



North Carolina Merit Based Scholarships

Morehead-Cain Scholarship-UNC Chapel Hill: Must be a competitive applicant to UNC Chapel Hill. Applicant must demonstrate Moral Force of Character, Scholarship, Physical Vigor & Leadership. Students may self-nominate and all materials and transcripts are due by 10/15/2020. Visit <http://moreheadcain.org>

Park Scholarship – NC State University: Must be a competitive applicant to NC State. Demonstrate a commitment to scholarship, service, leadership & character. Students can self-endorse for this scholarship. All required materials are due by 11/1/2020. Visit <http://park.ncsu.edu>

NC State Good Night Scholars Program: Applicant must be a NC resident, plan to major in a STEM area and the applicant's family income cannot exceed \$110,000. NC State General application must be submitted by November 1st. You can self-nominate for the scholarship beginning November 1st. All application materials are due by January 11, 2021. Visit goodnight.ncsu.edu

***Cheatham-White Scholarship Program -** <https://www.nccu.edu/usp/cheatham-white-scholarship-program>

We have been fortunate enough to have TWO EESHs students receive the Cheatham-White – Full ride scholarship!

***Cheatham-White Scholarship Program -** <https://www.ncat.edu/academics/honors/cheatham-white-scholars.php>

ECU Scholars Program - <https://ecscholars.ecu.edu/>

The Thomas Wolfe Scholarship (scholarship for student writers who plan to attend UNC-Chapel Hill) Applicants must complete two separate processes to apply for this scholarship. Students must apply to UNC-Chapel Hill by 10/15/20 and complete the scholarship application by 11/15/20.

Horatio Alger Scholarship: Must be a US citizen, with a minimum 2.0 GPA. Student must plan to pursue a 2-year or 4-year degree and demonstrate critical financial need (Family income should not exceed \$55,000). Applicant must also display integrity & perseverance in overcoming adversity. Deadline 10/25/20. Visit scholars.horatioalger.org to apply for the National (\$25,000) as well as State (\$10,000) scholarship opportunities.

Jack Kent Cooke Foundation College Scholarship Program: Seeks high achieving seniors with financial need who plan to attend some of the nation's best colleges and universities. Students receive up to \$40,000 in college scholarships. Visit jkcf.org to apply. October 30, 2020 is the deadline.

Ron Brown Scholars Program – Black/African American high school seniors who excel academically, exhibit leadership potential and participate in community service activities. Students should demonstrate financial need. Application deadline is 1/9/2021. Visit www.ronbrown.org

Coca Cola Scholars Program: Online application must be submitted by 10/31/2020. Applicant must plan to pursue a degree at an accredited US post-secondary institution. Visit www.coca-colascholarshipfoundation.org

Burger King Scholars Program: Visit www.https://burgerking.scholarsapply.org/ for scholarship details.



***Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Scholarship** - Guidelines North Carolina Association of Educators (NCAE) and the North Carolina Foundation for Public School Children (NCFPSC). Applicants must be NORTH CAROLINA RESIDENTS enrolled in a public high school in their senior year. Criteria for selection include character, community involvement, and scholastic achievement. Individuals meeting these qualifications may access the application form by visiting one of the following websites: <http://www.NCAE.org> • <http://www.NCFPSC.org> Scholarship deadline:

****Corvias Foundation Scholarship for Children of Active Duty Service Members:***

Application will be available on November 2, 2020 - Visit www.corviasfoundation.org

Application deadline: February 12, 2021

Be a high school senior, between the ages of 16 and 19 at the time of application. Have a minimum 3.0 unweighted cumulative GPA at the time of application. Plan to attend a four-year college or university as an undergraduate student for the entire 2020-21 academic year. Be a child of an active-duty Service Member stationed at one of the following U.S. Military installations at the time of application or application due date: Fort Bragg, NC

*Applicants to the ***Equitable Excellence Scholarship*** must:

- Demonstrate courage, strength and wisdom as shown by community impact through volunteer service
- Be high school seniors planning to attend an accredited two-year or four-year college or university in the United States.
- Be a United States citizen or legal resident living or claiming residency in one of the 50 U.S. states, District of Columbia or Puerto Rico.

Visit: <https://equitable.com/foundation/equitable-excellence-scholarship> to apply - The application period is until December 15, 2020 or when 10,000 applications have been received.

***NC State Wilson College of Textiles Scholarship** Competitive applicants demonstrate high academic achievement, strong leadership qualities, involvement in extracurricular activities and civic engagement and interest in textile-related careers. For scholarship consideration, students must have submitted an NC State admissions application by the **Early Action deadline, November 1**. These scholarships are designed for students who are interested in career fields such as engineering, business management, design, chemistry, polymers, forensics, medical fields, fashion merchandising and retail management.

- **ITT Centennial Scholarship**
 - Awarded to the top Centennial
 - \$22,000/year for 4 years and \$7,500 in enrichment funds
- **Kimbrell Centennial Scholarship**
 - Awarded to the 2nd top Centennial
 - \$20,000/year for 4 years and \$7,500 in enrichment funds
- **Centennial Scholarship**
 - \$15,000/year for 4 years and \$7,500 in enrichment funds
 - Up to 8 awarded per year
- **Pioneer Scholarship**
 - \$14,000/year for 4 years and \$4,000 in enrichment funds
 - Up to 5 awarded per year
- **North Carolina Textile Foundation Scholarship**
 - \$5,000/year for 4 years
- **Prestige Scholarship**
 - \$1,000 - \$2,500/year for 4 years
 - **See Ms. Craig – if you wish to be endorsed for these scholarship!**



****FLORENCE KIDDER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP***

Students desiring to be considered for a Florence Kidder Memorial Scholarship, please visit

<https://www.ncdames.org/florence-kidder-memorial-scholarship>

Deadline: **February 7, 2021.**

****Voice of Democracy***

Open to students in grades 9-12 (Oct. 31 deadline), who are enrolled in a public, private or parochial high school or home study program in the United States and its territories. Visit: <https://www.vfw.org/VOD>

We want to reach as many patriotic students as possible to compete for the grand prize: **\$30,000** paid directly to the American college, university or vocational/technical school of their choice!

****Attention GEAR-UP & Upward Bound Students:*** Check out the Dell Scholars Program Deadline: December 1, 2020

Visit <https://www.dellscholars.org/scholarship/crps/> to apply and find out more about this \$20,000 scholarship opportunity

****NC Hispanic College Fund Scholarship*** – Visit <https://www.thencshp.org/>

Graduate of a NC high school within the past 2 years

A four-year cumulative GPA of 2.5 or better on a 4.0 scale

2 letters of recommendation from a high school teacher, principal, pastor, employer, or other community leaders

An official high school transcript and a Personal statement (500 words)

Scholarship deadline: December 15, 2020

****The United Negro College Fund (UNCF)*** has helped more than 500,000 students earn their college degrees since its founding. UNCF is the nation's largest private scholarship provider to minority group members. Each year, we award more than \$100 million in scholarships to students attending more than 1,100 schools across the country, including our prestigious network of [37 HBCUs](#). We also manage a variety of scholarship programs, such as the [Fund II Foundation UNCF STEM Scholars Program](#), [UNCF/Koch Scholars Program](#), [Walton K-12 Education Fellowship](#) and the [Frederick Douglass Bicentennial Scholarship Program](#).

Here are some websites that you will find helpful in your scholarship search:

Military Connected Scholarships:

<https://www.militarychild.org/>

<https://amvets.org/scholarships/>

<http://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/>

<https://www.nitrocollege.com/blog/ultimate-guide-military-dependent-scholarships>

<http://militaryscholar.org/sfmc/index.html>



General Scholarship websites:

http://www.cfnc.org/paying/schol/info_schol.jsp

<http://www.fastweb.com/>

<https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/>

Please reach out to Ms. Craig, Scholarship Coordinator for any questions you may have about the scholarship process! Her email address is: donnacraig@ccs.k12.nc.us.



**Virtual College Visit with Elizabeth City State University on
Tuesday, October 20th during lunch from 11:45 – 12:30PM**



Need Help with the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)?

Student FAFSA Session – 10/22/2020 from 11:45 – 12:30 PM – Zoom links will be shared!

Parent FAFSA Session – 10/22/2020 from 5:00 – 5:45 PM – Zoom links will be shared!

College Application Week 2020 – October 19th – October 30th

Visit www.cfnc.org and create your account NOW! You can fill out the applications but DO NOT SUBMIT them until October 19th – October 30th to take advantage of the FREE College application fees.

Please email Mrs. (Staten) McLaurin, Senior Counselor, if you have any additional questions.
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