 2025 |

 **SCHOLARSHIP:** [Dunkin Scholarship](#). **SENIORS**. Available to students who plan to enroll in a part-time or full-time undergraduate course of study at an accredited two-year or four-year college, university-technical school in Fall 2025. Scholarship recipients will be selected on the basis of "well-rounded" character: positive academic record, demonstrated leadership, commitment to school and community activities, and experience in a work environment. Applicants must have a minimum 3.0 GPA on a 4.0 scale. **DEADLINE TO APPLY: APRIL 15 2025** | Post 3 MARCH 2025 |

SCHOLARSHIP: [2025 Taiwanese-American Community Scholarship Award Program](#). **SENIORS**. This award is open to all ethnic backgrounds. \$1,000. Applicants are judged based on Leadership (30%), Academic Achievement (30%), Community Activities and Services (30%), Essay (10%). Questions should be directed to tacs@taiwanculturectr.org. **DEADLINE TO APPLY: APRIL 15 2025** | Post 16 JAN 2025 |


SCHOLARSHIP: [KAPPA YOUTH & COMMUNITY FOUNDATION Gaithersburg-Rockville SCHOLARSHIP](#). Available to **African American MALE SENIORS** of color. Minimum 2.5 GPA. Applicants should be active in extracurricular activities or work-related activities. High school transcript, essay, two letters of recommendation, and college acceptance letter required. Apply online only. Click on 'scholarship' on the left side of the Kappa Alpha home page using the link embedded above. **DEADLINE TO APPLY: APRIL 20 2025** | Post 31 OCT 2024 |

SCHOLARSHIP: The [Asian Pacific Community Fund](#) (APCF) is excited to announce that our 2025 scholarship applications are now open! We are offering over \$400,000 in scholarship funding to high school **SENIORS** in their support of higher education. Several partner organization scholarships available. Criteria may vary. In general the applicants should have a plan to pursue post-secondary education at either a 4-year college/university or community college in the fall of 2025. A minimum unweighted GPA of 2.5 is required. Financial need considered. **DEADLINE TO APPLY: APRIL 21 2025; 11:59 PM** | Post 6 DEC 2024 |

SCHOLARSHIP: The Alex Popeck Never Back Down Foundation, Inc. is a 501(c)(3) charitable foundation that awards [Difference Makers Post-Secondary Scholarships](#) to Montgomery County, MD high school graduating **SENIORS** in loving memory of Alex Popeck (please [visit www.APNBD.org](http://www.APNBD.org) to learn more about Alex). \$2,500 award. The application, two letters of recommendation, extracurricular activities, and written personal statement/essay required. **DEADLINE TO APPLY: APRIL 28 2025** | Post 13 JAN 2025 |

SCHOLARSHIP: [High Bridge Foundation Scholarships](#). **SENIORS.** For 2025, High Bridge Foundation, Inc. is pleased to offer two (2) \$4,000.00 Impact Awards; five (5) \$2,000.00 Scholarship Awards, and seven (7) \$1,000.00 Book Awards to deserving high school seniors from the District of Columbia, Anne Arundel County, Baltimore City, Baltimore County, Charles County, Howard County, Montgomery County, and Prince George's County in Maryland, and Alexandria City, Arlington County, and Fairfax County in Virginia. The scholarships may be used to help defray the cost of the recipients' attendance at a trade school, community college, college, or university of their choice. **The Foundation's awards are intended to support the educational aspirations of young people from underserved populations, especially those who make substantial and noteworthy academic progress despite hardship conditions. Examples of hardship may include poverty, immigration, or adversity such as a disability or loss of a parent.** The **Scholarship Guidelines** and the **Application Form** will be posted on the Foundation's website www.highbridgefoundation.org on March 1st. **All applications must be received on or before April 30, 2025.** For further inquiries or additional information, please contact scholarship@highbridgefoundation.org or (240) 355-4930. **DEADLINE TO APPLY: APRIL 30 2025** | Post 18 FEB 2025 |

Application deadline dates for May 2025 & beyond ...

 **SCHOLARSHIP:** 2025 Rudolph W. Snowden Memorial Scholarship. AFR. AMR. MALE MCPS **GRADUATING SENIORS.** Applicants must be seeking a bachelor's degree from an accredited Historically Black College or University (HBCU) and have a minimum 3.0 GPA. Scholarship awards range from \$1,000 to \$5,000. [Application](#) includes photo submission. **DEADLINE TO APPLY: MAY 1 2025** | Post 3 MARCH 2025 |

SCHOLARSHIP: The **MONTGOMERY COLLEGE 2025-2026 Board of Trustees (BOT) Academic Specialty Scholarship application is now available online.** **SENIORS** planning to attend MC. As a reminder, this is a merit-based scholarship for graduating high school seniors and will cover the cost of up to 15 credits per semester at the county rate for the first year and may be renewable for a second year, pending available funding.

Students must be admitted to MC before they can access the online application and can complete an admissions application here: <https://www.montgomerycollege.edu/admissions-registration/application.html>. Once the student has been admitted and sets up their MyMC account, they will be able to complete the scholarship application using their MC login.

Please note that students can complete the online scholarship application, submit the required essays, and transcript with this application; however, the letter of recommendation must be emailed directly to botscholarships@montgomerycollege.edu.

Also, please note that transcripts must include the applicant's first-semester grades. Students can complete the application now and email a transcript with their first-semester grades as soon as they become available. Unofficial transcripts are fine to submit.

The application can be accessed directly at

<https://survey.alchemer.com/s3/6014296/Board-of-Trustees-Scholarship>. (This link will take you to the MyMC Login page. You must have a MyMC username and password to access the application).

DEADLINE TO APPLY: MAY 1 2025 (application will continue to be accepted through May 1). Students who submit a completed application by the priority deadline will be notified of a decision by April 15th. Late applicants will be notified of a decision by May 15th. | Post 13 JAN 2025 |

SCHOLARSHIP: [MONTGOMERY COUNTY CHAPTER BOWIE STATE UNIVERSITY NATIONAL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION, INC. SCHOLARSHIP](#). **SENIORS** who have applied and/or been accepted to BOWIE STATE. \$1,000 to \$3,000. Eligibility: 1. good standing in the community. 2. have applied for upcoming Fall semester admission to Bowie State University. 3. provide a sealed copy of their most recent official transcript with the scholarship application. 4. have a Grade Point Average (GPA) of 2.5 or greater. **DEADLINE TO APPLY: MAY 15 2025** | Post 21 FEB 2025 |

SCHOLARSHIP: [Jim's Team 4 Diabetes Foundation](#). **SENIORS**. College Scholarship opportunity that's specific for senior class students who may have been diagnosed with **Type One Diabetes**. With the national corporate support provided by **embecta**, our **Jim's Team 4 Diabetes Foundation** will be providing **"25" individual College Scholarships each valued at \$500.00 for T1D students across the USA**. Our Scholarships help cover the student's Diabetes insulin costs and some medical supplies when they first begin their college studies. **DEADLINE TO APPLY: MAY 16 2025; 11:59 PM** | Post 18 DEC 2024 |

SCHOLARSHIP: [AES Engineers](#) is once again offering an annual scholarship for 2025. **SENIORS**. **Application Process:** Students will submit an essay on the topic that appears on the scholarship page of our web site <https://www.aesengineers.com/scholarships.php>. **DEADLINE TO APPLY: OCT 8 2025** | Post 13 JAN 2025 |

Scholarships



[MCPS Shared Scholarship Resource](#)

Please note: This document is updated and reviewed on a regular basis.

FAFSA Assistance & Financial Aid Resources:

NEW RESOURCE: Collegiate Directions, Inc., (CDI) [Events Calendar](#). Includes post-secondary financial aid events and general information. | Post 5 DEC 2024 |

NEW FAFSA RESOURCE: Walking Families Through the FAFSA with Edvisors @ <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vSOOk8Al6eM>

RESOURCE: [TRiO Educational Opportunity Center \(EOC\)](#) Financial assistance available. EOC can also provide financial aid award package(s) review. To schedule an appointment or sign up for a workshop:

- Complete an [intake form](#)
- Contact the office by phone 240-567-5644
- Email us at mceoc@montgomerycollege.edu

RESOURCE: 2024-2025 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) visit: <https://studentaid.gov/fafsa-app/ROLES> OR The [Maryland State Financial Aid Application](#) (MSFAA)

RESOURCE: Financial Aid on YouTube @ <https://www.youtube.com/user/FederalStudentAid>

RESOURCE: [FAFSA Completion Resources & Video Tutorials](#)

RESOURCE: FAFSA Resource courtesy of the Maryland Higher Education Commission: [FAFSA Simplification](#). A PDF document that may answer many of the questions students & parents may have.

RESOURCE: [Federal Student Aid – How to Correct or Update Your FAFSA Form](#)

RESOURCE: [CSS PROFILE](#): The **CSS Profile** is an online application used by colleges and scholarship programs to award non-federal institutional aid. This financial aid application is completed in addition to the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid). **Find out if your college requires the CSS Profile for financial aid consideration @** <https://cssprofile.collegeboard.org>.

RESOURCE: [College Board BigFuture](#). Plan and pay for college. Additional scholarship resources available.

RESOURCE: [MyinTuition Cost Calculation](#). A college cost estimator for specific colleges and universities. @ <https://myintuition.org/quick-college-cost-estimator/>.

RESOURCE: [Find out about How First Gen Students Can Navigate Paying for College](#): A resource sponsored by Citizens Bank @ <https://www.citizensbank.com/learning/first-gen-students-preparing-for-college.aspx>.

RESOURCE: [finaid.org](#): A “free, comprehensive, independent & objective guide to financial aid.” Also includes a free “Financial Aid Estimation Form”.

State of MD Financial Aid & Scholarship Resources:



RESOURCE: [Maryland Aid & Scholarships @ mhec.maryland.gov](https://mhec.maryland.gov)

Tips & Tools for Applying & Accepting Financial Aid in the State of Maryland • [FAQ's](#) • The Maryland College Aid Processing System (MD CAPS) accounts for accepting financial aid. Set up the MD CAPS account using this [link](#). Complete the FAFSA (check individual college deadlines for priority date due). Check your MD CAPS account on a regular basis after filing the FAFSA. Complete all items on the checklist. Links and forms for documents required will be available to download in your MD CAPS account. For all applicant [eligibility requirements](#), including how to sign up for a [MDCAPS account](#) can be found on the MHEC website. If you have questions, call the Office of Student Financial Assistance at 410-767-3300 and follow the prompt to press #1. You can also meet [virtually with a financial aid specialist](#) to talk more about your options when applying for financial aid to achieve your higher education goals.

RESOURCE: The [Maryland Community College Promise Scholarship](#) is available each academic year to students who enroll at a Maryland community college. The Maryland Community College Promise Scholarship is a **last dollar award**, available to students who plan to enroll in credit-bearing coursework leading to a vocational certificate, certificate, or an associate degree. All interested applicants must submit either the [Free Application for Federal Student Aid](#) (FAFSA) or the MHEC One-App each year.

RESOURCE: Update from the Maryland Higher Education Commission (MHEC) on the **Howard P. Rawlings Educational Assistance Grant & Guaranteed Access Grant Program**. The Office of Student Financial Assistance (OSFA) will identify students that potentially meet grant eligibility based on information obtained on the student's FAFSA. For more information, visit mhec.maryland.gov.

Maryland Legislative Scholarships: Students are reminded to check with the Maryland legislators for their residing district for scholarship opportunities! Visit mdelect.net to determine who your legislators are. FAFSA filing required. Check with your Legislative Senators & Delegates for their specific FAFSA requirement.

RESOURCE: C. D. Motes, Jr. Incentive Awards Program (IAP) with the University of Maryland College Park and MCPS UMD Accepted Students. If you are applying to UMD College Park and demonstrate qualities like leadership, being service oriented, committed to striving to be best and perseverance, you may want to learn more about IAP. Learn more on the [IAP website](#). Click [here](#) to learn more about Becoming A Scholar.

RESOURCE: Maryland Scholarship Directory, a list of 100+ vetted scholarships for students across the state, broken down by month. Here is the link: <https://standoutcollegeprep.com/washington-dc-and-maryland-scholarships/> from standoutcollegeprep.com.

RESOURCE: Bold.org: Scholarships for Maryland Residents @ <https://bold.org/scholarships/by-state/maryland-scholarships/>

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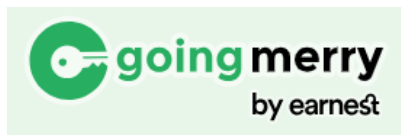
MCPS College Career Information website

Scholarship Updates for Students @

montgomeryschoolsmd.org/curriculum/careercenter

A list of scholarship opportunities, including and in addition to, opportunities made available through the Northwest College Career Information Center. Listing includes links to scholarship applications and several comprehensive online databases.

Internet for Scholarships:



RESOURCE: [GoingMerry.com](https://www.goingmerry.com). Scholarships. FAFSA Info. College Cost Comparison and more. A FREE account may be required to access information. To find and apply for scholarships, [sign up for Going Merry](https://www.goingmerry.com/sign-up) -- it's free! Going Merry has thousands of national, regional, and local scholarships. There are also opportunities for every grade level, from freshmen to seniors.

RESOURCE: [AffordableCollege.com](https://www.affordablecollege.com): LGBTQ students post-secondary planning resource

RESOURCE: ARMY ROTC SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION [here](#)

RESOURCE: Bold.org: [Scholarships for Black Students](https://www.bold.org/scholarships-for-black-students)

RESOURCE: Congressional Hispanic Caucus Institute (CHCI) @ [chci.org](https://www.chci.org) Internship resource for Latino students

RESOURCE: [Hispanic & Latinx Scholarships](https://www.hispanicandlatinx.org): This guide offers a comprehensive list of scholarships tailored specifically for Hispanic and Latinx students, along with other key resources like financial aid tips and links to mentorship programs. It's designed to help students overcome financial barriers and achieve their academic and professional goals.

RESOURCE: [FallenPatriots.org](https://www.fallenpatriots.org): [Fallen Patriots](https://www.fallenpatriots.org) provides college scholarships to military children who lost a parent in the line of duty. No competitive application process or essay. Fallen Patriots does not operate on deadlines. Scholarships are provided on a continual basis throughout the year. Complete the Enrollment Form online as the first step. Questions can be directed by email to the Enrollment Coordinator @ [enrollments @ enrollments @ enrollments@fallenpatriots.org](mailto:enrollments@fallenpatriots.org) or by phone to 866.917.2373 Monday through Friday from 9 am to 5 pm.

RESOURCE: [HBCU CONNECT](https://www.hbcuconnect.org) was founded in 1999 by Hampton University graduate William Roger Moss III, who connected with fellow HBCU graduate and entrepreneur E. Shawn Starks to create the first African American targeted social network launched as "hbcu-central.com". This link is a resource for scholarships specifically targeted to students planning to attend a Historically Black College or University.

RESOURCE: UNITED NEGRO COLLEGE FUND SCHOLARSHIP presentation. Click [HERE](#).

RESOURCE: From BOLD.org [The Best LGBTQ+ Scholarships](#). | Posted 6 June 2023 |

RESOURCE: **Imagine America High School Scholarship Program for high school students planning to attend a career school participating in the Imagine America High School Scholarship Program** – For a list of participating schools and to apply, visit <https://www.imagine-america.org/students/>. Questions? Contact Imagine America @ 571.267.3010 or email studentservices@imagine-america.org

RESOURCE: [MCDANIEL COLLEGE EDUCATOR'S LEGACY SCHOLARSHIP](https://www.mcdanielcollege.edu/education/scholarships): offered to high school graduating SENIORS with application to McDaniel College; application available to children of MCPS K-12 school employees; \$25,000 award renewable over 4 years; 2.5 minimum GPA; acceptance to McDaniel College required for scholarship consideration. **SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS ARE REVIEWED ON A ROLLING BASIS**

RESOURCE: MONTGOMERY COLLEGE [Institutional Scholarships & Grants](https://www.montgomerycollege.edu/education/scholarships) (MC application required)

RESOURCE: Scholarships for MONTGOMERY COLLEGE → Universities at Shady Grove (USG) Transfer Students. Intended to help meet the needs of those seeking to complete a BA degree after attending a 2-year college. Visit shadygrove.umd.edu/admissions/financial-aid.

RESOURCE: NCAA.ORG: Sports scholarships, internships and college eligibility requirements for students can be researched @ ncaa.org

RESOURCE: NextStepU is a scholarship search engine that connects with thousands of ways to pay for college.

RESOURCE: Information about college ROTC programs and scholarships can be found @ bestcolleges.com

RESOURCE: raise.me. What if you could earn \$1,000 for college every time you got an “A” in class? What if you could earn \$600 for college every time you got a “B” in class? How about earning \$250 for participating in an after-school club or sport? Starting today, you can earn scholarships to college each time you achieve one of these goals. Find out how and visit raise.me.

RESOURCE: The **RON BROWN Scholarship Program for African American high school seniors who are US citizens or permanent residents**. RBSP competitively awards scholarships to the most talented and economically-challenged students who demonstrate a keen interest in public service, community engagement, business entrepreneurship and global citizenship – the four pillars of the late Ronald H. Brown’s mission to uplift people of all races, cultures and ethnicities – especially our disadvantaged youth.

RESOURCE: SCHOLARSHIPS FOR HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS @ scholarshipsandgrants.us

RESOURCE: Scholarship opportunities for Latino students who may have immigration related concerns can be researched @ maldef.org under ‘resources’.

RESOURCE: ScholarshipGuidance.com

RESOURCE: Scholarships.com

RESOURCE: Scholastic Art & Writing Scholarships @ artandwriting.org

RESOURCE: StudentScholarships.org
Scholarship opportunities are published in their current newsletter. Opportunities have deadlines to apply thru the end of the school year. Visit studentscholarships.org/newsletter to create an account and download the newsletter.

RESOURCE: THE HERB BLOCK FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP does not have a required GPA or age to apply. This is a ‘last dollar’ scholarship (meaning that the calculation of a student’s need considers all other financial aid awards the student receives). The award covers not only tuition, but also fees, books and transportation.

TIMELINE: MARCH – JUNE

RESOURCE: Hispanic & Latinx Scholarships @ www.edumed.org/financial-aid/hispanic-latinx-scholarships-resources/

RESOURCE: THE HISPANIC SCHOLARSHIP FUND – hsf.net/scholarship. Awards range from \$500 to \$5,000. Applicants must be Hispanic Heritage with a high school GPA of 3.0 (4.0 scale). The Hispanic Scholarship Fund’s (HSF) mission is to strengthen America by advancing the college education of Hispanic Americans. We deliver a range of programs to Hispanic families and students through community outreach and education, affordability via scholarships, college retention and career opportunities. **TIMELINE: DECEMBER – APRIL**

RESOURCE: [THURGOOD MARSHALL COLLEGE FUND \(TMCF\) PROGRAM](#) @ TMCF Scholarships are designed to relieve the financial burden of students attending a TMCF member school or other eligible accredited colleges or universities. The scholarship process is highly competitive. Most scholarships are one-time, non-renewable scholarships unless otherwise indicated. Scholarships are given without regard to race, color, creed, religion, sex, disability, or national origin.

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