

## JANUARY SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

Please check with each college you are interested in regarding scholarships to ensure deadlines are met! This is not a complete list but scholarships that we are aware of at this time.

\$ CFWNC Scholarships- These scholarships and their materials are now on the CFWNC website. There are several scholarships available including Chuck D. Hargrove Scholarship (THS students only), Nathaniel Ellis Cannady, Jr. Scholarship, WNC Regional Scholarships, and several more. For more information visit: <a href="http://www.cfwnc.org/Scholarships/ScholarshipsOnline.aspx">http://www.cfwnc.org/Scholarships/ScholarshipsOnline.aspx</a>.

There are varying deadline so PLEASE pay attention to these. These are posted at: <u>http://www.cfwnc.org/Scholarships/ScholarshipDeadlines.aspx</u>.

- **\$ Haywood County Schools Foundation Scholarships**—Applications are now available online at http://www.hcsf.haywood.k12.nc.us/ and typed applications are preferred. Students must apply for scholarships that they are eligible for so please check necessary requirements. Students must submit completed applications to the Counseling Center by March 13, 2017.
- \$ NAVY ROTC Scholarships—Please let your counselor know if you are interested in a Navy ROTC Scholarship so that we can set up a meeting with our local recruiter. The typical SAT score needed is 1150 for combined Critical Reading and Math or a ACT composite score of 24.
- \$ Mensa Education and Research Foundation Scholarships—The only eligibility requirements are that the applicant be enrolled, for the academic year following the award, in a degree program in an accredited American institute of post -secondary education, and be a resident of the area of a participating local group of American Mensa. For the general awards, the applicant need not be a member of Mensa nor qualified for Mensa, and the general awards are unrestricted as to age, race, gender, level of post-secondary education and financial need. To apply for a scholarship, visit http://www.mensafoundation.org/scholarships The application deadline is January 15, 2017!
- **\$** Ronald McDonald House Charities Scholarship Program—There are four different scholarships to apply for so please review information to see which scholarships you may be eligible for at https://aim.applyists.net/RMHC. We have had a Tuscola student win in the past so please apply! The application deadline is January 18, 2017.
- **\$** The Matthew C. Graziadei Achievement Award—Application Deadline is February 15, 2017. A scholarship of \$1000 will be awarded to a NC high school senior with a disability. See your counselor if you are interested in being nominated. For more information visit www.ecac-parentcenter.org.
- \$ Gertrude McDaris & Sidney H. Ruskin Scholarship Fund— Applications available at www.csascholars.org. The deadline for this scholarship is February 06, 2017. Must be of the Cherokee Indian descent; or Anglo-Saxon decent and have ancestors who resided in one of the original 13 colonies at the time of the Revolutionary War.
- **\$** Eastern Kentucky University Selective Merit Aid/Reduced Tuition (SMART) Program—For more information regarding this scholarship opportunity, please visit admissions.eku.edu or contact Sarah Mardon at Sarah.Mardon@eku.edu.
- **\$** Miss North Carolina Jr. High/High School/Collegiate Pageant—The pageant competition does not include a swimsuit or talent competition. There are numerous prizes and scholarship opportunities. To learn more visit www.missnorthcarolinahighschool.webs.com.
- **\$** People Helping People Scholarship sponsored by the SECU Foundation—Students must complete needed information & return to the Counseling Center by March 28, 2016. The Scholarship Committee may conduct interviews in order to make a decision for 1 Tuscola nomination.

- **\$** The Golden LEAF Scholarship— Applications are available at CFNC.org/goldenleaf. The application deadline is March 1, 2017. Students must: Be enrolled during the 2016-17 academic year at a North Carolina public or private high school or a North Carolina community college. Be a North Carolina resident for tuition purposes. Reside in one of 79 qualifying counties (see county list on the back, or at CFNC.org/goldenleaf). Enroll at a qualifying UNC institution, or a North Carolina private non-profit college or university as a full-time, degree-seeking student in the Fall of 2017 (see listing of qualifying campuses on the back, or at CFNC.org/goldenleaf). Demonstrate financial need. Students MUST submit the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) to be considered for this scholarship. Present a satisfactory record of academic achievement and community service. Extracurricular activities and information provided in a brief essay submitted by the applicant may be considered in determining recipients. Submit an application.
- **The BigSun Scholarship**—The BigSun Organization is proud to be able to continue to help young athletes succeed in their academic pursuits. We are offering an annual scholarship to a deserving student. All student athletes are eligible for this award, regardless of which sport they are participating in. Their participation may be in any capacity, whether as a player, coach or official. The deadline is **June 19th, 2017** and the award amount is \$500.
- \$ State Employees Association of North Carolina (SEANC) Scholarships— Academic potential, financial need, school and community involvement, character, and motivation are all considered for this scholarship. Applications are available online at http://www.seanc.org/scholarship and must be submitted to the Scholarship Chairperson of the SEANC district by April 16, 2017. The District Scholarship Chairperson's contact information can be found on the same website.
- \$ 2016-2017 NHS Scholarship—Students interested must create an account at https://aim.applyists.net/NHS. If prompted, enter the program key "NHS". Complete the student portion of the application by February 1, 2017. More information is available in the Counseling Center.
- **\$** North Carolina High School Athletic Association Scholarships— There are numerous scholarships available through this association for North Carolina students. Scholarships and more information is available at http://www.nchsaa.org/students-parents/nchsaa-endowed-fund-scholarships
- **\$** Army ROTC Scholarships—Any interested students—please let your counselor know! Benefits include tuition, books, monthly stipend, etc. To find a list of participating schools go to http://www/goarmy.com/rotc/find-schools.html. Your counselor will be glad to set up a meeting with a recruiter to find out more information!
- **\$** The University of Georgia Foundation Fellowship and Ramsey Honors Scholarship—Students must first apply for admission before starting a scholarship application. The online application and more information is available at https://www.admissions.uga.edu/Prospective-Students/Tuition-Fees/Scholarships/Foundation-Fellowship-Part-I.
- **\$** West Teaching Scholarship at Catawba College Academy for Teaching—Interested students may apply online through Catawba's website. The deadline for submitting applications is May 5, 2017.
- **\$** SunTrust Off To College Scholarship Sweepstakes—Two winners randomly chosen every two weeks from October 31st—to May 15th. Students can enter at <a href="http://www.suntrusteducation.com/scholarshipsweepstakes">www.suntrusteducation.com/scholarshipsweepstakes</a>
- **\$** The American Musical and Dramatic Academy—AMDA awards more that \$10 million in scholarships every year. If you are interested, please let your counselor know.

## **Other Scholarship Resources:**

- \$ www.studentscholarships.org
- \$ www.fastweb.com
- \$ www.CFNC.org
- \$ www.cappex.com
- \$ www.scholarships.com