

Scholarships (February 2021)

The **Florence Kidder Memorial Scholarship** is a \$3,000 scholarship awarded to a N.C. senior who plans to attend a college or university in North Carolina. One runner-up will receive a \$1,000 scholarship. Recipients will be selected on the basis of the merit of an essay on the assigned topic, plus character and scholastic record and need. More information and applications can be found at <http://www.ncdames.org/florence-kidder-memorial-scholarship> and the deadline is 11:59 pm on **February 7**.

The **Because of My Village Scholarship** is aimed at providing an enriching college-readiness development experience and the opportunity to award \$1,000 to a high school male senior attending a 2- or 4-year college in the fall. A minimum GPA of 3.0 is required. Please email eboard@thevillagementors.org to receive an application. Deadline is **February 12**.

The **Aubrey Lee Brooks Foundation** will be available beginning Dec. 7. It offers up to \$12,000 annually for students who plan to enroll next year at North Carolina State University, UNC-Chapel Hill, or UNC-Greensboro. This foundation also offers a one-time computer allowance and funds during summer sessions for study abroad, internship, and/or research opportunities. Applicants must demonstrate financial need and complete the FAFSA. Applicants are expected to have participated in extracurricular activities, volunteered in their community, and/or been regularly employed. The application is available online at www.CFNC.org/brooks. All application materials must be received by the foundation by **February 14 (deadline has been extended—originally was Jan. 31)**.

The **Cancer Fighter Scholarship** will be a \$1,000 award given to 10 students who have been/are cancer fighters. "Cancer fighter" means one who battled cancer themselves, helped a loved one or friend through their own fight, or has been a leader in their school/community in the fight against cancer. More information can be found at <https://www.supportsmac.org/scholarships>. Deadline is **February 15**.

The **N.C. SECU "People Helping People" Scholarship** is a \$10,000 scholarship (\$2,500 per year for 4 years). Applicant must be a senior at North Carolina public high school, be SECU members or eligible for membership through a parent/guardian, accepted to attend one of the 16 public UNC system schools next year as a full-time undergraduate, have demonstrated scholastic achievement with a 2.5 unweighted GPA or higher, be a U.S. citizen, a resident of North Carolina, and eligible for in-state tuition, have demonstrated leadership, excellence of character, integrity, and community involvement, and demonstrate financial need and must file the FAFSA as a part of the application. The application was emailed to all seniors on December 21. Let Mrs. Graves know if you need another copy. Completed applications must be received by Mrs. Graves via email by **February 22, 2021**.

"Sweet and Simple" Scholarship: one recipient nationally will be selected to receive a \$1,500 scholarship. Submit an online short written response (250 words or less) for the scholarship topic *"Not every gift has to be expensive or extravagant. In fact, sometimes it is the sweet and simple things that make a real difference in our lives. Think back and tell us about something you received as a gift and why it meant so much to you."* The deadline to apply is **February 28** and the website is <https://www.unigo.com/scholarships/our-scholarships/sweet-and-simple-scholarship#/fromscholarshipexperts>.

The **Eunice Riggins Memorial Scholarship** is open to a young woman who expects to enroll in a four-year college next fall and who is ranked in the top 10% of the class, has good character, participates in extracurricular activities in school and community, and has financial need. More info at <https://app.mykaleidoscope.com/scholarship/EuniceRiggins>. Deadline is **March 1**.

The **Clare Johnson Marley-Mary Earle Berger Fine Arts Scholarship** is a non-renewable \$2,000 award. This scholarship is open to any student graduating from an accredited public high school in North Carolina who expects to enroll at a four-year college/university in the fall and is planning to declare a major in an area of the fine arts. Applicants must rank in the top 20% of their class, have good character, participate in extracurricular activities in their school and community, and have financial need. More info at <https://app.mykaleidoscope.com/scholarship/clarejohnsonscholarship>. Deadline is **March 1**.

The [Mary Rose Mills-Linda Rankin Memorial Scholarship](#) is a non-renewable \$2,000 scholarship open to any student who is currently graduating from an accredited public high school in North Carolina and who expects to enroll in a four-year college/university next fall and who ranks in the top 10% of their class, has good character, participates in extracurricular activities in the school and community, and has financial need. More info is at <https://app.mykaleidoscope.com/scholarship/MaryRoseMemorial>. Deadline is **March 1**.

The [NC A&T Gate City Alumni Chapter Scholarship](#) is offered each year to incoming freshmen at NC A&T and is renewable for four years if the student meets eligibility requirements. For more information and to apply go to <http://gatecity.ncatsualumni.org/scholarship/>. Deadline to apply is **March 1**.

The [William Bryant Evans and Lucy Teague Evans Memorial Scholarship](#) is a \$1,000 award for a resident of the McLeansville area who wishes to pursue a degree in science or the humanities. The applicant's economic need and academic achievement are considered. The application is available at www.cfgg.org. Deadline to apply is **March 5**.

The [York David Anthony Memorial Scholarship](#) is two \$2,500 renewable awards that will be given to students from Guilford County who plan to pursue degrees in engineering. Economic need and academic achievement are both considered. Applications are available at www.cfgg.org. Deadline to apply is **March 5**.

The [Tyler David Williams Memorial Scholarship](#) is one award worth \$2,500 that will be given based on academic achievement and, while it is considered during the application process, economic need is not a prerequisite to apply. Applications are available at www.cfgg.org. Deadline to apply is **March 5**.

Superpower Scholarship: One scholarship worth \$2,500 will be awarded. Submit an online response of 250 words or less to the following prompt: *"Which superhero or villain would you want to trade places with for a day and why?"* Go to <https://www.unigo.com/scholarships/our-scholarships/superpower-scholarship#/fromscholarshipexperts>. Deadline to apply is **March 31**.

"All About Education" Scholarship is worth \$3,000. Submit an online response of 250 words or less to the following prompt: *"How will a \$3,000 scholarship for education make a difference in your life?"* Go to <https://www.unigo.com/scholarships/our-scholarships/all-about-education-scholarship#/fromscholarshipexperts>. Deadline to apply is **April 30**.

The [John Carlton Myatt Writing Scholarship](#) is a \$3,000 award that will be given to a student who intends to pursue a degree in English, Writing, or Language Arts. Examples of creative and/or critical writing must be submitted along with this application. Applications are available at www.cfgg.org. Deadline is **May 7**.

"Fifth Month" Scholarship is worth \$1,500. Submit an online response of 250 words or less to the following prompt: *"May is the 5th month of the year. Write a letter to the number five explaining why five is important. Be serious or be funny. Either way, here's a high five to you for being original."* Go to <https://www.unigo.com/scholarships/our-scholarships/fifth-month-scholarship#/fromscholarshipexperts>. Deadline to apply is **May 31, 2021**.

"Do-Over" Scholarship is worth \$1,500. Submit an online response of 250 words or less to the following prompt: *"If you get one do-over in life, what would it be and why?"* Go to <https://www.unigo.com/scholarships/our-scholarships/do-over-scholarship>. Deadline to apply is **June 30, 2021**.

"Flavor of the Month" Scholarship is worth \$1,500. Submit an online response of 250 words or less to the following prompt: *"Summer and ice cream go hand in hand. In fact, July is National Ice Cream Month, and that's the inspiration behind this award. We think people are very similar to ice cream; some are nutty, others a little exotic, while some are very comforting. If you were an ice cream flavor, which would you be and why?"* Go to <https://www.unigo.com/scholarships/our-scholarships/flavor-of-the-month-scholarship#/fromscholarshipexperts>. Deadline to apply is **July 31, 2021**.

FastWeb is one of the largest, free scholarship databases. Go to www.fastweb.com. Deadlines vary.

Bold.org features grants and scholarships that is 100% free with no spam. Go to <https://bold.org/applicants/>.

CAppex.com offers a number of scholarships. Go to <http://www.cappex.com/scholarships/> for more information. Deadlines vary.

College Xpress offers a number of different scholarships. Go to <http://www.collegexpress.com/> for more information. Deadlines vary.

Cirkled In is a free platform with scholarships. Deadlines vary. Got to <https://www.cirkledin.com/> for more info.