

**SCHOLARSHIPS**  
**RJ Reynolds High School**  
**December 12, 2023**

**Review scholarship opportunities available through The Winston – Salem Foundation. One-stop scholarship application opens **January 1** and most merit-based scholarship applications are due April 1.**

**Go to: <https://www.wsfoundation.org/scholarships>**



**LAUNCH OF THE 2024-25 FAFSA FORM**

There are major changes and improvements coming to the 2024-25 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) form. The redesigned and streamlined FAFSA form will be available **by Dec. 31, 2023.**

<https://studentaid.gov/announcements-events/fafsa-support>

**COLLEGE FOUNDATION OF NORTH CAROLINA - STUDENT FINANCIAL AID**

To learn more about a wide range of financial aid opportunities available to residents of North Carolina. Go to

Go to: <https://www.cfnc.org/pay-for-college/apply-for-financial-aid/>

**CROSBY SCHOLARS**

Crosby Scholarships for the Class of 2024 opened November 1. [Home - Crosby Scholars Forsyth 2024 Scholarship Handbook](#) [https://issuu.com/cscp/docs/in\\_progress\\_scholarship\\_handbook\\_2023-24\\_4\\_fr=xKAE9\\_zU1NQ](https://issuu.com/cscp/docs/in_progress_scholarship_handbook_2023-24_4_fr=xKAE9_zU1NQ)

**For all scholarship emails, please, put **the name of the scholarship (including the word SCHOLARSHIP)** in the subject line when emailing your counselor for information.**

Questions about scholarships and financial aid may be directed to Mrs. Beale and/or your school counselor. **We are here to help.**

**NATIONAL SOCIETY OF THE COLONIAL DAMES OF AMERICA - FLORENCE KIDDER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

Criteria: High school seniors who plan to attend any North Carolina college. The scholarship will be awarded on the basis of merit of the individual essay (75%), character and grades-scholarship record (20%), and need (5%). Submit an essay of 500 to 700 words on North Carolina in the Revolutionary War (see website for details)

Awards: One - \$3,000 One - \$1,000 One - \$800 and Three - \$400

Deadline: February 5, 2024 (Submitted online)

Contact: Application or apply on-line [www.ncdames.org/florence-kidder-memorial-scholarship](http://www.ncdames.org/florence-kidder-memorial-scholarship)

**NAOMI RABB WINSTON SCHOLARSHIP TWO-DIMENSIONAL ART**

Criteria: Scholarship funds for extracurricular private study, special training or workshops, museum programs, summer programs in the applicant's chosen art medium

Awards: Varies

Deadline: February 1, 2024

Contact: Norman A. Brown [nbrownicon@gmail.com](mailto:nbrownicon@gmail.com) or 412-881-3188

<http://arts-nsal.org/scholarships/winston-art-scholarships/>

### **DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR SCHOLARSHIP (NCAE)**

Criteria: North Carolina residents enrolled in a public high school in their senior year and plan to continue their education; character community involvement, and scholastic achievement (minimum GPA 2.5)  
Awards: To Be Determined – Funds to be used Freshman year  
Deadline: February 5, 2024  
Contact: Go to <https://www.ncae.org/mlkjrscholarshipinfo>

### **NORTH CAROLINA SOCIETY DAR - CORDON STREET ENDOWMENT SCHOLARSHIP**

Criteria: Worthy students entering academically accredited technical schools, community colleges or universities.  
Awards: Two \$1,500  
Deadline: January 31, 2024  
Contact: Application available on the **RJR website** in the Guidance tab:  
<https://www.wsfcs.k12.nc.us/Page/124704>

### **HOMESTEAD HILLS SCHOLARSHIP – THE SILVER PEN WRITING COMPETITION**

Criteria: The Silver Pen Writing Competition is an essay contest. Essay must be a minimum of 1000 words and the topic is – Many people volunteer their time to help others, either through non-profit organizations, churches or other charitable venues. Write an essay to convince others to find a charity and volunteer their time.  
Awards: 3 one-time scholarships - \$2,500, \$750 and \$500.  
Deadline: February 10, 2024  
Contact: Information and application available at: <https://silverpen-slc.com/#apply>

### **MEL HUGHES SCHOLARSHIP (ALLEGACY FEDERAL CREDIT UNION)**

Criteria: Student must be a member (or become a member) of Allegacy with their own savings account and a high school senior accepted to attend an accredited postsecondary institution; academic performance (minimum 3.0 unweighted GPA), extracurricular and community activities, and essay. **To set up an account See Ms. Tuck-Thompson** [attuck@wsfcs.k12.nc.us](mailto:attuck@wsfcs.k12.nc.us)  
Awards: Six \$2,000 scholarships for college/university; Four \$500 scholarships for community/technical schools  
Deadline: February 1, 2024  
Contact: Scholarship application is available at <https://www.allegacy.org/scholarship-programs/>

### **NORTH CAROLINA DIVISION OF VETERANS AFFAIRS SCHOLARSHIPS**

Criteria: Funds provide college support to help children of certain disabled, deceased, combat or POW/MIA veterans; students may be eligible for a scholarship if veteran parent was a resident of North Carolina when he or she entered military service  
Awards: Several classes of scholarship eligibility  
Deadline: February 14, 2024  
Contact: <https://www.milvets.nc.gov/services/scholarships> Read Instruction Sheet for Details

### **MEMBERS CREDIT UNION SCHOLARSHIP**

Criteria: Applicant must be (1) a member of Member's Credit Union and (2) be enrolled or plan to enroll as a full-time student in an accredited college or university; demonstrated academic ability, writing ability, school activities and community activities  
Deadline: February 1, 2024  
Contact: Visit <https://memcu.com/membership/scholarships/>

### **NORTH CAROLINA CENTRAL UNIVERSITY INTERNAL SCHOLARSHIPS**

Criteria: Various  
Awards: To be determined  
Deadline: February 29, 2024  
Contact: <https://ncu.academicworks.com/>

### **SENAH C. AND C.A. KENT FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS**

Criteria: High school seniors who demonstrate traits of high personal character, leadership and ambition; must also demonstrate academic merit (but not only top students in class) and financial need; GPA minimum 2.0/4.0 scale  
Awards: Amounts vary each year  
Deadline: Scholarship opens December 4 Due February 22, 2024  
Contact: Apply online at: <https://csascholars.org/kent/>  
Elisabeth Pate [Elisabeth@csascholars.org](mailto:Elisabeth@csascholars.org) (864) 268-3363

### **EDGAR AND LOIS REICH EDUCATIONAL FUND SCHOLARSHIP**

Criteria: High school seniors who plan to pursue degrees in Education or Dental Science; must be native born citizens of Forsyth County or Davidson County and currently reside in either of these counties; demonstrate academic achievement and financial need; GPA minimum 2.0/4.0 scale  
Awards: Amounts vary each year  
Deadline: Scholarship opens January 17 Due March 18, 2024  
Contact: Apply online at: <https://www.csascholars.org/ereic/>

### **AUBREY LEE BROOKS SCHOLARSHIP**

Criteria: North Carolina resident and graduating senior permanently residing in one of the following counties: Alamance, Bertie, Caswell, Durham, Forsyth, Granville, Guilford, Orange, Person, Rockingham, Stokes, Surry, Swain or Warren and planning to attend North Carolina State University, UNC-Chapel Hill or UNC-Greensboro; successful applicants have excellent high school grades and SAT/ACT scores, have participated in extracurricular activities, volunteered in their community and/or been regularly employed and have demonstrated leadership; applicants must demonstrate financial need based on completion of the FAFSA.  
Awards: Scholarships up to \$12,000  
Deadline: Opens January 16, 2024. Deadline for submission March 1 (including transcript, ACT/SAT scores and FAFSA  
Contact: Application available at [Aubrey Lee Brooks Scholarship \(cfnc.org\)](http://AubreyLeeBrooksScholarship.cfnc.org)  
Email Mrs. Beale with questions about this scholarship put **Aubrey Lee Brooks Scholarship** in the subject