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Dear Friends,

In order to have our area advance, an educated citizenry and a skilled workforce are absolutely necessary. Therefore, one of the primary objectives of the Allegany College of Maryland Foundation is to provide scholarships that will enable the College to attract high-quality students and greatly increase the accessibility of a college education to students from our area. The Foundation is continually working to develop additional scholarships to provide assistance to individuals so that they and our community may reach maximum potential.

If an individual or organization would like to learn more about establishing a scholarship or would like to learn more about the Foundation, please contact the Allegany College of Maryland Foundation Office at 301-784-5200.

Sincerely,

Courtney B. Jensen
Director of Grants and Development
and Executive Director of the ACM Foundation

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SCHOLARSHIP POLICY

IN ITS EFFORT TO ASSIST MORE STUDENTS, the Allegany College of Maryland Foundation will limit the number of Foundation scholarships awarded to a student in an academic year to three or a total value of \$2,500. However, this does not mean that the most a student can receive is \$2,500. See examples below. Federal financial aid such as Pell Grants and Maryland State Scholarships are additional ways to obtain financial assistance and will not be used to limit a student from receiving Foundation awards. Scholastic Excellence Scholarships and Presidential Scholarships, however, will count toward the three scholarship limit.

Examples are as follows:

1. If a student receives one scholarship for \$2,000 and another for \$750, the student's total award is \$2,750. The student, therefore, is ineligible to receive any more scholarships for the academic year as the student reached the dollar limit.
2. If a student receives one scholarship for \$1,000 and one for \$750 and another for \$500, the student's total award is \$2,250. The student is ineligible to receive another scholarship for the academic year as the three scholarship limit has been reached.

Note: Additional exceptions may apply as approved by the ACM Foundation Board of Directors.

Allegany College of Maryland does not discriminate on the basis of federally protected classes of race, color, national origin, religion, sex, age, disability, and veteran/military status in matters affecting employment or in providing access to programs and activities. Allegany College of Maryland recognizes and complies with additional protections for employees and/or pursuant to state law. Additional information is available at <https://www.allegany.edu/non-discrimination>.

For inquiries related to the application of this statement, the Non-Discrimination policy, Title IX, and ADA/504, please contact: Dr. Renee Conner, Dean of Student and Legal Affairs, Title IX Coordinator, ADA/504 Coordinator, 301-784-5206 / rconner@allegany.edu

Discrimination, Title IX, Child Abuse Mandated Reports, Clery Act, Heroin & Opioid, Drug and Alcohol Use, Academic Disabilities, FERPA, Accreditation, Faith-Based/Religious Academic Accommodations, and Medical Disclosure Procedure. For full details on these key policies, please visit the Allegany College of Maryland website at allegany.edu/policy-mandates.



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ALLEGANY COLLEGE OF MARYLAND FOUNDATION, INC.

The Allegany College of Maryland Foundation, Inc., was established June 9, 1982. It is a not-for-profit foundation organized and incorporated under Maryland law.

Its purpose is to receive private gifts, bequests, and donations, and to account for, manage, and help appreciate monies or property submitted to the Foundation. Such donations are tax deductible, to the extent allowable by current law.

Funds for the Foundation are distributed to encourage and promote the growth, progress, and general welfare of Allegany College of Maryland.

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in published documents is inconsistent with those federal directives, the College will comply with and defer to the appropriate federal requirements pending revisions or changed legal mandates.

RELEASE OF INFORMATION REGARDING STUDENTS

(In compliance with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act)

In compliance with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974, Allegany College of Maryland will not disclose any information from the students' educational records without the written consent of students except to personnel within the institution, to accrediting agencies carrying out their accreditation function, to persons in compliance with a judicial order, and to persons in an emergency in order to protect the health or safety of students, other persons, or other lawful exception. At its discretion, the institution may provide directory information to include: student name, address, email address, photo, dates of attendance, credentials earned, honors awarded, and alumni status. Students' rights, the College's obligations, and disclosure standards are detailed in the FERPA policy. View ACM's FERPA policy at <https://www.allegany.edu/policy-mandates/>.

DESIGNATED INSTITUTIONAL CONTACTS

FERPA questions should be directed to the Dean of Enrollment and Educational Services. If he/she is unavailable, the Director of Enrollment and Advising Services should be the contact. In Pennsylvania, the Director of the Bedford County Campus and Student Services is the contact. If necessary, the Dean of Student & Legal Affairs may be consulted for responses to legal questions.



A GUIDE THROUGH THE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION PROCESS

IMPORTANT: PLEASE READ BEFORE APPLYING FOR SCHOLARSHIPS

PLEASE NOTE:

SCHOLARSHIPS OFFERED THROUGH THIS CATALOG WILL BE AWARDED DURING THE 2025-2026 ACADEMIC YEAR BUT WILL BE APPLIED TO TUITION/FEES FOR THE 2026-2027 ACADEMIC YEAR; IN OTHER WORDS, STUDENTS BEGIN APPLYING FOR SCHOLARSHIPS ONE YEAR IN ADVANCE.

HOW CAN I FIND THE INFORMATION I NEED ABOUT A PARTICULAR SCHOLARSHIP?

An alphabetical listing of scholarships and the page numbers of scholarships are provided on page 9.

WHERE CAN I FIND SCHOLARSHIPS BY THE PROGRAM OF INTEREST?

A listing of scholarships by program of interest (curriculum) is provided on pages 6 and 7.

HOW WILL I KNOW IF I AM ELIGIBLE TO APPLY FOR A SCHOLARSHIP?

Each scholarship will have specific requirements listed in the description which must be reviewed by the applicant to determine if he/she is eligible to apply. Therefore, you will need to turn to the page that lists the scholarship description to find this information. For example, some scholarships may require that you live in a particular geographical location; i.e., the tri-state area. Other scholarships may require that you show financial need; i.e., you have applied for federal financial aid through the Financial Aid Office. Still other scholarships may require that you be enrolled in a certain curriculum; i.e., nursing.

PLEASE NOTE: It is the policy of the Foundation that all scholarship applicants and recipients must have a minimum grade point average of 2.0 at the time of application in order to be eligible for any of the Foundation scholarships, although some scholarships may require a higher grade point average. The following letter grades and numerical grades may be used interchangeably in scholarship descriptions:

4.0	=	A
3.0-3.9	=	B
2.0-2.9	=	C

Also, applicants that have been out of high school or college for at least five consecutive years are exempt from the grade point average requirement for scholarship purposes.

WHEN THE RESIDENCY REQUIREMENT STATES THE APPLICANT MUST RESIDE IN THE TRI-STATE AREA OR THE FOUR-STATE AREA, HOW DO YOU DEFINE THESE AREAS?

The Tri-State area includes Maryland, Pennsylvania, and West Virginia.

The Four-State area includes Maryland, Pennsylvania, Virginia, and West Virginia.



HOW IS FULL-TIME COURSE LOAD DEFINED FOR SCHOLARSHIP ELIGIBILITY?

Non-Allied Health program students taking 12 or more credit hours per semester are considered full-time students. Allied Health program students enrolled in the clinical phase taking 8 or more credit hours per semester are considered full-time students.

HOW DO I APPLY FOR SCHOLARSHIPS?

Any student applying for a scholarship must first apply for admission to the College. An admission's application can be obtained by contacting the Admissions Office at 301-784-5199 or you can apply online at www.allegany.edu/admissionsapplication. (There is no application fee.) Once a student has applied for admission to the College, the student must apply for scholarships online by following the instructions provided on the next page.

WHEN SHOULD I APPLY FOR SCHOLARSHIPS?

All of the scholarships listed in this catalog (except Special Scholarships, see page 21) are arranged by application deadline date, with the first deadline being January 31, 2026 (see page A1). Scholarship applications must be submitted by the deadline date.

HOW ARE SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS SELECTED?

Most scholarship recipients are selected by faculty/staff who are members of the Scholarship Committee. In some cases, the donor of the scholarship will assist in the selection.

PLEASE NOTE:

SCHOLARSHIP SELECTION COMMITTEE MEMBERS RESERVE THE RIGHT TO SELECT OR REJECT ANY AND/OR ALL APPLICATIONS RECEIVED FOR A PARTICULAR SCHOLARSHIP.*

HOW MANY SCHOLARSHIPS CAN I ACTUALLY RECEIVE?

It is the policy of the Allegany College of Maryland Foundation to award no more than three (3) Allegany College of Maryland Foundation scholarships or \$2,500, to one individual. This, however, **does not mean** that the most you may ever receive is \$2,500. For a more detailed explanation with examples, please refer to our policy on page ii.

IF I AM AWARDED A SCHOLARSHIP, DO I AUTOMATICALLY RECEIVE THE AWARD FOR THE SECOND SEMESTER?

DO I AUTOMATICALLY RECEIVE THE SAME SCHOLARSHIP THE NEXT YEAR?

No. In order for a scholarship recipient to have an award continued into the second semester (ordinarily initial awards are given during the Fall), the recipient must remain eligible under the particular requirements of the scholarship. For those scholarships which state in their descriptions that continuation into the second year is possible, students must reapply.

* Officers and Directors of the Allegany College of Maryland Foundation Board, full-time faculty and staff of Allegany College of Maryland and their immediate family members are not eligible for Allegany College of Maryland Foundation Scholarships.



WELCOME TO
ALLEGANY COLLEGE of MARYLAND'S

ONLINE AUTOMATED SCHOLARSHIP SYSTEM

Applying for Scholarships is as Easy as 1...2...3!

1. Apply for general admission to Allegany College of Maryland (www.allegany.edu/admissionsapplication) to obtain your Username and Password.
2. Go to www.allegany.edu/scholarships and click on the "Online Scholarship Application" link. Sign in by providing your ACM Username and Password.
3. Complete the simple general scholarship application.

After completing and submitting the general application, you

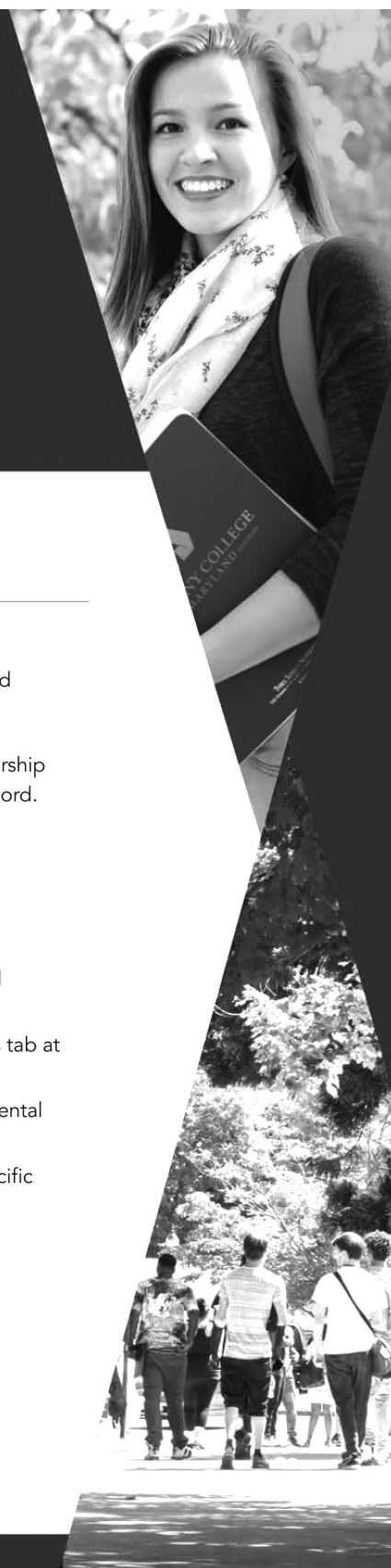
- Will be auto-matched to the scholarships that you meet the criteria for - all scholarships are **not** set to auto-match.
- Should search for additional scholarships by clicking on the **Opportunities** tab at the top of the page.
- Can apply to the other scholarships manually by answering a few supplemental questions for scholarships which you feel you are qualified for.
- Can do a keyword search on all of the scholarships available to review specific qualifications.

For additional information or assistance, please contact:



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SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION CHECKLIST

Have you...

- ☐ Applied for admission to Allegany College of Maryland?
- ☐ Submitted your high school and/or college transcript to the Allegany College of Maryland Admissions Office?
- ☐ Visited the www.allegany.edu/scholarships page to submit the simple and secure general scholarship application?

SUGGESTED BITS OF INFORMATION TO INCLUDE IN YOUR SCHOLARSHIP ESSAY...

✓ **Personal History**

- Name
- Currently a senior at _____ High School
- Cumulative grade point average and types of classes taken
- School activities and extracurricular activities (experiences, levels of achievement, etc.)

✓ **Very Near Future Goals**

- Attend college in the _____ program
- Why do you think this is “right” for you
- What you will gain from college experience (training)

✓ **Distant Future Goals**

- Why are you a good investment
- What contribution will you return to the community

✓ **Close/Wrap-Up**

- Thank scholarship selection committee for their time and consideration





NAMED SCHOLARSHIPS

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ALLIED HEALTH FIELD

AAUW - Garrett Branch Allied Health Book Grant
Dennis and Gretta Afton
Allegany Cardiology Center
Heart Speak Spiker-Walbert Hot Stove League
Darlene Jones Integrative Health Memorial
The Klingler Family
Kim and Marion Leonard for Integrative Health and Authentic Leadership
Drs. Magno P. and Barbara B. Roque
UPMC Western Maryland
The Anne E. and William B. Wallace, Jr. in Memory of Dallas E. Nolan of Cumberland, MD

ARTS AND SCIENCES/ HUMANITIES

Art
Dudley Brown
Dudley Brown Memorial
Rev. George and Catherine Hazen Memorial
Travis L. Klingler Memorial
Gus Knieriem Memorial

AUTOMOTIVE TECHNOLOGY

Roy Durrett
Robert D. Kirk, II Memorial
Queen City Motors
Rhodes Memorial
James "Snake" Robertson CCTE to ACM Workforce
Lawrence L. Wagner Memorial
Jacob Paul David Watters Memorial
Western Maryland Street Rod Association

BIOLOGY

Travis L. Klingler Memorial
Lester R. Martin Memorial and Robert J. Martin, Sr. Memorial by Robert J. Martin, Jr.
The Phase Foundation

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION/ MANAGEMENT/ACCOUNTING

Allegany County Chamber of Commerce Janet Kay (Mathews) Shroud Memorial
Allegany-Garrett Counties Chapter of the Maryland Municipal League
Carroll Boggs Memorial
Chessie Federal Credit Union
First Peoples Community Federal Credit Union
Cynthia and William Harbel, Jr.
Kelly-Springfield Tire Company
Gus Knieriem Memorial
Vincent G. Krug Memorial
Lynn C. Lashley Memorial
M & T Bank
Paul Garrett Shircliff
Janet K. (Mathews) Shroud Memorial

CHEMISTRY

Ivan and Charlotte Hall
Clarence Kean Memorial
Travis L. Klingler Memorial
Lester R. Martin Memorial and Robert J. Martin, Sr. Memorial by Robert J. Martin, Jr.
The Phase Foundation
James and Mildred Stickler Science

COMPUTER SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

Allegany Aggregates
Donald M. and Thelma F. Brown Memorial
First Peoples Community Federal Credit Union
George and Sue Foster Memorial
Helen A. Gilpin Memorial Computer Science and Technology
Kelly-Springfield Tire Company
Math
Roy Rada
Jim Ricker, Jr. Memorial
Drs. Magno P. and Barbara B. Roque

CONTINUING EDUCATION

Housing Authority of the City of Cumberland Employees'
Kim and Marion Leonard for Integrative Health and Authentic Leadership
George and Naomi Murphy
Park Place Church Women's Group Trades Real Estate
Marion and Richard Trevaskis Memorial
Wilson Supply/Veryl Morgan Fund

CRIMINAL JUSTICE

Faith, Hope, & Images Criminal Justice
Hot Stove League
Joseph Kimble for Criminal Justice
William F. Lashbaugh, Jr. Memorial
Vic Reuschlein
James "Snake" Robertson CCTE to ACM Workforce
Walter W. and Dorothy B. Ruthenberg Criminal Justice Memorial
Sheriff Donald Wade and Alda Wade Memorial

CULINARY ARTS

Carroll Boggs Memorial
M&M Bakeshop
James "Snake" Robertson CCTE to ACM Workforce

CURRICULUM NOT SPECIFIED

ACM Ambassador
ACM Retirees Association
ACT 1st Federal Credit Union
Adult Education GED/EDP
Gerald Albright Heating & Air Conditioning Memorial
Drs. Donald and Alice Alexander

Allegany College of Maryland Alumni Association
Allegany College of Maryland Student Government Association
Allegany County Commission for Women
Allegany County High School Student Council
Allegany County Opportunity Merit
Allegany County Opportunity Tuition Subsidy for Credit Students
Allegany High School Class of 1948
Allegany High School Class of 1962
Allegany High School Class of 1965
American Legion Post #13, Robert W. Hartsock
American Legion Post #13, Robert W. Hartsock Memorial
Harold Appel Foundation
James Alfred Avirett Memorial
Dr. Cynthia Bambara
Bedford County
Ted and Miriam Bell
Belt Construction Group
Norma K. Blacke Bourdeau Memorial
David Brotemarkle Memorial
John Edward Brown
Colleen Buckley English Scholar
Centenary United Methodist Church in Memory of Ron and Darlene Hampton
CITC Life Investment
City of Cumberland
William V. Collins Memorial
Thelma Frances Crist Memorial
Cumberland Lions Club Memorial
Cumberland Valley Optimist Dedicated to Ronald Deter
Cumberland Valley Optimist Dedicated to John Kimble
Elijah E. Cummings
Foy Adams Curry Family Memorial
Dubins Entrepreneurial Fund
Thomas B. Finan, Jr.
Fort Cumberland Lodge #211 and Ohr Lodge #131
Bernice and Arthur Friedland
Helen A. Gilpin Memorial
Helen A. Gilpin Memorial Frankfort High School
Helen A. Gilpin Memorial Vietnam Veterans
L. Michael Glick, M.D. Memorial
Goldsmith Family Foundation
Dr. W. Ardell and Wilma G. Haines
Iris Halmos Community Investment
Iris and Peter Halmos Foundation
Nicole Halmos
Has-Beens, Inc.
Dr. Noreen Hayes Memorial
Hazen/Algonquin
Heltzel Family
The Hiester
Kate Dailey Hill Memorial
Charles J. Himmler Veterans
Thomas R. and Elizabeth Hinds Memorial

Housing Authority of the City of Cumberland Employees'
Iron Furnace SK Run
Clayton C. Oster Memorial/Kelco Credit Union
Bob Kirk Memorial
Susan L. Kirk Memorial
Robert W. Knisley Memorial
Charles E. Kolb & Doris H. Kolb
R. H. Lapp Mechanical Contractors
LaVale Lions Club
Alice S. and Richard R. Leonard Memorial
Robert K. Lewis Memorial
Lowndes Family Memorial
Genevieve Magruder Memorial
David G. Martin, II Memorial
John and Pollyanna McVicker
James E. Mellon
Mount Savage Freemasons, Kemp Lodge #154
Mountainside Marines Detachment 1071
George and Naomi Murphy
PASSA Student Assistance
Pathways for Success
Robert E. Pence Memorial Christian
Phi Theta Kappa
PNC Bank
The Powell Family
Ione and Dick Putnam
Quarry Ridge
Dan Reese Memorial Baseball
Rolyan
Joseph P. Rowley Memorial
Ronald Allen Ruthenberg Veterans Memorial
Richard H. Sauer
Leonard and Jane Schwab Scottish Rite Foundation
Tadd and Sandy Schwab
Allan A. and Veni Castle Scott
Sara and Ernie Spriggs Christian
St. Thomas' Circle
Marion and Richard Trevaskis Memorial
Trust Bank
Vietnam Veterans of America, Chapter 172
Rick Walbert Memorial
Lillian Taylor Walker Memorial
Alan J. Walters Memorial
WEPCO Federal Credit Union Rick L. Twigg Memorial
West Virginia Regional Access
Western Maryland Building and Construction Trades Council-
Robert E. Engelbach, Jr. Memorial
Western Maryland Jaycees
Wilcox-Kegg Memorial
William L. Wilson, Jr. and Elizabeth Gracie Memorial

DENTAL HYGIENE

Allegany-Garrett County Dental Society
Kathleen Oursler Bailey
Dalton and Marjorie Blough Memorial
Francis N. Brown, D.D.S.



Dental
Dental Hygiene Merit-Based
William T. Fridinger, D.D.S.
Helen A. Gilpin Memorial Dental Hygiene
Jeffrey W. Harbel Memorial
Hot Stove League
Joe Paul Dental Hygiene Equipment
Joan Snyder Ralston
Dorothy and David Roberson Dental
Hygiene Memorial
Drs. Magno P. and Barbara B. Roque
Sigma Phi Alpha
Woman's Civic Club of Cumberland

ENGINEERING

Allegany Aggregates
Douglas-Wilson
Kelly-Springfield Tire Company
Math
The Phase Foundation
James "Snake" Robertson CTE to ACM
Workforce

FORESTRY

Allegany Soil Conservation District
Martin Gordon Memorial
Bartlett Tree Foundation
Bedford County Garden Club
Pat Charles Brown Memorial
Dr. William Cones Memorial
Davey Foundation Arbor Grant
Cary Deffenbaugh Forestry Alumni
Association
Douglas-Wilson
Owen M. and Alicia K. Duffy Memorial
Forestry
Jamie Lee Hall Memorial
Rex Harper Memorial Forestry
L. Gene and Pamela (Dittman) Hoskins
Forestry
Charles B. Lewis Memorial Tree Farm
John Mash Memorial Forestry
Roger Pyle Forestry
Steve Resh 120/122 Forestry
Jack and Dorothy Smouse Forestry
Solomon Family
Dr. Glenn O. Workman, Jr.
John F. Zipfel

GENERAL STUDIES

Allegany Aggregates
Allegany-Garrett Counties Chapter of the
Maryland Municipal League
Donald M. and Thelma F. Brown Memorial
First Peoples Community Federal Credit
Union
George and Sue Foster Memorial
Cynthia and William Harbel, Jr.
J. Goodloe and Esther B. Jackson
Memorial
WCBC's Jim Robey Achievement

HISTORY

Dudley Brown Memorial
George and Sue Foster Memorial
Nashelle S. Jones Memorial

HOSPITALITY MANAGEMENT

Carroll Boggs Memorial
M&M Bakeshop

HUMAN SERVICE

Rachel Coulehan Gehauf Memorial for
Social Work
Mary and Paul Gipe Memorial
Heart Speak Spiker-Walbert
Hot Stove League
Human Service Alumni
Darlene Jones Integrative Health Memorial
Nashelle S. Jones Memorial
Drs. Magno P. and Barbara B. Roque
Anne E. and William B. Wallace, Jr.

INTEGRATIVE HEALTH

Heart Speak Spiker-Walbert
Hot Stove League
Darlene Jones Integrative Health Memorial
Kim and Marion Leonard for Integrative
Health and Authentic Leadership
Drs. Magno P. and Barbara B. Roque

LEGAL STUDIES

Jean B. Burke Memorial
Charles S. Catherman Memorial Office
Technologies
Mildred I. Fretwell Memorial
Eleanor Rice Paralegal
Tracie Jean Werner Memorial
Margaret H. Zembower

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Dottie Thomas Library

MASSAGE THERAPY

Hot Stove League
The Klingler Family
Hilda M. R. Peterson Memorial and
Instructional Equipment
Drs. Magno P. and Barbara B. Roque

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Charles S. Catherman Memorial Office
Technologies
Mildred I. Fretwell Memorial
Medical Assistant
Tracie Jean Werner Memorial
WMHS Foundation Healthcare
Margaret H. Zembower

MEDICAL ASSISTANT

Jean B. Burke Memorial
Charles S. Catherman Memorial Office
Technologies
Drs. Thomas Chappell and Gwyn Harrison
Health Care
Owen M. and Alicia K. Duffy Memorial
Mildred I. Fretwell Memorial
Hot Stove League
Medical Assistant
Drs. Magno P. and Barbara B. Roque
Tracie Jean Werner Memorial
WMHS Foundation Healthcare
Margaret H. Zembower

MEDICAL LABORATORY TECHNOLOGY

Jeffrey W. Harbel Memorial
Hot Stove League
The Potomac Highlands Pathology
Dr. Giovanni Mastrangelo Memorial

Drs. Magno P. and Barbara B. Roque
WMHS Foundation Healthcare

MULTIMEDIA TECHNOLOGY

Judy DeHart Davis Communication
Arts Technology
J. Suter Kegg
WCBC's Jim Robey Achievement
James "Snake" Robertson CTE to ACM
Workforce

MUSIC RELATED

Allegany Acappella Harmony / Chorus of
the Potomac, Allegany County Chapter,
Barbershop Harmony Society
Sandra D. Grandstaff Memorial
Joan Snyder Ralston

NURSING

AAUW-Garrett Branch Allied Health Book
Grant
ACM Student Nurses' Association
American Legion Post #13, Thomas B.
Finan Memorial
Rhoda Barton Memorial Nursing
Dalton and Marjorie Blough Memorial
Lion John Burkey Finish Strong
Ina F. McCloud Canada Memorial
Drs. Thomas Chappell and Gwyn Harrison
Health Care
Evelyn Cooper-Hott Memorial
Patricia Corley Memorial
CPB & RFB Children's Trust
Derrick Memorial Nursing
Ruth Deniker Donald Memorial Nursing
DuRocher-Woodworth for Nursing
E.MAP 1889 Foundation Nursing
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School Vocational
Jack H. Smouse Northern High School
Jack H. Smouse Nursing
Jack H. Smouse Southern High School
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Jeffrey W. Harbel Memorial
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JANUARY 31, 2026 APPLICATION DEADLINE

AAUW—GARRETT BRANCH ALLIED HEALTH BOOK SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 for the Spring semester

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Resident of Garrett County
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing or Allied Health curriculum
- Must be pursuing an A.A. degree
- Applicant must be a student transferring into the ACM nursing program or an Allied Health Program from Garrett College – GER Program.
- Priority will be given to applicants who may be interested in AAUW membership and/or understand the core values and priorities of AAUW.
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application

ACT 1st FEDERAL CREDIT UNION PAUL L. FOOTEN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany, Garrett, or Washington County, MD; Bedford or Somerset County, PA; or Hampshire or Mineral County, WV
- Have at least a 3.2 GPA, which must be maintained at the end of the first semester in order to continue into second semester
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application

ALEXANDER—DRS. DONALD AND ALICE ALEXANDER SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.75 GPA
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



ALLEGANY COUNTY COMMISSION FOR WOMEN SCHOLARSHIP

\$250 for the Fall semester

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Must be a non-traditional female student, 25 or older, with children
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

BROTEMARKLE—DAVID BROTEMARKLE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$2,000 per year (\$1,000 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

BROWN—JOHN EDWARD BROWN SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

CITY OF CUMBERLAND SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- First preference will be given to residents of the City of Cumberland; second preference will be given to residents of Allegany County
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



JANUARY 31, 2026 APPLICATION DEADLINE

CRIST—THELMA FRANCES CRIST MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,250 per year (\$625 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

CUMBERLAND VALLEY OPTIMIST DEDICATED TO RONALD DETER SCHOLARSHIP

\$600 per year (\$300 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County, MD, or Mineral County, WV
- Have at least a 2.5 GPA
- Must be age 20 or under, as of August 15th, to be eligible
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application

CUMBERLAND VALLEY OPTIMIST DEDICATED TO JOHN KIMBLE SCHOLARSHIP

\$600 per year (\$300 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County, MD, or Mineral County, WV
- Have at least a 2.5 GPA
- Must be age 20 or under, as of August 15th, to be eligible
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application

CURRY—FOY ADAMS CURRY FAMILY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



FRIEDLAND—BERNICE AND ARTHUR FRIEDLAND SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

GILPIN—HELEN A. GILPIN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

GLICK—L. MICHAEL GLICK, M.D. MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Four-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

HAINES—DR. W. ARDELL AND WILMA G. HAINES SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



JANUARY 31, 2026 APPLICATION DEADLINE

HALL—IVAN AND CHARLOTTE HALL SCHOLARSHIP

\$600 for the Spring 2026 semester

Requirements:

- Full-time student who has completed the Chemistry 101 class
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Must have an overall cumulative GPA of 2.0 but have a 3.0 for the Chemistry 101 class
- Must be enrolled in Chemistry 102 for Spring

HALMOS—IRIS HALMOS COMMUNITY INVESTMENT SCHOLARSHIP

\$600 per year (\$300 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

HALMOS—NICOLE HALMOS SCHOLARSHIP

\$600 per year (\$300 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

HAS-BEENS, INC. SCHOLARSHIP

\$400 per year (\$200 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Must be registered for at least six credit hours
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



HELTZEL FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

HIESTER—THE HIESTER SCHOLARSHIP

Awards vary

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student (minimum of six credit hours per semester)
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Have a pattern or track record of working during vacations— Christmas and spring breaks or summer (reference must be made on application)
- Student must not smoke or have a record of drug abuse
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

KIRK—BOB KIRK MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 2.75 GPA
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

KNISLEY—ROBERT W. KNISLEY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$550 per year (\$275 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



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KOLB—CHARLES E. KOLB AND DORIS H. KOLB SCHOLARSHIP

\$400 per year (\$200 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

LAVALE LIONS CLUB SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,250 per year (\$625 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student (at least twelve credit hours) entering sophomore year
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application

LOWNDES FAMILY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

MAGRUDER—GENEVIEVE MAGRUDER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



MARTIN—LESTER R. MARTIN MEMORIAL AND ROBERT J. MARTIN, SR. MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP BY ROBERT J. MARTIN, JR.

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Biology, Chemistry, Nursing, or Physics curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

MCVICKER—JOHN AND POLLYANNA MCVICKER SCHOLARSHIP

\$2,500 per year (\$1,250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Preference given to applicants who are jointly admitted to ACM and FSU or who intend to transfer to FSU
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

MURPHY—GEORGE AND NAOMI MURPHY SCHOLARSHIP

\$2,000 per year (\$1,000 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Available for credit and continuing education students
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



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POWELL—THE POWELL FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP

\$4,000 per year (\$2,000 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- High priority is the likely impact on the individual applicant and potential impact on the Cumberland area
- Health care is a priority, but there are many other career areas with equal importance
- Applicant's essay should focus on career direction and choice, the life the applicant wishes to create, and the applicant's financial need
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

PUTNAM—IONE AND DICK PUTNAM SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

SAUER—RICHARD H. SAUER SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Must be a non-traditional student
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



**SCHWAB—LEONARD AND JANE SCHWAB SCOTTISH RITE FOUNDATION
SCHOLARSHIP**

\$500 for the Fall semester

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Applicant must be related to a member of the Scottish Rite who is in good standing (relationship with the member of the Scottish Rite must be discussed)
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

SCHWAB—TADD AND SANDY SCHWAB SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Applicant must state their goal in life and describe their dream job and why this job was selected
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

SPRIGGS—SARA AND ERNIE SPRIGGS CHRISTIAN SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be a “born-again Christian” and a faithful attendee of Cornerstone or Calvary Baptist Church and give clear testimony of a relationship with Jesus Christ (must state on application)
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

ST. THOMAS’ CIRCLE SCHOLARSHIP

\$400 per year (\$200 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Must not have a college degree
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application



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SWOGGER—MAUREEN K. SWOGGER NURSES CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP SCHOLARSHIP

\$250 for the Spring semester

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.5 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing curriculum
- Participate in Nurses Christian Fellowship activities and service projects
- Display both a compassionate attitude and a servant's heart in interaction with patients, peers, faculty, and staff

NO APPLICATION

WALKER—LILLIAN TAYLOR WALKER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$350 per year (\$175 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

WEPCO FEDERAL CREDIT UNION RICK L. TWIGG MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Preference given to a student with a disability
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

WILCOX-KEGG MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Approximately \$750 per year for Leadership II travel surcharge

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Four-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Must be enrolled in Leadership II



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ACM RETIREES ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP

\$750 per year (\$375 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 3.5 GPA
- Must be enrolled in an Associate Degree program
- Must have successfully completed one semester at ACM
- Must provide ACM transcript
- Must state long-term educational and career goals
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application

ALBRIGHT—GERALD ALBRIGHT HEATING AND AIR CONDITIONING MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$400 per year (\$200 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County, MD
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

ALLEGANY COLLEGE OF MARYLAND ALUMNI ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP

\$750 per year (\$375 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Four-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Selection of recipient will be based upon academic record and service to the school and community
- Must be an Alumni member, their parents, children, grandchildren, brothers, and sisters (state relationship to Alumni member—example: self, parent, sibling, etc.)
- Scholarship may be used at any Allegany College of Maryland campus
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



ALLEGANY COUNTY OPPORTUNITY TUITION SUBSIDY FOR CREDIT STUDENTS SCHOLARSHIP

Up to 50% of the in-county tuition rate per credit hour

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County for at least three years
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Must complete a FAFSA
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

ALLEGANY HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 1948 SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Must be a graduate of Allegany High School
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

ALLEGANY HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 1962 SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student (minimum of 7 credit hours per semester)
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Must be a graduate of Allegany High School
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



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ALLEGANY HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 1965 SCHOLARSHIP

\$6,000 per year (\$3,000 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- First preference given to an Allegany High School graduate; second preference given to a Cumberland area high school graduate; third preference given to an Allegany County resident
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

AMERICAN LEGION POST #13, ROBERT W. HARTSOCK SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,100 per year (\$550 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Bean's Cove, Flintstone, or Little Orleans area
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be an American citizen not opposed to our form of government
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

AMERICAN LEGION POST #13, ROBERT W. HARTSOCK MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,100 per year (\$550 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Preference given to a direct descendant of a past or present Post 13 member or a descendant of a Veteran (must state on application)
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

BEDFORD COUNTY SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Bedford County, PA
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA



CENTENARY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH SCHOLARSHIP IN MEMORY OF RON AND DARLENE HAMPTON

\$1,500 per year (\$750 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Preference will be given to an applicant who is a Veteran or an applicant who has a family member who has served in the military
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application

COLLINS—WILLIAM V. COLLINS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 2.5 GPA
- Must have a course load of at least 13 credit hours and be working toward an A.A. degree
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

CUMBERLAND LIONS CLUB MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of the City of Cumberland
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Must be a recent high school graduate from any Allegany County high school or may be a Veteran
- Be of good moral character
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



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FINAN—THOMAS B. FINAN, JR. SCHOLARSHIP

\$800 per year (\$400 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

FIRST PEOPLES COMMUNITY FEDERAL CREDIT UNION SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in Accounting, Business Administration, Computer Information Systems, Economics, or General Studies to prepare for pursuing a course of study at a four-year institution in Accounting, Business, Communications, Computer Technology, Economics, Finance, or Marketing
- Preference given to a student who has demonstrated community involvement and shows a creative, forward-looking interest that will lead to the betterment (enhancement) of the individual and, ultimately, the community
- Be of good moral character - cannot have been suspended from high school for any substance abuse, nor been convicted of substance abuse, nor have a criminal record
- Have a pattern or track record of working - Christmas and spring breaks or summer (reference must be made of this on application)
- Be a member in good standing of First Peoples Community Federal Credit Union (if you or members of your immediate family are members, state on application)
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

GILCHRIST—WILLIAM AND JEANETTE GILCHRIST MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in a program leading to a Bachelor's Degree
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



GILPIN—HELEN A. GILPIN MEMORIAL FRANKFORT HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be a graduate of Frankfort High School
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

GILPIN—HELEN A. GILPIN MEMORIAL VIETNAM VETERANS SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Four-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be a Vietnam-era Veteran (January 1, 1959, to May 7, 1975), the spouse, child (including adopted or stepchild), grandchild, or descendant of such a Veteran
- Be a high school graduate or have a GED
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

HALMOS—IRIS AND PETER HALMOS FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

HAYES—DR. NOREEN HAYES MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Exhibit moral character and leadership skills



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HAZEN—REV. GEORGE AND CATHERINE HAZEN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have a least a 3.25 GPA
- Preference will be given to students pursuing a career in cultural studies, but not limited to language, literature, art, music, or teacher education
- Plan to transfer to a four-year institution
- Must be currently enrolled at Allegany College of Maryland and plan to return for the Fall semester

HIMMLER—CHARLES J. HIMMLER VETERANS SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Must be a Veteran of the United States Armed Services
- Be enrolled in any program but must be program-placed
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

HOT STOVE LEAGUE SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Preference will be given to applicants who have played in the Hot Stove League, but others are encouraged to apply with emphasis in the health and law fields
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



IRON FURNACE 5K RUN SCHOLARSHIP

\$350 per year (\$175 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Must have a Lonaconing, Midland, or Barton address
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application

JACKSON—J. GOODLOE AND ESTHER B. JACKSON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 3.25 GPA
- Be enrolled in the General Studies curriculum with the intent to transfer to a four-year institution
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

KELCO—CLAYTON C. OSTER MEMORIAL/KELCO CREDIT UNION SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 2.5 GPA
- Must be a Kelco member or a spouse, child, father, or mother of a member (if you or members of your immediate family are members, state on application)
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

KIRK—ROBERT D. KIRK, II MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Four-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Selection will be based on career choice (consideration will be given to applicants with a special interest in automotive and/or outdoor activities)
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



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LAPP—R.H. LAPP MECHANICAL CONTRACTORS SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

MOUNTAINSIDE MARINES DETACHMENT 1071 SCHOLARSHIP

\$400 per year (\$200 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany or Garrett County, MD; Bedford County, PA; or Hampshire or Mineral County, WV
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Applicant must be a child, stepchild, or grandchild of an active Marine, fallen Marine, retired Marine, or member of the Marine Corps League 1071 or its Auxiliary
- Must submit DD-214 with application
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

PENCE—ROBERT E. PENCE MEMORIAL CHRISTIAN SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Four-State area
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be a “born-again Christian” and state your “born-again” experience
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



PHYSICAL THERAPIST ASSISTANT SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 for Spring and \$250 for Summer)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.5 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Physical Therapist Assistant program
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application

PROGRESSIVE PHYSICAL THERAPY (PTA) AND REHABILITATION CENTER

\$1,000 for the Spring 2026 semester

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Physical Therapist Assistant curriculum
- Essay should be well-written with correct grammar, format, and punctuation
- State motivation for entering the PTA program

ROWLEY—JOSEPH P. ROWLEY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$300 per year (\$150 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Must be a Veteran of the United States Armed Services
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



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RUTHENBERG—RONALD ALLEN RUTHENBERG VETERANS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.5 GPA
- Applicant must have served in the U.S. Armed Services (any branch) and/or the U.S. National Guard and received an honorable discharge
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

VIETNAM VETERANS OF AMERICA, CHAPTER 172 SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester) - Full-time student

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester) - Part-time student

Requirements:

- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany or Garrett County, MD; Mineral or Hampshire County, WV; or Bedford or Somerset County, PA
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be a Vietnam-era Veteran (January 1, 1959, to May 7, 1975), the spouse, child (including adopted or stepchild), grandchild, or descendant of such a Veteran
- Must submit DD-214 with application
- Be a high school graduate or have a GED
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

WEBSTER—RALPH R. WEBSTER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$350 per year (\$175 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Resident of Four-State area
- Have at least a 3.25 GPA
- Be enrolled in a curriculum for transfer to a senior institution for continuation of preparation for a professional career
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



WESTERN MARYLAND BUILDING AND CONSTRUCTION TRADES COUNCIL, ROBERT E. ENGELBACH, JR. MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$200 for the Fall semester

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Four-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Must be a member or the spouse or dependent of a member of the Western Maryland Building and Construction Trades Council
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application (must have applied for federal financial aid)
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

WILSON—WILLIAM L. WILSON, JR. AND ELIZABETH GRACIE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Four-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Applicants should address how they plan to give back to the community with their education
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

WORKMAN—DR. GLENN O. WORKMAN, JR. SCHOLARSHIP

\$800 per year (\$400 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Forest Technology curriculum
- Awarded to a student entering the second year of the Forestry program



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ACM STUDENT NURSES' ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP

\$250 per semester

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing or Pre-Nursing curriculum
- Be a current member of the ACM Student Nurses' Association
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

***Fall applications due
August 15***

***Spring applications due
March 31***

ALEXANDER—MATTHEW AND ANTOINETTE ALEXANDER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$600 per year (\$300 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.75 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Education curriculum with the intent to transfer to Frostburg State University
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

ALLEGANY AGGREGATES SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Engineering (with special interest in the Geology field), Mathematics, Computer Science, or University Studies curriculum
- Children and spouses of employees of Allegany Aggregates or Allegany Concrete who are attending ACM will be given first consideration.
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



**ALLEGANY COUNTY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE JANET KAY (MATHEWS) SHROUT
MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

\$300 per year (\$150 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in a Business-related curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application

ALLEGANY COUNTY OPPORTUNITY MERIT SCHOLARSHIP

Minimum of \$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County for at least three years
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

ALLEGANY COUNTY TEACHER OF THE YEAR SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Teacher Education curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application

**ALLEGANY-GARRETT COUNTIES CHAPTER OF THE MARYLAND MUNICIPAL LEAGUE
SCHOLARSHIP**

\$550 per year (\$275 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Cumberland, Frostburg, Lonaconing, Midland, Westernport, Barton, or Luke
- Have at least a 2.5 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Business, Education, or General Studies curriculum
- Be an incoming freshman
- Applicant must state appreciation for receiving a scholarship, reason for continuing education, and also interest in municipalities in Allegany County, and involvement in local government
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application



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BOGGS—CARROLL BOGGS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Hospitality Management, Culinary Arts, Business Administration, or Business Management curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

BOLT—MAY B. BOLT MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$800 per year (\$400 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 2.5 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Teacher Education curriculum (although other curricula could be considered)
- Must be a current high school senior in any Allegany County high school
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

BROWN—DONALD M. AND THELMA F. BROWN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 3.2 GPA
- Be enrolled in the General Studies curriculum, majoring in Science, Mathematics, or Computer Science
- Provide a brief (maximum of two pages) written statement including biographical information and a statement of career goals and aspirations
- State financial need and employment status in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



BROWN—DUDLEY BROWN SCHOLARSHIP

\$250 for the Fall semester

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Arts, English, and/or Teacher Education curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application

BROWN—DUDLEY BROWN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Literature (first preference) or History (second preference) curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

CHESSIE FEDERAL CREDIT UNION SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in a Business curriculum
- Be a member of Chessie Federal Credit Union (state on application)
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Academic success will be given consideration



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DOUGLAS-WILSON SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Engineering (1st priority), Mathematics (2nd priority), or Forest Technology (3rd priority) curriculum
- Applicant should address the reason for choosing anticipated profession and how the applicant would like to use this profession to improve life for themselves and others
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

FAITH, HOPE, & IMAGES CRIMINAL JUSTICE SCHOLARSHIP

\$250 for the Fall semester

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Criminal Justice curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

FLAKE—ELIZABETH FLAKE SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Elementary Education curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



FOSTER—GEORGE AND SUE FOSTER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County, MD, or Mineral County, WV
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the General Studies, Teacher Education, History, or Computer Science curriculum
- Must be committed to the pursuit of a four-year degree
- Must demonstrate involvement in working with youth development programs (coaching, teaching, helping others)
- Must have completed 28 credit hours
- Must attend the Cumberland campus
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

GATES—JANE GATES SCHOLARSHIP

\$5,000 per year (\$2,500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 2.5 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Teacher Education curriculum
- Discuss leadership qualities and community service
- Special consideration will be given to students who are overcoming economic and access hardships to pursue higher education. (State on application)
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

GILPIN—HELEN A. GILPIN MEMORIAL COMPUTER SCIENCE/TECHNOLOGY SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Computer Science or Computer Technology curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



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GRANDSTAFF—SANDRA D. GRANDSTAFF MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$350 for the Fall semester

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of George's Creek Elementary School District
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be interested in Music Education and/or enrolled in the Teacher Education curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application

HALL—IVAN AND CHARLOTTE HALL SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,600 per year (\$800 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 3.25 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Teacher Education curriculum
- Must transfer to a four-year institution and pursue a course of study for preparation to teach in the public schools
- Available to a second-year student who will carry a course load of at least 12 credit hours and has carried 12 credit hours in each of the two previous semesters

HARBEL—CYNTHIA AND WILLIAM HARBEL, JR. SCHOLARSHIP

\$600 per year (\$300 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Four-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Business, General Studies, Occupational Therapy Assistant, or Physical Therapist Assistant curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



KELLY-SPRINGFIELD TIRE COMPANY SCHOLARSHIP

\$2,000 per year (\$1,000 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Four-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in a Science, Engineering, Math/Finance, IT, Business Administration, or Human Resources curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

KIMBLE—JOSEPH KIMBLE SCHOLARSHIP FOR CRIMINAL JUSTICE

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Criminal Justice curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

KLINGLER—TRAVIS L. KLINGLER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Arts and Sciences, Biology, Chemistry, Physics, or Teacher Education curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



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KNIERIEM—GUS KNIERIEM MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$200 per year (\$100 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Four-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in a Liberal Arts, Business, Teacher Education, or Science curriculum
- Show a creative, forward-looking interest in entrepreneurial pursuits in business, education, or a scientific research that will lead to the betterment (enhancement) of the individual and ultimately to all humankind; an individual willing to take the risks necessary to create change and promote growth
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

KRUG—VINCENT G. KRUG MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Business Management, Business Administration, Accounting, or Economics curriculum
- Must have completed 28 or more total credit hours (at any college or university) at the time the scholarship begins
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application

LASHBAUGH—WILLIAM F. LASHBAUGH, JR. MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Criminal Justice curriculum
- No prior criminal record or drug abuse
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



LASHLEY—LYNN C. LASHLEY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$800 per year (\$400 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Four-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in a Business curriculum
- Plan to pursue a career in banking (please state this on application)
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

LOGSDON—ALMA G. LOGSDON SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,500 per year (\$750 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Four-State area
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Preference will be given to students enrolled in the Teacher Education curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

M & T BANK SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany or Garrett County, MD; Bedford or Somerset County, PA; or Mineral, Hampshire, Grant, or Preston County, WV
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in a Business curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application

MATH SCHOLARSHIP

\$300 per year (\$150 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Mathematics, Engineering, or Computer Science curriculum
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



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MAXEY—WALTER J. AND GRACE H. MAXEY SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Graduate of an Allegany County high school
- Have at least a 3.5 GPA
- Be enrolled in a Mathematics or Science curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

MELLON—JAMES E. MELLON SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of West Virginia
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Preference given to a student with a GED or a Veteran
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

PASSA STUDENT ASSISTANCE SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Preference given to non-traditional (25+) students, first-generation students, and/or students with a documented disability
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



PFEIFFER—WILLIAM AND CARRIE PFEIFFER/K. ESTELLA MITCHELL MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$400 for the Fall semester

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Teacher Education curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

THE PHASE FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP

\$800 per year (\$400 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Engineering, Mathematics, Physics, Biology, Chemistry, or Nanotechnology curriculum
- Must not have a criminal record
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application

RADA—ROY RADA SCHOLARSHIP

\$400 per year (\$200 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Computer Science, Nanotechnology, Nursing, or Teacher Education curriculum
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

REUSCHLEIN—VIC REUSCHLEIN SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Four-State area
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Criminal Justice curriculum
- Must have regular church attendance (state on application)
- No prior criminal record or drug abuse
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



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RICKER—JIM RICKER, JR. MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Computer Technology curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

RUTHENBERG—WALTER W. AND DOROTHY B. RUTHENBERG CRIMINAL JUSTICE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Criminal Justice curriculum
- No prior criminal record or drug abuse
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

SHIRCLIFF—PAUL GARRETT SHIRCLIFF SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany or Garrett County, MD, or Somerset County, PA
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Business Administration, Business Management, or any Business curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



SHROUT—JANET K. (MATHEWS) SHROUT MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$400 per year (\$200 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Business Administration curriculum or a business-related field
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

SIGMA PHI ALPHA SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 for the Spring 2026 semester

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the clinical phase of the Dental Hygiene curriculum
- Must be a sophomore student entering the second semester
- Must demonstrate service to profession and community, exhibit leadership, and be of good moral character
- **Separate application available in the Allegany College of Maryland Foundation Office**

***Applications due
March 15***

STICKLER—JAMES AND MILDRED STICKLER SCIENCE SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Chemistry or Science curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application

THOMAS—DOTTIE THOMAS LIBRARY SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Four-State area
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Preference will be given to students enrolled in a library-related curriculum, although Elementary Education will be considered
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



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TRUIST BANK SCHOLARSHIP

\$800 per year (\$400 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Four-State area
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

WADE—SHERIFF DONALD WADE AND ALDA WADE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Criminal Justice curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

WAGNER—LAWRENCE L. WAGNER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,200 per year (\$600 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Automotive Technology (A.A.S. degree) curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application

ZEMBOWER—DROZE G. AND MARGARET HOTT ZEMBOWER SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Teacher Education curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



PRESIDENTIAL SCHOLARSHIPS

ALLEGANY COLLEGE OF MARYLAND PRESIDENTIAL SCHOLARSHIPS FOR OUT-OF-COUNTY AND OUT-OF-STATE STUDENTS

The Foundation will provide one \$1,000 Presidential Scholarship (\$500 each semester) to one graduate from each of the schools listed below. This award is available only to high school seniors planning to enroll full-time at Allegany College of Maryland. Student must have a GPA of at least 3.0 at the end of first semester at Allegany College of Maryland in order to continue the award for the second semester.

Altoona Area High School	North Star High School
Bedford County Technical Center	Northern Bedford County High School
Bedford High School	Northern Garrett High School
Berlin Brothersvalley High School	Paw Paw High School
Boyd J. Michael, III Technical High School	Rockwood Area High School
Central High School, Pennsylvania	Salisbury-Elk Lick High School
Chestnut Ridge High School	Shade-Central City High School
Claysburg-Kimmel High School	Shanksville-Stonycreek High School
Everett Area High School	Somerset Area High School
Forbes Road High School	Somerset County Technology Center
Frankfort High School	Southern Fulton High School
Hancock High School	Southern Garrett High School
Keyser High School	Turkeyfoot Valley High School
McConnellsburg High School	Tussey Mountain High School
Meyersdale Area High School	Windber Area High School
Mineral County Technical Center	

Application:

Contact your high school guidance counselor for information about this scholarship no later than March 1st. The guidance counselor must make written recommendation and forward Presidential Scholarship Recommendation Form to the Allegany College of Maryland Foundation before March 31st.



HIGH SCHOOL RECOMMENDATION SCHOLARSHIPS

Please note: Each of the following scholarships has its own application procedures as highlighted below, and recipients of these awards are selected by high school personnel.

ALLEGANY COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT COUNCIL SCHOLARSHIP

\$200 per year (\$100 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Must be enrolled in an Allegany County high school or the Center for Career and Technical Education
- Must have participated in high school Student Council for at least one year
- **Separate application from Allegany College of Maryland will be sent to high school student council advisor for nomination**
- One-time award which is offered only for the first year at Allegany College of Maryland

PNC BANK SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Must be a Mountain Ridge High School senior planning to enroll full-time at Allegany College of Maryland
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- **Separate application made through Mountain Ridge High School guidance counselor**



APRIL 30, 2026 APPLICATION DEADLINE

AFTON—DENNIS AND GRETTA AFTON SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Pennsylvania
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in an Allied Health curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

ALLEGANY ACAPPELLA HARMONY / CHORUS OF THE POTOMAC, ALLEGANY COUNTY CHAPTER, BARBERSHOP HARMONY SOCIETY SCHOLARSHIP

\$250 for the Fall semester

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area living within a 30-mile radius
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- First preference given to a student with a career goal related to vocal music; second preference, a musical career; third preference, theatre-related
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

ALLEGANY COLLEGE OF MARYLAND CUMBERLAND CAMPUS STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP

\$600 per year (\$300 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.5 GPA
- Must have served or be currently serving as a Student Government Association member at Allegany College of Maryland, Cumberland campus, whose time spent contributed significantly to student life at Allegany College of Maryland



ALLEGANY-GARRETT COUNTY DENTAL SOCIETY SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany or Garrett County, MD
- Have at least a 2.5 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Dental Hygiene curriculum
- Selection based on criteria and good moral character as presented in essay
- State financial need (essay must contain brief biography and statement of financial need)
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

APPEL—HAROLD APPEL FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP

Awards and amounts vary

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

AVIRETT—JAMES ALFRED AVIRETT MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Priority given to a graduating senior from Allegany High School, Bishop Walsh High School, or Fort Hill High School

BAILEY—KATHLEEN OURSLER BAILEY SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Maryland
- Have at least a 3.25 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Dental Hygiene curriculum
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



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BAMBARA—DR. CYNTHIA BAMBARA SCHOLARSHIP

\$2,000 per year (\$1,000 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in any program, but must be program placed
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application

BELL—TED AND MIRIAM BELL SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 2.5 GPA
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

BELT CONSTRUCTION GROUP SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Priority given to a Belt Group of Companies (Carl Belt, Inc., Belt Paving, Inc., Hite Roofing, Harbel, Inc. and Quarry Ridge Corporation) current or former employee, or child, grandchild, stepchild, step-grandchild, or bona fide dependent child or grandchild of current or former Belt Group employee
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

BOURDEAU—NORMA K. BLACKE BOURDEAU MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$700 per year (\$350 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 2.5 GPA
- Special consideration will be given to students who are overcoming economic and access hardships to pursue higher education (state on application)
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



BROWN—FRANCIS N. BROWN, D.D.S. SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Frederick County, MD
- Have at least a 2.75 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Dental Hygiene curriculum
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

BUCKLEY—COLLEEN BUCKLEY ENGLISH SCHOLAR SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Must have taken a college-level English class
- Must address work ethic and talent as demonstrated in English class
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

DARBY—DUSTIN “DD” DARBY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Occupational Therapy Assistant, Physical Therapist Assistant , or Teacher Education curriculum
- Discuss plan to work with children or adults who have speech, physical, or learning disabilities
- Must demonstrate evidence of community involvement and civic responsibilities
- Must be of good moral character
- Must attend the Cumberland campus
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



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DAVIS—JUDY DEHART DAVIS COMMUNICATION ARTS TECHNOLOGY SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Multimedia Technology curriculum
- Must be a non-traditional student
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application

DENTAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the clinical phase of the Dental Hygiene curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application

DENTAL HYGIENE MERIT-BASED SCHOLARSHIP

\$250 for the Spring 2027 semester

Requirements:

- Full-time student (preferred)
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Pennsylvania
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Dental Hygiene curriculum
- Awarded to students in the spring semester of their sophomore year
- Preference given to non-traditional students who reside in Pennsylvania
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application



FORT CUMBERLAND LODGE #211 AND OHR LODGE #131 SCHOLARSHIP

\$400 per year (\$200 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 2.5 GPA
- First priority given to a family member of Masons belonging to Queen City Lodge #131 (state on application); second priority given to a family member of any Mason residing in Allegany County; and third priority given to anyone who meets the other scholarship requirements
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

FRIDINGER—WILLIAM T. FRIDINGER, D.D.S. SCHOLARSHIP

\$350 per year (\$175 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Maryland
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Dental Hygiene curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

FULLER—SANDY L. FULLER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$400 per year (\$200 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.5 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Respiratory Therapist curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



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GEHAUF—RACHEL COULEHAN GEHAUF MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FOR SOCIAL WORK

\$2,500 per year (\$1,250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Social Work or Human Service Associate (2nd-year student) curriculum
- Must have the intent and desire to continue career and life in Allegany County (state on application)
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

GILPIN—HELEN A. GILPIN MEMORIAL DENTAL HYGIENE SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Dental Hygiene curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

GIPE—MARY AND PAUL GIPE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$2,000 per year (\$1,000 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 2.5 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Human Service Associate curriculum
- Must state motivation for career choice, career goals, and summary of volunteer community service
- Must attend the Cumberland campus of Allegany College of Maryland
- Preference given to a Veteran of the United States Armed Services, the spouse or child of such a Veteran
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



GOLDSMITH FAMILY FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP

\$700 per year (\$350 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Maryland
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

HARBEL—JEFFREY W. HARBEL MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Four-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the clinical phase of the Dental Hygiene, Nursing, Occupational Therapy Assistant, Physical Therapist Assistant, Respiratory Therapist, or Medical Laboratory Technology curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

HEART SPEAK SPIKER-WALBERT SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in a health career program, including Human Service Associate (Integrative Health)
- Must have taken or plan to take an art, creative writing, or integrative health course
- Address why you are applying for the scholarship award and how you will use creative writing and visual art in your coursework and profession
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



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HILL—KATE DAILEY HILL MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Must be a graduate of Fort Hill High School
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

HINDS—THOMAS R. AND ELIZABETH HINDS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF CUMBERLAND EMPLOYEES' SCHOLARSHIP

Amount to be specified at time of award

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of River Bend Court, LLC, Jane Frazier Village, JFK Apartments, Banneker Gardens, or Queen City Towers
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Must have applied for financial aid, the Work-Study Program at ACM or work at part-time job
- Cannot have been suspended from high school for any type of substance abuse nor can he/she have been convicted for substance abuse within three years of applying for this scholarship
- Award can be used for tuition and/or tuition-related expenses
- Award can be applied to credit courses, Continuing Education programs, and short-term training programs
- Student must be a high school graduate or have a GED
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Application must be made through the Housing Authority of the City of Cumberland
- For more information, call 301-724-6606



HUMAN SERVICE ALUMNI SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the second year (clinical phase) of the Human Service Associate curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Must state personal and career goals as well as strengths and ability to contribute to the Human Service field

JONES—DARLENE JONES INTEGRATIVE HEALTH MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.5 GPA
- Preference will be given to students who have been accepted in, enrolled in, and/or who have completed the clinical phase of an Allied Health, Human Service Associate, or Social Work transfer curriculum with the intention of completing the Integrative Health Letter of Recognition
- At a minimum, students must have enrolled in or plan to enroll in the Integrative Approaches to Health and Healing course (IH 114)
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

JONES—NASHELLE S. JONES MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$2,000 per year (\$1,000 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.5 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Human Service Associate, Social Work, Sociology, Psychology, or History curriculum
- Special consideration will be given to students who are overcoming economic and access hardships to pursue higher education and who intend to focus on mental health and/or special needs populations (state on application)
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



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KEAN—CLARENCE KEAN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Must be a graduate of Fort Hill High School
- Preference given to students majoring in Chemistry
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

KEGG—J. SUTER KEGG SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,500 per year (\$750 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Multimedia Technology curriculum (with emphasis on Journalism) or any other discipline leading to a degree in Journalism
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

KLINGLER—THE KLINGLER FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP

\$550 per year (\$275 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Preference given to students who are enrolled in Massage Therapy, Nursing, or the Arts and Sciences transfer curriculum with a goal to study science and/or an Allied Health field at the bachelor's degree level or above
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



LEONARD—ALICE S. AND RICHARD R. LEONARD MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

"Through education open yourself to beauty, purpose, and opportunity." --Alice S. and Richard R. Leonard
\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Must have established residency status in the Hyndman/Londonderry School District prior to high school graduation
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

LEONARD—KIM AND MARION LEONARD SCHOLARSHIP FOR INTEGRATIVE HEALTH AND AUTHENTIC LEADERSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Resident of Allegany County, MD; Somerset or Bedford County, PA; or Mineral County, WV
- Have at least a 3.25 GPA
- Available to credit or CE students who have demonstrated an interest in integrative health and/or mind-body-wellness medicine and who desire to further develop mind body skills that stress personal awareness, with focus on self-acceptance, compassion, authenticity, and self-responsibility
- Applicants should address what experiences or training they have had in this area, as well as how they plan to take a leadership role that would further the integration of mind-body-wellness skills into their professional career
- Continuing education students should address their commitment to the coursework and their plan to attend a minimum of 80% of the course sessions
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

LEWIS—ROBERT K. LEWIS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Preference given to an enlisted United States Navy student, United States Navy Veteran, United States Veteran, and/or Vietnam Veteran's spouse, child or grandchild
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



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MARTIN—DAVID G. MARTIN, II MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$400 per year (\$200 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

MCKINLEY—WILLIAM B. MCKINLEY, JR. MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 3.5 GPA
- Be enrolled in the second year of the Respiratory Therapist curriculum
- Preference will be given to a student who has demonstrated community service, community wellness, or who has participated in job shadowing awareness activities (please state this on application)
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

MITCHELL—MARY S. AND THOMAS M. MITCHELL MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$400 for the Fall semester

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Respiratory Therapist curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



MOUNT SAVAGE FREEMASONS, KEMP LODGE #154 SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- First priority given to a Mason Kemp Lodge #154 family member (must state on application); second priority given to any Mason family member residing in the Tri-State area (must provide name and organization on application); and third priority given to anyone who meets the other scholarship requirements
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

PETERSON—HILDA M. R. PETERSON MEMORIAL AND INSTRUCTIONAL EQUIPMENT SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Four-State area
- Have at least a 3.25 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Massage Therapy curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

PHI THETA KAPPA SCHOLARSHIP

\$200 per year (\$100 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Four-State area
- Have at least a 3.5 GPA
- Carry at least 6 semester credit hours
- Be active in community service
- Must apply during second semester of freshman year
- Must be enrolled in a degree program
- Preference will be given to Phi Theta Kappa members (membership should be stated)



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THE POTOMAC HIGHLANDS PATHOLOGY DR. GIOVANNI MASTRANGELO MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Medical Laboratory Technology curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

QUARRY RIDGE SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Employees of Quarry Ridge Corporation or their spouses, children, stepchildren, or grandchildren are encouraged to apply
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

RALSTON—JOAN SNYDER RALSTON SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Dental Hygiene, Nursing, or Music-related curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application

ROBERSON—DOROTHY AND DAVID ROBERSON DENTAL HYGIENE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$3,750 per year (\$1,875 per semester): 1 freshman and 1 sophomore award

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Dental Hygiene curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



ROLYAN SCHOLARSHIP

\$2,000 per year (\$1,000 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student (minimum of 6 credit hours)
- Preference given to U.S. citizens from the Appalachian region
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA as an entering freshman and a 2.5 GPA to be considered for the award during the second semester and to be considered for a second year award
- Must state and/or demonstrate financial need in essay on scholarship application. In addition, financial need will be verified by Foundation Management through the Student Financial Aid Office.
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

SCHMITT—LOUISE AND GEORGE SCHMITT RESPIRATORY THERAPY SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Four-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Respiratory Therapist curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

STAIR—BILL AND KAREN STAIR RESPIRATORY SCHOLARSHIP

\$600 per year (\$300 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Respiratory Therapist curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

UPMC WESTERN MARYLAND SCHOLARSHIP

\$2,000 per year (\$1,000 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Four-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in a health care curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



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WALLACE—THE ANNE E. AND WILLIAM B. WALLACE, JR. SCHOLARSHIP IN MEMORY OF DALLAS E. NOLAN OF CUMBERLAND, MD

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Western Maryland or West Virginia
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in a health or health-related curriculum related to speech, hearing, working with the handicapped, health sciences, or a related discipline which would lead to work with children or adults who have speech, physical, or learning disabilities (state on application)
- Must demonstrate evidence of community involvement and civic responsibilities (state on application)
- Be of good moral character
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

WCBC'S JIM ROBEY ACHIEVEMENT SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Multimedia Technology curriculum (first preference) or the General Studies curriculum (second preference)
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application

WESTERN MARYLAND JAYCEES SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Resident of Allegany or Garrett County, MD, or Mineral County, WV
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Must describe volunteer experience, civic engagement, and involvement within the community
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application



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BEDFORD COUNTY REGIONAL EDUCATION FOUNDATION TUITION ASSISTANCE

The Bedford County Regional Education Foundation continually solicits private funds to provide for the tuition assistance program. These funds are designed for use only toward tuition costs while attending the Bedford County Campus. No money is available for funding students who receive financial aid that is equal to or greater than the cost of tuition. BCREF funding is only available for tuition expenses. Expenses such as books, fees and supplies cannot be covered by tuition assistance. Emphasis will be placed on financial need which is not met by other sources.

In order to qualify for BCREF Tuition Assistance, the student must comply with the following criteria and procedures:

- ☐ Be a resident of one of the following school districts: Bedford Area, Chestnut Ridge, Claysburg Kimmel, Everett Area, Northern Bedford, or Tussey Mountain; and must have resided within this area for at least one year.
- ☐ Complete and submit the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). Attach your FAFSA Submission Summary (page 1) showing your Student Aid Index (SAI) with your tuition assistance application.
- ☐ Complete the application and registration process of Allegany College of Maryland.
- ☐ Complete and sign the Tuition Assistance Application. Applications must be returned by September 15 for fall semester and by January 31 for spring semester. You must apply EACH SEMESTER to be considered for tuition assistance.
- ☐ Return the Tuition Assistance Application along with the essay to Bedford County Regional Education Foundation Office, 18 North River Lane, Everett, PA 15537.

Your application must include the following by September 15 and/or January 31 depending upon the semester in which you apply:

- an essay stating your financial need
- a copy of your class schedule
- a copy of the first page of your Student Aid Report from fafsa.gov

Questions regarding BCREF Tuition Assistance may be directed to the Director of PA Advancement and Community Relations, 18 North River Lane, Everett, PA 15537, or by calling 814-652-9528, extension 6223.

Please accept the Bedford County Regional Education Foundation's best wishes for a successful college experience in Bedford County!



APRIL 30, 2026 APPLICATION DEADLINE

ASHE SCHOLARSHIP

Award varies based on need

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- No residency requirement; however, special consideration will be given to residents of Bedford County, PA
- Have at least a 2.5 GPA
- Scholarship available to credit and workforce development students
- State financial need/struggle in scholarship essay
- Applications are available through the Bedford County Regional Education Foundation office at the Bedford County Campus or by calling 814-652-9528, ext. 6223
- Applications may be submitted on an as needed basis

BEDFORD COUNTY HUMAN SERVICES COUNCIL SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 for the Fall semester

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Resident of Bedford County, PA
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Human Service, Pre-Human Service, Teacher Education/Early Childhood Education, Psychology, or Social Work curriculum
- Indicate your desire to stay, work, and live in Bedford County
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application

BEDFORD COUNTY OPPORTUNITY SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 - \$1,000 per year (\$250 - \$500 per semester) based on the financial need of eligible students

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student (must be enrolled for at least 6 credits)
- Resident of Bedford County
- Have at least a 2.5 GPA
- Be enrolled in any Associate Degree or Certificate program
- Must attend the Bedford County Campus of Allegany College of Maryland
- Must complete the FAFSA
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

***Application deadline:
June 30***



BEDFORD ROTARY CLUB SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student (minimum nine credits per semester)
- Resident of Bedford County, PA
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in any degree or certificate program
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Applicant must discuss his or her community service activities in essay on scholarship application

**BEDFORD RURAL ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC.
TUITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM**

Minimum \$175.00 tuition assistance award during the Fall and Spring semesters
(amount may vary based on availability of funds each semester)

Requirements:

- Be accepted by Allegany College of Maryland as a regular college student
- Early College students are not eligible to apply
- Be enrolled in college coursework through the Bedford County Campus of Allegany College of Maryland
- Have a GPA of 2.5 or higher
- The student's primary residence must be served by Bedford Rural Electric Cooperative, Inc. or the student must be a dependent (pursuant to IRS guidelines) of a parent or guardian whose primary residence is served by the Bedford Rural Electric Cooperative, Inc.
- Applications are available through the Bedford County Regional Education Foundation by calling 814-652-9528, extension 6223, or by visiting the Bedford County Campus Scholarship page at the college's website
- Submit the application, along with the most recent copy of the your Bedford Rural Electric Cooperative, Inc. bill or your parent's or guardian's electric bill to the following location:

Bedford County Regional Education Foundation
18 North River Lane
Everett, PA 15537

***Fall applications due
August 15***

***Spring applications due
January 15***

BOUCH—MICHAEL BOUCH MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$250 for the Summer semester

Requirements:

- Full-or part-time student
- Resident of Bedford County, PA
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Early College program through the Bedford County Campus of ACM
- First preference given to a student from Bedford or Everett Area High School enrolled in the Senior Challenge program and taking Early College coursework through ACM
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Applications are available through the Bedford County Regional Education Foundation Office

***Application deadline:
May 31***



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COLDWELL BANKER PREMIER SCHOLARSHIP SPONSORED BY MELINDA FEASTER AND CHERYL MCINROY

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Resident of Bedford County, PA
- Have at least a 2.5 GPA or higher
- Be enrolled in the Business Administration or Business Management curriculum
- Must attend the Bedford County Campus of Allegany College of Maryland
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application

COTTLE FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP

\$2,000 per year (\$1,000 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student (minimum of nine credits per semester)
- Resident of Bedford County, PA
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in an Associate Degree program
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

***Application deadline:
June 30***

EVERETT AREA ALUMNI ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student (at least 6 credit hours)
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Must be a graduate of Everett Area High School
- Student may attend any campus of Allegany College of Maryland
- Student interview will be conducted by the scholarship committee
- Student must attend one alumni association meeting during the fall semester in order to receive spring portion of scholarship award
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application



EVERETT CASH MUTUAL INSURANCE GROUP SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Business Administration, Business Management, or Computer Science curriculum
- Must attend the Bedford County Campus of Allegany College of Maryland
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

FULTON COUNTY SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Resident of Fulton County, PA
- Have at least a 2.5 GPA
- Be enrolled in an Associate Degree or Certificate program
- Must attend the Bedford County Campus of Allegany College of Maryland
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Applications are available at www.allegany.edu/fulton
- Submit the application to the following address:
Bedford County Regional Education Foundation
18 North River Lane
Everett, PA 15537

***Application deadline:
April 15***

GATES—PEGGY DETWILER GATES MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Resident of Bedford County, PA
- Have at least a 2.5 GPA
- Be enrolled in an Associate Degree program
- Must attend the Bedford County Campus of Allegany College of Maryland
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



APRIL 30, 2026 APPLICATION DEADLINE

GATEWAY TRAVEL PLAZA SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (for first preference student)

\$250 per year (for student in other program of study)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- No residency requirement
- Have at least 3.0 GPA
- \$500 scholarship awarded to a student who has been an employee of Gateway Travel Plaza for at least one year or an immediate family member of an employee who is a student enrolled in a class/curriculum directly relating to the travel/hospitality industry (Hotel/Restaurant Management or Culinary Arts)
- \$250 scholarship awarded to a student who has been an employee of Gateway Travel Plaza for at least one year or an immediate family member of an employee who is a student enrolled in any Associate Degree program
- Must have completed one previous semester with at least a 3.0 GPA
- Money to be used for tuition only – no cash disbursements
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

GLADFELTER—RUTH MORRIS GLADFELTER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student (part-time student must take at least 9 credits)
- Resident of Bedford County, PA
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- First preference given to students who attend the Bedford County Campus of Allegany College of Maryland
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

HENDRICKS—BRYAN R. HENDRICKS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$700 per year (\$350 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Resident of Bedford, Fulton, Blair, or Somerset County in PA; Allegany or Garrett County in MD
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- First preference given to students with a commitment to a career in agriculture or related fields: Forestry, Agriculture production or research, Agriculture Business or Agriculture Education, Horticulture/Landscape Architecture, Soil or Water Conservation/Mine Reclamation, or Earth Science
- In scholarship essay, please explain commitment to education and a career in agriculture or related fields, objectives, and need for assistance
- Preference given to students attending the Bedford County Campus; however, all Allegany College of Maryland students who meet above criteria may apply
- Students not in the above fields of study may apply but must have an agricultural family connection or work in agriculture
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



HENDRICKS—SCOTT D. HENDRICKS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$700 per year (\$350 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Resident of Bedford, Fulton, Blair, or Somerset County in PA; Allegany or Garrett County in MD
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Commitment to a career or degree in marketing, business, advertising, or aviation
- In scholarship essay, please explain commitment to education and a career in marketing, business, advertising or aviation, objectives, and need for assistance
- Preference given to students attending the Bedford County Campus; however, all Allegany College of Maryland students who meet above criteria may apply
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

HESS—REPRESENTATIVE DICK L. HESS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Resident of Bedford or Fulton County, PA
- Have at least a 2.5 GPA
- Must attend the Bedford County Campus unless program is only offered at the Cumberland Campus
- First preference given to students enrolled in Forest Technology, Biology, Political Science or Agricultural Field
- Three (3) letters of recommendation are required with the scholarship application. One recommendation letter must be from a former teacher.
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

JORDAN—JOHN H. JORDAN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- No residency requirement; however, special consideration will be given to residents of Bedford County, PA
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in any degree or certificate program
- Special consideration given to students attending the Bedford County Campus of Allegany College of Maryland
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



APRIL 30, 2026 APPLICATION DEADLINE

MEMORIAL HOSPITAL OF BEDFORD COUNTY FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Resident of Bedford County, PA
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in an Allied Health program
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

MYERS—KELLY AND LARRY MYERS SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Residency is not a requirement, but special consideration will be given to Bedford County residents
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in any degree or certificate program
- Scholarship will be awarded to a non-traditional student who demonstrates good moral and Christian character
- Scholarship essay should include the following:
 - Goals and objectives in terms of going back to school
 - Challenges involved in being an adult learner and parent
 - Financial need for this scholarship
 - Involvement with church and religious upbringing
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

NEW HOPE FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP IN MEMORY OF TERRY JO CARO

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student (9 credit nursing student are eligible)
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Must attend the Bedford County Campus of Allegany College of Maryland
- Applicants should discuss in their essays how they currently contribute to the community and how they plan to continue contributing to the community in the future
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



NEXT STEP SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 - \$1,500 per year (\$250 - \$750 per semester) based on the financial need

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Resident of Bedford, Blair, Franklin, Fulton, or Huntingdon Counties
- Participated in the early college program while in high school by taking ACM college classes
- Continue your studies at ACM after high school graduation
- Have a minimum high school and ACM GPA of 3.0
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Must complete the FAFSA
- Preference given to students who attend the Bedford County Campus of ACM

PAY IT FORWARD SCHOLARSHIP

\$150 per semester

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Must attend the Bedford County Campus of Allegany College of Maryland
- Must reapply for scholarship both Fall and Spring semesters

***Fall application deadline:
September 15***

***Spring application deadline:
January 31***

PENNSYLVANIA STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 or \$1,000 per year (\$250 or \$500 per semester) based on student financial need

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Resident of Pennsylvania
- Have at least a 2.5 GPA
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Must attend the Bedford County Campus of Allegany College of Maryland
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

PEPPLE—FRED W. AND GLADYS M. PEPPLE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Resident of Pennsylvania
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Business Administration or Business Management curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Must attend the Bedford County Campus of Allegany College of Maryland
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



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RICE—DICK M. RICE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Resident of Bedford County, PA
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Must be enrolled in Agriculture or Conservation including Forest Technology, Biotechnology, or other related field
- Student may attend any campus of Allegany College of Maryland
- No essay is required for scholarship application but three letters of recommendation are required. Letters of recommendation should include one from previous or current school instructor or administrator, one from a church representative, and one from a community leader
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

ROWAN—MILDRED JEAN ROWAN SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Resident of Pennsylvania
- Have at least a 2.5 GPA
- Be a graduate of a Bedford County High School
- Be enrolled in an Associate Degree program
- Must attend the Bedford County Campus of Allegany College of Maryland
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

SHAFFER—ANN H. SHAFFER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student (must be enrolled for at least 9 credits)
- Resident of Bedford County
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing curriculum
- Must attend the Bedford County Campus of Allegany College of Maryland
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria.



SHOPE—DR. EARL SHOPE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$2,000 per year (\$1,000 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Resident of Bedford County, PA
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in any degree or certificate program
- Must attend the Bedford County Campus of Allegany College of Maryland
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

SNIDER—DR. JIM SNIDER BEDFORD COUNTY CAMPUS SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Resident of Bedford County, PA
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in a degree program and have the intention of transferring to a four-year institution to obtain a Bachelor's Degree
- Must attend the Bedford County Campus of Allegany College of Maryland
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

SPONSLER—ROBERT D. AND BESSIE BRANTNER SPONSLER SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Resident of Bedford or Fulton County, PA
- Have at least a 2.5 GPA
- Be enrolled in an Associate Degree program
- Must attend the Bedford County Campus of Allegany College of Maryland
- Must be sincere in his/her pursuit of education
- Must be a graduate of a Bedford County or Fulton County High School
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



APRIL 30, 2026 APPLICATION DEADLINE

STONER—LOIS AND TOM STONER SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 for the Fall semester

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student (Nursing students must have a minimum of 9 credit hours)
- Resident of Bedford County, PA
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing or Pre-Nursing curriculum
- Must attend the Bedford County Campus of Allegany College of Maryland
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application

TERPENING—EDWARD AND IRENE TERPENING MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- No residency requirement; however, special consideration will be given to residents of Bedford County, PA
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in any degree or certificate program
- Must be a student or graduate of Everett Area High School
- Must attend the Bedford County Campus of Allegany College of Maryland
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application



MAY 31, 2026 APPLICATION DEADLINE

ACM AMBASSADOR SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.75 GPA
- Must provide a letter of recommendation from an ACM faculty/staff member
- Must reapply for Spring semester
- For additional requirements and to apply, visit allegany.edu/acm-ambassadors/

ALLEGANY SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT MARTIN GORDON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County preferred
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Forest Technology curriculum
- Must have attended an Allegany County high school (private or home-schooled included)
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

AMERICAN LEGION POST #13, THOMAS B. FINAN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,100 per year (\$550 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County who has graduated from Allegany, Fort Hill, or Bishop Walsh high school
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing curriculum
- Prefer parent to be a Veteran (state on application)
- Be of good moral character
- Be a citizen not opposed to our form of government
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



BARTLETT TREE FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP

\$3,000 per year (\$1,500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Promising major in Forest Technology with a genuine interest in a career in Arboriculture/Urban forestry
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

BARTON—RHODA BARTON MEMORIAL NURSING SCHOLARSHIP

\$750 per year (\$375 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County, MD, or Bedford County, PA
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Must be a second-year student in the Nursing curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

BLOUGH—DALTON AND MARJORIE BLOUGH MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Dental Hygiene or Nursing curriculum
- Must include reason for entering chosen Allied Health curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

BROWN—PAT CHARLES BROWN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany or Garrett County, MD
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Forest Technology curriculum
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



MAY 31, 2026 APPLICATION DEADLINE

BURKE—JEAN B. BURKE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$2,000 per year (\$1,000 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Legal Studies, Medical Administrative Assistant, or Medical Assistant curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

BURKEY—LION JOHN BURKEY FINISH STRONG SCHOLARSHIP

\$250 per semester

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the final semester of the Nursing curriculum
- Must address involvement as a volunteer and other ways of giving back to better the community
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application

***Fall application deadline:
May 31***

***Spring application deadline:
January 31***

CANADA—INA F. MCCLOUD CANADA MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$2,000 per year (\$1,000 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area (preference given to Allegany County, MD; Bedford County, PA; or Mineral County, WV)
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing curriculum
- Must attend the Cumberland campus of Allegany College of Maryland
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



CATHERMAN—CHARLES S. CATHERMAN MEMORIAL OFFICE TECHNOLOGIES SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Maryland
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Legal Studies, Medical Administrative Assistant, or Medical Assistant curriculum
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

CHAPPELL—DRS. THOMAS CHAPPELL AND GWYN HARRISON HEALTH CARE SCHOLARSHIP

\$2,000 per year (\$1,000 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing, Medical Assistant, or Respiratory Therapist curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

CITC LIFE INVESTMENT SCHOLARSHIP

Awards and amounts vary

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application

CONES—DR. WILLIAM CONES MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Forest Technology curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



MAY 31, 2026 APPLICATION DEADLINE

COOPER-HOTT — EVELYN COOPER-HOTT MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$400 per year (\$200 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Pre-Pharmacy, Nursing or Teacher Education curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

CORLEY — PATRICIA CORLEY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application

CPB & RFB CHILDREN'S TRUST SCHOLARSHIP

\$375 for the Fall semester

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing curriculum
- Must state in essay plans/goals to become a Nurse Practitioner or a Physician Assistant
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



CUMMINGS—ELIJAH E. CUMMINGS SCHOLARSHIP

Awards and amounts vary

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Special consideration will be given to students who are overcoming economic and access hardships to pursue higher education (state on application)
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

DAVEY FOUNDATION ARBOR GRANT SCHOLARSHIP

\$2,000 per year (\$1,000 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.50 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Forest Technology curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

DEFFENBAUGH—CARY DEFFENBAUGH FORESTRY ALUMNI ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Forest Technology curriculum and must have completed at least 30 college credit hours
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application



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DERRICK MEMORIAL NURSING SCHOLARSHIP

\$2,000 per year (\$1,000 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student (no less than 10 credit hours)
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of LaVale or Cumberland
- Have at least a 3.5 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing curriculum
- Applicant must be self-supporting
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

DONALD—RUTH DENIKER DONALD MEMORIAL NURSING SCHOLARSHIP

\$2,000 per year (\$1,000 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

DUFFY—OWEN M. AND ALICIA K. DUFFY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$600 per year (\$300 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.5 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Forest Technology or Medical Assistant curriculum
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



DUROCHER-WOODWORTH SCHOLARSHIP FOR NURSING

\$2,500 per year (\$1,250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 high school GPA or a 2.0 college GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- State reason for choosing Nursing as a career
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

DURRETT—ROY DURRETT SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA during last two years of high school
- Be enrolled in the Automotive Technology curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Recent graduate of an Allegany County high school or may be a Veteran

E.MAP 1889 FOUNDATION NURSING SCHOLARSHIP

Summer semester: amount varies

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Cambria or Somerset County, PA
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing curriculum, including LPN to RN Online
- Must demonstrate commitment to the nursing profession as observed by faculty

FARRELL-LAYMAN—LESLIE MARIA FARRELL-LAYMAN SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 2.5 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



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FRETWELL—MILDRED I. FRETWELL MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Legal Studies, Medical Administrative Assistant, or Medical Assistant curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

GILPIN—HELEN A. GILPIN MEMORIAL NURSING SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

HALL—JAMIE LEE HALL MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$400 per year (\$200 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area (West Virginia preferred)
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Forest Technology curriculum
- Applicants should demonstrate having overcome difficult circumstances and obstacles in their path to success in obtaining an education or other achievements in life, as well as having a cheerful, friendly personality, as Jamie did
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



HALMOS—IRIS EUSTACE HALMOS NURSING SCHOLARSHIP

\$2,500 per year (\$1,250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Resident of Four-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

HARPER—REX HARPER MEMORIAL FORESTRY SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 for the Summer 2026 semester

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Forest Technology curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

HOSKINS—L. GENE AND PAMELA (DITTMAN) HOSKINS FORESTRY SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Forest Technology curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Awarded to a second-year Forestry student

KELLER—MARGARET B. KELLER MEMORIAL NURSING SCHOLARSHIP

\$350 per year (\$175 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the second year of the Nursing curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application



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KENNER—ANNETTE KENNER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing curriculum
- Must describe your Christian values, involvement in the community or church, and reason for entering nursing
- Special consideration given to anyone directly affected by ALS
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

LAPP—JOYCE K. AND GEORGE W. LAPP, JR. SCHOLARSHIP FOR NURSING

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

LEWIS—CHARLES B. LEWIS MEMORIAL TREE FARM SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,200 per year (\$600 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Four-State area
- Have at least a 2.5 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Forest Technology curriculum
- Must demonstrate an interest in Forestry and outdoor work
- Preference given to students who come from a Tree Farm Family
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



LEWIS—ORA MAE LEWIS SCHOLARSHIP

\$350 per year (\$175 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany or Garrett County
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing curriculum
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

MASH—JOHN MASH MEMORIAL FORESTRY SCHOLARSHIP

\$300 per year (\$150 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Forest Technology curriculum
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

MAY FAMILY NURSING SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

MCCAGH—DR. SEAN MCCAGH HOOLEY PLUNGE SCHOLARSHIP

\$2,500 per year (\$1,250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Occupational Therapy Assistant curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Must discuss desire to support others using adaptive therapy techniques learned in the OTA program



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MCINTYRE—BARBARA MCINTYRE NURSING SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County, MD, or Mineral County, WV
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

MEDICAL ASSISTANT SCHOLARSHIP

\$600 per year (\$300 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Medical Assistant or Medical Administrative Assistant curriculum
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

MORTON—BRODY WILLIAM MORTON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$2,000 per year (\$1,000 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County, MD; Garrett County, MD; or Mineral County, WV
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing curriculum
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

NADEAU—DR. OLIVER H. NADEAU MEMORIAL NURSING SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing curriculum
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



NAGARATNAM MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

1 award at \$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

1 award at \$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 3.5 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

NONNENMANN—EARL M. AND GEORGIANNA M. NONNENMANN MEMORIAL NURSING SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 2.5 GPA
- Be a second-semester clinical student in the Nursing curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

NURSING SCHOLARSHIP

\$350 per year (\$175 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Four-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



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PATHWAYS FOR SUCCESS SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Must be a current Pathways For Success student in good standing
- Essay must reflect barriers student faces in pursuing higher education and the effort and progress the student has made toward successfully completing his/her program of study
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

PILE—WINIFRED R. PILE SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing curriculum
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

PYLE—ROGER PYLE FORESTRY SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 for the Summer semester

Requirements:

- Full-time sophomore student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Four-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Forest Technology curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application

QUEEN CITY MOTORS SCHOLARSHIP

\$4,000 per year (\$2,000 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Automotive Technology curriculum
- Must provide a 500-word essay on why choosing the Automotive Technology program and reason for wanting a scholarship from Queen City Motors
- In-person or Zoom interview required



REESE—DAN REESE MEMORIAL BASEBALL SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Must be a member of the ACM baseball team
- Preference given to a Scouting America member
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

RHODES—RHODES MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$800 per year (\$400 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany or Garrett County, MD; or Mineral County, WV
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Automotive Technology curriculum
- Must be a non-traditional student
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

RICE—ELEANOR RICE PARALEGAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$800 per year (\$400 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Legal Studies curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



ROBERTSON—JAMES “SNAKE” ROBERTSON CCTE TO ACM WORKFORCE SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 2.5 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Automotive Technology, Criminal Justice, Culinary Arts, Cybersecurity, Engineering – Automated Manufacturing Technology, Multimedia Technology, or Nursing curriculum
- Must be an Allegany County Center for Career and Technical Education graduate continuing their CCTE program of studies at ACM
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

ROQUE—DRS. MAGNO P. AND BARBARA B. ROQUE SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 3.5 GPA
- Be enrolled in an Allied Health or a Computer Technology curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

SANDHIR—DR. AND MRS. SIKANDER SANDHIR NURSING SCHOLARSHIP IN MEMORY OF MR. BRAHMA NAND AND MRS. SHANTI DEVI SANDHIR

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area (MD–Allegany, Garrett, Washington; PA–Bedford, Fulton, Somerset; WV–Berkeley, Hampshire, Hardy, Mineral, Preston)
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



SAVILLE—GLORIA AND BUFORD SAVILLE SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Four-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

SCOTT—ALLAN A. AND VENI CASTLE SCOTT SCHOLARSHIP

\$2,000 per year (\$1,000 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Georges Creek Valley, Allegany County, MD for at least 4 years
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Must be a graduate of Mountain Ridge High School
- Must have participated in varsity track, varsity basketball, and/or varsity volleyball
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

SHIRCLIFF—NANCY SEMBOWER SHIRCLIFF NURSING SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



SIMMONS—DOROTHY SIMMONS NURSING SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.5 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing curriculum
- Non-traditional students who have an interest in becoming a Nurse as a second career are encouraged to apply
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

SMITH—ALEXIS KAUFFMAN SMITH MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing curriculum
- Must demonstrate evidence of community involvement and be of good moral character
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

SMOUSE—JACK AND DOROTHY SMOUSE FORESTRY SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,500 per year (\$750 per semester) - multiple awards

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Forest Technology curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



SMOUSE—JACK AND DOROTHY SMOUSE FORT HILL HIGH SCHOOL VOCATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester) - multiple awards

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing curriculum
- Must be a graduate of Fort Hill High School
- Preference given to students enrolled or planning to enroll in a field of study to assist the handicapped
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

SMOUSE—JACK H. SMOUSE NORTHERN HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP

\$2,000 per year (\$1,000 per semester) - multiple awards

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing curriculum
- Must be a graduate of Northern High School
- Preference given to students enrolled or planning to enroll in a field of study to assist the handicapped
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

SMOUSE—JACK H. SMOUSE NURSING SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester) - multiple awards

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



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SMOUSE—JACK H. SMOUSE SOUTHERN HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP

\$2,000 per year (\$1,000 per semester) - multiple awards

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing curriculum
- Must be a graduate of Southern High School
- Preference given to students enrolled or planning to enroll in a field of study to assist the handicapped
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

SOLOMON FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,500 per year (\$750 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Forest Technology curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

STAIR—KAREN AND BILL STAIR NURSING SCHOLARSHIP

\$600 per year (\$300 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



STASKO—HELEN STASKO MEMORIAL NURSING SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 2.5 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

WAGNER—GARY W. WAGNER SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County, MD, or Mineral County, WV
- Have at least a 2.25 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application

WALBERT—RICK WALBERT MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Immediate family members of the Local 1024 United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America are eligible to apply (this includes the spouse and children of Local 1024 members). State on application your relationship to a member of Local 1024.
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



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WALLIS—PAULINE GRACE WALLIS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Residency is not a requirement, but Allegany County residents will be given priority consideration
- Have at least a 2.5 GPA
- Be enrolled in the second year of the Nursing curriculum
- Community service encouraged
- State reason for choosing Nursing as a career
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

WALTERS—ALAN J. WALTERS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County (first preference) and Tri-State area (second preference, with priority given to Maryland residents)
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Must be a member of the ACM men's basketball team
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

WATTERS—JACOB PAUL DAVID WATTERS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Full out-of-state tuition (fees included)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Pennsylvania and a graduate of a Bedford County high school (second preference: Bedford County resident)
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Automotive Technology curriculum
- Must have taken the Allegany College of Maryland Placement Test
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



WEISMAN—ELIZABETH BARON WEISMAN SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

WEISMAN—SAVILLE G. WEISMAN, MD SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing curriculum
- Must describe your reason for choosing Nursing as a career, and if you plan to practice Nursing in Allegany County, MD
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

WERNER—TRACIE JEAN WERNER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Four-State area
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Legal Studies, Medical Administrative Assistant, or Medical Assistant curriculum
- Essay should state life goals and be well-written and thorough with correct grammar, format, and punctuation
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



MAY 31, 2026 APPLICATION DEADLINE

WEST VIRGINIA REGIONAL ACCESS SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Grant, Hampshire, Mineral, Morgan, or Preston County, WV
- Have at least a 2.5 GPA
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

WESTERN MARYLAND STREET ROD ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Automotive Technology curriculum
- Must demonstrate satisfactory conduct
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

WMHS FOUNDATION HEALTHCARE SCHOLARSHIP

\$5,000 per year (\$2,500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Medical Administrative Assistant, Medical Assistant, Medical Coding and Billing, Medical Laboratory Technology, Nursing, Nursing Assistant, Occupational Therapy Assistant, Physical Therapist Assistant, or Respiratory Therapist curriculum
- Must describe plans to work at UPMC and intended area of employment focus
- Non-traditional students encouraged to apply
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



WRIGHT—PATRICIA ANN MURPHY WRIGHT AND ROBERT DEAN WRIGHT NURSING SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing curriculum
- Preference given to non-traditional students or Veterans
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

ZANGER—MARCIA AND MARC ZANGER SCHOLARSHIP

\$250 for the Fall semester

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing curriculum
- Must be enrolled in a certificate or degree program
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

ZANGER—MARCIA OTT ZANGER SCHOLARSHIP

\$250 for the Fall semester

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Nursing curriculum
- Must be enrolled in a certificate or degree program
- Special consideration given to breast cancer survivors, adult children who have lost a parent/guardian to breast cancer or have a parent/guardian with breast cancer
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



MAY 31, 2026 APPLICATION DEADLINE

ZEMBOWER—MARGARET H. ZEMBOWER OFFICE TECHNOLOGIES SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Legal Studies, Medical Administrative Assistant, or Medical Assistant curriculum
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

ZIPFEL—JOHN F. ZIPFEL SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Forest Technology curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



JULY 15, 2026 APPLICATION DEADLINE

ADULT EDUCATION GED/EDP-ALLEGANY COUNTY SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen
- Resident of Allegany County
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Must have earned High School Diploma by completing the External Diploma Program or by passing GED test
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application

ADULT EDUCATION GED/EDP-FOUR-STATE SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year (\$250 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen
- Resident of Four-State area
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Must have earned High School Diploma by completing the External Diploma Program or by passing GED test
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application

PAUL—JOE PAUL DENTAL HYGIENE EQUIPMENT SCHOLARSHIP

Cost of full instrument kit (approximately \$2,462)

Requirements:

- Full-time freshman student
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Dental Hygiene curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application



AUGUST 15, 2026 APPLICATION DEADLINE

ALLEGANY CARDIOLOGY CENTER SCHOLARSHIP

Award varies based on need

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in a healthcare curriculum
- Applicant should discuss specific financial need in essay
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

DUBINS ENTREPRENEURIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per year

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Essay should include the following:
 - Your personal background (accomplishments, ambitions, etc.).
 - Your entrepreneurial concept; what type of business do you wish to start/expand? Describe, in detail, what your business would do.
 - Describe your work ethic and explain how it relates to being an entrepreneur; give examples.
 - A brief work history (paid or volunteer).
 - Explain why you are interested in working with an entrepreneurial mentor.
 - Any other information which will be favorably viewed by the selection committee.

TREVASKIS—MARION AND RICHARD TREVASKIS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Award varies based on need

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Available for credit and continuing education students



WITT — DICK WITT PHARMACY TECHNICIAN SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 per semester

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be enrolled in the Pharmacy Technician curriculum
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application

***Fall application deadline:
August 15***

***Spring application deadline:
March 31***





ALLEGANY COUNTY
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ALLEGANY COUNTY OPPORTUNITY SCHOLARSHIPS



Attention: Allegany County Residents!

Opportunity is **KNOCKING** at your door.

Allegany County Opportunity Scholarships

for Allegany County Residents

Students residing in Allegany County are eligible to apply for two scholarship awards:

- 1. Allegany County Opportunity Tuition Subsidy for Credit Students**
 - Tuition subsidies will be provided to help support the cost of tuition that is not covered by federal, state, and/or scholarship aid. Up to 50% of the in-county tuition rate per credit hour will be provided through this scholarship fund. At least a 2.0 grade point average is required to receive the tuition subsidy. To apply for this award, you must complete the FAFSA and apply for ACM Foundation Scholarships.
- 2. Allegany County Opportunity Merit Scholarship Award**
 - Merit scholarships in the amount of \$1,000 or more will be awarded each academic year. Students must have at least a 3.0 grade point average and meet all other eligibility criteria. Special consideration will be given to students who express their intention to transfer to Frostburg State University upon graduation from Allegany College of Maryland.

The **Allegany County Opportunity Scholarships**, established by the Allegany County Commissioners, are only available to residents of Allegany County (minimum three years residency requirement).

To apply for these awards, students should complete the ACM scholarship application at www.allegany.edu/scholarships.



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For more information on these or other ACM scholarships, please contact the ACM Foundation Office at 301-784-5200, or email sforeman@allegany.edu.





SPECIAL
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SCHOLASTIC EXCELLENCE SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

Allegany College of Maryland makes it even easier to achieve a higher education.

Scholastic Excellence Scholarship Awards (the Gilpin Freshman and the College Achievement Awards) help ease the financial burden of a college education by providing scholarships in amounts equal to up to one-half of the in-county tuition costs to students who meet the eligibility requirements.

The Gilpin Freshman Award

- Must be a graduate of a high school located in Allegany County, Maryland;
- Must have earned a cumulative high school grade point average of at least 3.5 at the end of his/her junior or senior year of high school;
- Must be a full-time student at Allegany College of Maryland within two years of high school graduation;
- Must be considered a college freshman; i.e., one who has earned less than 28 semester credits. College developmental course credit-hour equivalents count toward this total;
- Must not have been previously enrolled full-time at another college or university;
- An application is required and a final official high school transcript must be provided;
- Deadline to apply is September 15th.

The College Achievement Award

- Must have been a Gilpin Freshman Award recipient and maintained at least a 3.25 cumulative grade point average at Allegany College of Maryland;
- Must have sophomore status; i.e., one who has earned 28 or more semester credits. College developmental course credit-hour equivalents count toward this total;
- No application required.

The Scholastic Excellence Scholarships are available to eligible students for four consecutive semesters, providing the student successfully completes 12 or more credit hours per semester and maintains at least a 3.25 cumulative grade point average.

Extension of this scholarship beyond the four semesters is possible under certain circumstances with special approval, and then only for a maximum of two additional consecutive, full-time semesters.

QUESTIONS? CONTACT THE FOUNDATION OFFICE. 301-784-5200

We reserve the right to reduce and/or eliminate scholarships or scholarship award amounts as necessary.

NOTE: If total scholarship awards exceed the overall semester cost to attend the College, the Scholastic Excellence Scholarships will be reduced and will thus be less than 50% of the in-county semester tuition.



ALLEGANY COLLEGE OF MARYLAND SPECIAL CONSIDERATION SCHOLARSHIPS

For students who receive limited financial aid or are ineligible for tuition assistance, but still feel that they have need to meet direct college expenses.

Can be a full- or part-time student who has applied for admission. Applicants are requested to file a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) with the Financial Aid Office and must have exhausted all other means of tuition assistance. Applications are available through the Allegany College of Maryland Foundation Office. Awards will be made based upon recommendation by the Financial Aid Director and the Vice President of Advancement and Community Relations. Student must have applied for tuition assistance by filling out the tuition assistance request form and must have been unsuccessful in receiving tuition assistance monies before applying through the Allegany College of Maryland Foundation.

Upon proper application and proof that financial circumstances have not improved, consideration will be given for continuation of award into second semester.

ATHLETIC SCHOLARSHIPS

Information on athletic scholarships, including the Susan L. Kirk Memorial Scholarship, the Dan L. Reese Memorial Scholarship, and the Alan J. Walters Memorial Scholarship, may be obtained by contacting the Athletic Department at 301-784-5265.

EARLY COLLEGE PROGRAM

All Early College students pay one-half the tuition rate based on their residency. Please contact the Business Office for current Pennsylvania Early College subsidy rates. Early College students are those who are currently in high school, are 16 years of age or older, and are taking courses at Allegany College of Maryland.

In order to qualify, students must have the approval from their high school guidance counselor or principal for early admission status. This is an automatic scholarship; no scholarship application is required.

Homeschool students are also eligible. Contact the Admissions/Registration office at 301-784-5199.

HONORS PROGRAM

Admission into the Honors Program is selective and limited to students who have demonstrated outstanding scholarship achievement. The following eligibility requirements apply:

- Any new part-time or new full-time student or transfer student with a 3.5 grade point average from a regionally accredited high school.
- OR
- Any current part-time or current full-time student with a 3.5 grade point average.
- OR
- Early placement students who have completed their junior year at a regionally accredited high school with a 3.5 grade point average.



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OR

- Transfer student with a 3.5 grade point average at an accredited institution of higher education.

Honors students enrolled in credit courses designated as meeting honors criteria may possibly have up to one-half of the in-county tuition rate paid by the Allegany College of Maryland Foundation for that course depending on scholarships already applied. Please be advised that “courses meeting honors criteria” are those courses for which a member of the Honors Program has had a written contract submitted to and approved by the Honors Director or the Director’s designee. The “one-half in-county tuition” applies only to course(s) for which a student has satisfactorily completed the written contract and has received a grade of “B” or better. The benefit is not payable until the Honors Director has received notification of course grade and completion of contract.

For more information, contact Melody Gaschler, Director of Allegany College of Maryland Honors Program, 301-784-5697 or the Admissions Office, Allegany College of Maryland, 12401 Willowbrook Road, SE, Cumberland, MD 21502-2596, 301-784-5199.





COMMUNITY
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The following Community Scholarships are provided as a service to Allegany College of Maryland students. These are scholarships that are **not** administered by the Allegany College of Maryland Foundation, but are additional sources of financial assistance for our students.

How to apply for Community Scholarships:

In order to apply for these scholarships, one must contact the source indicated under each one of the scholarships listed.

AMERICAN DENTAL HYGIENISTS' ASSOCIATION INSTITUTE FOR ORAL HEALTH

ADHA Institute for Oral Health Scholarship Program (deadline February 1)

To be considered you must be enrolled in an accredited dental hygiene program in the United States; have completed a minimum of one year in a dental hygiene curriculum prior to receiving an award; have a minimum grade point average of 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale) for the time you have been enrolled in a dental hygiene curriculum; be a full-time student during the academic year for which you are applying (unless applying for a part-time scholarship). Applications can be obtained by visiting www.adha.org/institute or by contacting the ADHA Institute for Oral Health, 444 N. Michigan Avenue, Suite 3400, Chicago, IL 60611; by calling 312-440-8900; or email at institute@adha.net.

THE BADAHI LAW FIRM, LLC

Criteria: In order to apply, the applicant must be enrolled at an accredited higher learning educational institution in Western Maryland and must have a demonstrated interest in legal studies. This scholarship will be awarded based on need and commitment to helping others.

Amount: A one-time award of \$500 will be awarded to one winner to be used for tuition, books and educational expenses.

Deadline: Deadline to apply is March 30. After the application date, we will announce the winner by June 30. We will notify the winner by email or phone and we may post our winner on the Badahi Law Firm, LLC Facebook page and Google + pages.

To apply, you will need:

- A resume
- A 1-2 page (maximum) original essay on a recent development in the area of real estate or bankruptcy affecting Maryland residents.

Send your materials by email to admin@badakilawfirm.com with "Scholarship Application" in the subject line – there is no other application necessary. DO NOT include additional material such as tax returns, bank balances or other information.

PLEASE DO NOT CALL ABOUT THIS SCHOLARSHIP. If you need to contact us, please do so by email at admin@badakilawfirm.com.



BEDFORD RURAL ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC.

Bedford Rural Electric Cooperative, Inc. awards four \$1,500 scholarships to **traditional students**. To be eligible, you must be a high school senior committed to attending, on a full-time basis, an accredited post-secondary institution (4-year college, 2-year community college, or trade school, etc.), provide Bedford Rural Electric Cooperative with a copy of your high school transcript, and be the dependent of a parent or guardian whose primary residence is served by the Bedford Rural Electric Cooperative (Bedford REC director and employee dependents are not eligible). Applicants are required to submit a 300-word essay answering the following: Why are you a good candidate/recipient and deserving of this scholarship? What do you hope to achieve and what are your goals concerning your career? Applicants must also submit at least one reference letter from a teacher, counselor, or school administrator, etc. Applications must be post-marked by April 15th each year. Copies of the guidelines and applications are available at www.bedfordrec.com

Bedford Rural Electric Cooperative, Inc. awards four \$1,500 scholarships to **non-traditional students**. Eligibility requires individuals to be a member of Bedford Rural Electric or be a full-time resident served by the Cooperative. They must be a United States citizen, 25 years of age or older, currently enrolled or accepted at an accredited post-secondary institution (4-year college, 2-year community college, or trade school, etc.) and be committed to take at least 6 credits of coursework. Applicants are required to submit a 300-word essay answering the following: Why are you a good candidate/recipient and deserving of this scholarship? What do you hope to achieve and what are your goals concerning your career? Applicants must also submit at least one reference letter. Applications must be post-marked by April 15th each year. Copies of the guidelines and applications are available at www.bedfordrec.com

BOLD.ORG SCHOLARSHIPS

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

Bold.org is the largest independent scholarship provider in the country, with thousands of scholarships awarded on the platform that can't be found anywhere else. The platform will automatically find the scholarships best suited to you. All applications and awards are managed directly on Bold.org

CHICK-FIL-A REMARKABLE FUTURES SCHOLARSHIP

Scholarship awarded to a Chick-fil-A team member, in the amount of \$2,500 or \$1,000. Contact: Mr. Bill Boyer (owner), Chick-fil-A, 12101 Winchester Road, LaVale, MD 21502. Over the last 21 years, Chick-fil-A has awarded over 300 scholarships to local Chick-fil-A team members.

COCA-COLA ALL-STATE COMMUNITY COLLEGES ACADEMIC TEAM SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Must be enrolled at a two-year, degree granting institution; a student who has demonstrated academic success (with a minimum grade point average of 3.5 on a 4.0 scale). For additional information, contact Ms. Melody Gaschler at 301-784-5697 by November 15.

CREDIT UNION FOUNDATION OF MD & DC SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

Up to 12 \$2,000 College Scholarships

Applicant must be a member of a Maryland or District of Columbia credit union and must have applied to or currently attend any college, university, or trade school as an undergraduate student. Essays and videos will be judged on originality, attention to detail and may include personal experience and/or expectations of a credit union. Applications are available at your credit union or at www.cufound.org/consumer-resources/apply-for-scholarships. Deadline for entry is April 15.



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DELMARVA FARMER SCHOLARSHIP

Two \$1,000 Awards

Available to students studying for a career in agriculture. To apply, go online at www.americanfarm.com to download the form. Applications must be postmarked by April 1. Send your applications to Scholarship Committee, American Farm Publications, Inc., P.O. Box 2026, Easton, MD 21601. Any questions can be directed to 1-800-634-5021 or 410-822-3965.

ELKS NATIONAL FOUNDATION, LADIES OF THE ELKS AND SKILLED TRADES SCHOLARSHIPS

- 1) Frostburg Elks Lodge # 470 participates in 3 scholarship programs. The Elks National Foundation **Most Valuable Student** Scholarship Program is a national program by awarding a \$500 MVS Scholarship to the top local high school senior who applies for the MVS Scholarship online. The following is a link to the application on the Elks National Foundation Scholarships page: <https://www.elks.org/scholars/scholarships/MVS.cfm>
- 2) The **Frostburg Elks Ladies of the Elks** offers a separate \$750 scholarship for a Mountain Ridge High School senior. Applications are available through the school counselor.

The top 3 MVS students selected by Frostburg lodge advance to a district competition sponsored by MD/DE/DC Elks Association. Each of the 7 districts in the awards a \$1,500 MVS scholarship to the top male and female who then advance to a State-wide competition. The top male and top female MVS students state-wide will receive \$3,000 each. The second highest male and second highest MVS female will receive \$2,000 each. In order, numbers 5 – 15 will each receive \$1,500 each, regardless of gender. All 15 of our state association MVS winners will receive \$4,000 from Elks National Foundation.

The 20 Top National Finalists traditionally* participate in an all-expenses paid Leadership Weekend in Chicago during which they'll interview with the national judges. These 20 Finalists will be vying for two first-place awards of \$50,000; two second-place awards of \$40,000; and two third-place awards of \$30,000. The remaining 14 finalists will receive awards of \$20,000. The 480 runners-up will receive fifth-place scholarships of \$4,000. All 500 Scholarships are 4-year Scholarships.

- 3) The Maryland, Delaware, DC Elks Association sponsors a **Skilled Trades Scholarship** (a scholarship to 2-year trade or vocational programs). Open to High School graduates who have graduated between the years 2022-2024 or who will graduate in 2026.

The application must be complete, including transcripts and letters of recommendation at the time of submission. The scholarship winners will receive their award for two years. One male and one female will receive \$2,000 per year for two years. Four other males and four females will receive \$1,000 per year for two years.

The **Skilled Trades Scholarship application** is available on the state organization website <https://www.mddedcelks.org/scholarship.html>, Deadline to apply is April 15, 2026. Questions can be directed to the State Scholarship Chair, Erin Muscarella (elm.95@verizon.net).

Rob Rephan, Frostburg Elks Scholarship Chair
240-362-8492
rob.rephan@verizon.net



NANCY ETZ SCHOLARSHIP

To support and encourage students pursuing higher education, Nancy Etz awards this annual scholarship to those currently enrolled as full-time undergraduate or graduate students in the U.S.

The Nancy Etz Academic Scholarship was created to recognize an outstanding student and provide them the resources needed to advance in their disciplines and eventually pursue their dream careers.

Award Amount: \$1000

Deadline: February 1

Eligibility Requirements:

Applicants must meet one of the following criteria:

- Currently enrolled in an undergraduate or graduate program
- Current high school senior that has been accepted into a college or university

<http://nancyetzscholarship.com/>

FASTWEB

Fastweb is the nation's recognized leader in helping students pay for college. In 2025 Fastweb is celebrating its 30th Anniversary of supporting student's efforts to fund their education with a scholarship database containing over 1.5 million scholarships. On Fastweb members are matched to relevant scholarship and internship opportunities and can find timely financial aid information. Fastweb is a free service. Additional information can be found at <http://www.fastweb.com/>.

FEDERATED GARDEN CLUBS OF MARYLAND, INC. SCHOLARSHIPS (FGCMD)

Scholarship applicants must be legal residents of Maryland attending any accredited college/university in the U.S.; must major in Horticulture, Floriculture, Landscape Design, Botany, Forestry, Conservation, Agronomy, Plant Pathology, City Planning, Environmental concerns or allied subjects. Applicant must have at least a 3.25 GPA (on a 4.0 scale). Application deadline is February 1. Information can be found at <http://www.fgcofmd.org/>. Send to Scholarship Chairman, FGCMD, Inc., P.O. Box 65172, Baltimore, MD 21209-0172.

Robert Lewis Baker Scholarship

—to encourage the study of Ornamental Horticulture, Landscape Design, and allied subjects. Applicant must be a college junior, senior, or graduate student, and a legal resident of Maryland. The applicant may attend any accredited college/university in the United States.

Application deadline: February 1. Application forms for this scholarship can be obtained at <http://www.fgcofmd.org/>. Send to Robert Lewis Baker Scholarship Chairman, FGCMD, Inc., P.O. Box 65172, Baltimore, MD 21209-0172.

HOFFMAN—DR. ROY D. HOFFMAN SCHOLARSHIP FUND

The Dr. Roy D. Hoffman Scholarship Fund of The Pittsburgh Foundation was created to assist students in Bedford and Fulton Counties, Pennsylvania, in acquiring post-secondary education. In order to apply for this scholarship, students must:

1. Be graduating high school seniors who are residents of Bedford or Fulton County, Pennsylvania.
2. Be admitted to a vocational-technical school or a two- or four-year college or university.
3. Maintain a grade point average of 2.5.
4. Preference given to students from farm families.



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5. Complete an application.

For the application receipt deadline or to request an application, visit the Pittsburgh Foundation website at pittsburghfoundation.org/scholarship/2235.

HORATIO ALGER ASSOICATION OF DISTINGUISHED AMERICANS, INC.

500 scholarships at up to \$2,500 each

The Career & Technical Scholarship Program is funded through the generosity of Horatio Alger Association Members, Jim F. Dicke II and Dennis Washington. Scholarships are awarded to students who have faced and overcome great obstacles in their lives who wish to pursue a career or technical education at an accredited non-profit post-secondary institution in the United States.

Eligibility Criteria:

- Have completed high school (or earned a high school equivalency credential)
- Cannot be taking pre-requisite courses and must be enrolled in your program
- Must be enrolled full-time by Fall 2025 to be eligible.
- Exhibit a strong commitment to pursue and complete a career or technical program (up to 2 years) at an accredited non-profit post-secondary institution in the United States
- Demonstrated critical financial need (must be eligible to receive the Federal Pell grant as determined by completion of the FAFSA)
- Demonstrated perseverance in overcoming adversity
- Be under the age of 30
- Be a United States citizen

Apply online at <https://scholars.horatioalger.org/about-our-scholarship-programs/technical/>. Application deadline is June 15.

HOUTZ—ANGIE M. HOUTZ MEMORIAL FUND

Scholarship awards of \$1,000 to \$3,000 for the school year.

The Angie M. Houtz Memorial Fund was established after the terrorist attacks of September 11, 2001. Angie served the United States Navy as a civilian intelligence analyst and was a victim at the Pentagon on that unforgettably tragic Tuesday morning. Requirements: 3.0 GPA, commitment to community service, plan to attend a public college or university in Maryland. For complete details and an application, please visit www.angiemhoutzmemorialfund.com or email angiefund@yahoo.com. Application deadline is April 30.

JACOBUS—DWIGHT P. JACOBUS SCHOLARSHIP

The Dwight P. Jacobus Scholarships were established by the Association of School Business Officials of Maryland (MD ASBO) to assist those citizens of the State of Maryland who require financial assistance to secure a college education. Scholarships are awarded to deserving undergraduate students pursuing a career in Business or Education at an accredited institution of higher education within Maryland. Dwight P. Jacobus was the first Executive Director of MD ASBO. Additional information can be located at asbo.org/page/Jacobus. Deadline to apply: March 1.



KIDS' CHANCE OF MARYLAND, INC.

The awards range from \$600 to \$10,000 per semester.

The purpose of Kids' Chance is to provide financial scholarships for children of catastrophically injured or deceased workers to complete their education. Children must have had a parent catastrophically injured or killed in an employment-related accident. Children must be between the ages of 16 and 25. The parent's death or injury must have resulted in a substantial decline in the family income. Complete an application at kidschancemd.org. Questions? Call 240-599-7767. Refer to website for deadlines per semester.

LULAC NATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP

To be eligible, students must be a U.S. citizen or legal resident; must have applied to or be enrolled in a college, university, or graduate school, including two-year colleges, or vocational schools that lead to an associate degree. A student will not be eligible for a scholarship if he/she is related to a scholarship committee member, the Council President, or an individual contributor to the local funds of the Council. Additional information can be obtained at www.Inesc.org. Application deadline is March 31.

MARYLAND ASSOCIATION OF CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS, INC.

Eligibility requirements for academic scholarships:

The MACPA Educational Foundation provides scholarships to students who are committed to pursuing a career as a CPA. To qualify for this scholarship, you must meet the following eligibility requirements:

- Be a U.S. citizen/Lawful Permanent Resident
- Maryland resident attending a Maryland college or university
- Completed introductory Accounting courses by the time of the award
- Majoring in Accounting, Business, Finance or other related field and committed to obtaining CPA designation
- Must be enrolled in an undergraduate or graduate program that will allow them to achieve the accounting concentration required to sit for the CPA Exam in Maryland
- Demonstrate commitment to pursuing a career as a CPA by joining MACPA as a student member (free).

To submit an application visit the website at macpa.org/students. Application deadline is April 15.

MARYLAND DENTAL HYGIENISTS' ASSOCIATION BERTHA MORGAN SCHOLARSHIP

Amount of award: \$1,000

Student must be a U.S. citizen, resident of Maryland for at least three years, must have a grade point average in the Dental Hygiene program of at least a 3.0 on a 4.0 scale, financial need, S.A.D.H.A. member, must be entering your final year in the Dental Hygiene curriculum, plan to graduate in the spring, and plan to practice in Maryland after graduation. Applications are available by writing to MDHA, c/o Bela Bernstein, RDH, MA; MDHA Awards and Scholarship Chairperson; 10593 Twin Rivers Road; Columbia, MD 21044. Deadline for application is March 1. Information is available online at www.mymdha.com/awards-scholarship.php.



COMMUNITY SCHOLARSHIPS

MARYLAND/DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA SOCIETY FOR RESPIRATORY CARE SCHOLARSHIP IN MEMORY OF KARRIE LIPSCOMB

Applicant must be a student in good standing in the Maryland/District of Columbia area and have completed one semester of a Respiratory Care program. Selection and continuation criteria are according to the following standards: a) financial need as specified by institution's Financial Aid Office and Pell Grant Rating (numerical rating of need); b) applicants must submit a letter of recommendation from a full-time faculty member supporting the academic strengths and potential of the applicant; c) applicant's supportive information (short essay) to include why he/she has selected the field of respiratory care and professional goals; d) documentation of involvement in community service and/or the medical profession is required for continuation of the scholarship; e) overall 3.0 GPA on a 4.0 scale; and f) student must be an AARC (national) member of the professional society to apply. Application and information can be obtained from the Respiratory Therapy Department at Allegany College of Maryland. Visit their website at <http://www.mddsoc.org> for forms and information.

MARYLAND SOCIETY OF ACCOUNTANTS AND TAX PROFESSIONALS

Amount of award: \$2,000 for full-time students & \$1,000 for part-time students

The Maryland Society of Accountants Scholarship Foundation, Inc. was established to provide scholarships to students majoring in accounting. The eligibility criteria are as follows:

- Be a Maryland resident enrolled in an accredited Maryland University, College or Community College.
- Have successfully completed Accounting Principles I and II, with a grade of "B" or better.
- Maintain a grade point average of 3.0 or higher in both accounting and overall.
- Be enrolled in a program with a major in accounting leading to a degree or certificate.

For forms and information, visit the website at <http://www.msascholarships.org>.

MCKAIG—LALITTA NASH MCKAIG FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP

The Lalitta Nash McKaig Foundation offers renewable scholarships ranging from \$3,000 to \$6,000 each.

Applicants must:

- Be a student who is graduating from or has graduated from a high school in one of the following counties: **Bedford County, PA; Somerset County, PA; Mineral County, WV; Hampshire County, WV; Allegany County, MD; Garrett County, MD**
- Plan to enroll in full-time undergraduate or graduate study at an accredited two- or four-year college or university for the entire upcoming academic year

To learn more and apply, visit learnmore.scholarsapply.org/mckaigscholarship. Deadline to apply: February 28th.

NATIONAL FEDERATION OF THE BLIND SCHOLARSHIP

A broad array of scholarships are given to recognize achievement by blind scholars. All applicants for these scholarships must be legally blind and pursuing or planning to pursue a full-time post-secondary source of study in the fall semester, in the United States, except that one scholarship may be given to a full-time employee also attending school part-time. All scholarships are awarded on the basis of academic excellence, service to the community, and financial need. Applications must be received by March 31 and are available by writing to Kate Mendez, Chairman, National Federation of the Blind Scholarship Committee, 200 East Wells Street, Baltimore, Maryland 21230, 410-659-9314; or at their website at www.nfb.org.



NATIONAL FEDERATION OF THE BLIND OF MARYLAND, INC. JOHN T. MCCRAW SCHOLARSHIP

Two scholarships available in the amount of \$4,000. Any legally blind student is eligible to receive a scholarship who is also a legal resident of the State of Maryland, or is pursuing post-secondary studies in the State of Maryland, and will be enrolled as a full-time student at a post-secondary institution. For additional information, visit www.nfbmd.org/scholarship. Deadline for submission is March 31.

PENNSYLVANIA AFL-CIO SCHOLARSHIP ESSAY CONTEST

Awards in three categories—First award at \$2,000, Second award at \$1,000, Third award at \$500

Applicant must write a 1,500-word essay on the subject specified for the category in which you are applying:

1. Category I: Graduating high school seniors.
2. Category II: All post-secondary students.
3. Category III: Affiliated union members attending an accredited institution.

Category topics may change every year. October of every year is when applications are sent. Check the below website for updated information.

Scholarships available exclusively to Union Members and their families. To obtain an application form, contact Carl Dillinger, Education Director, at 717-231-2843; fax 717-238-8541; AFL-CIO web address <http://www.paaficio.org>; or by writing to the following address: Pennsylvania AFL-CIO, 600 N. 2nd Street, Harrisburg, PA 17101-1110. Completed application form and 1,500-word essay must be returned by the end of January.

ROSENZEOG—IRA ROSENZWOG MEMORIAL COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP

The Ira Rosenzweig Memorial College Scholarship is administered by the Epilepsy Foundation – Maryland and offers two scholarships up to \$4,000 per year.

Vision: The recipient of the Ira Rosenzweig Memorial Scholarship will be a student who shows courage when dealing with epilepsy and seizures, a strong commitment to their education, and must reside in Maryland.

Criteria: Awarded to students living with epilepsy for use towards undergraduate tuition at a 2-year college, 4-year college, or a trade/technical school. Students must maintain a 2.5 GPA. Semester grades must be submitted to continue to receive the award.

To learn more and request an application, contact Kira Eyring at 410-916-0984 or visit <https://www.epilepsy.com/events/2023/ira-rosenzweig-memorial-college-scholarship>. Deadline to apply: May 15th.

ROTARY CLUB OF CUMBERLAND SCHOLARSHIP

The Rotary Club of Cumberland, in an effort to support college attendance of students graduating from Cumberland area high schools, will provide six \$1,000 scholarships to students from Allegany, Bishop Walsh, Calvary Christian Academy, Fort Hill, the Center for Career and Technical Education, and Mountain Ridge. These scholarships can be used at any college, including Allegany College of Maryland. Applications are available in the high school guidance office or by calling 301-784-5200. The high school guidance office will forward all applications to the chairman of the Rotary Scholarship Committee by the middle of April.



COMMUNITY SCHOLARSHIPS

THE UMGC COMPLETION SCHOLARSHIP

University of Maryland Global Campus (UMGC) offers Maryland community college graduates the opportunity to earn a bachelor's degree at a significantly reduced cost with the UMGC Completion Scholarship. Students who have earned their associate degree from any Maryland community college can complete a bachelor's degree at UMGC for under \$12,000—an average of just \$199 per credit—which is well below the typical tuition cost for in-state students. Eligibility criteria can be found at umgc.edu/tuition-financial-assistance/scholarships/maryland-completion

WEPCO FEDERAL CREDIT UNION SCHOLARSHIP

Amount of award: \$1,500

Complete a scholarship application form and submit 2 letters of recommendation: one from someone working in the school, and one from someone in your local community. The letters should explain how you embody one of WEPCO's core values. You must be enrolled for the upcoming fall semester. Application forms are available from your guidance counselor or online at www.wepcofcu.com. Application deadline is March 1.

WESTERN MARYLAND HEALTH SYSTEM FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarships are offered by the Western Maryland Health System Foundation to encourage and support the education of future health care professionals. This major scholarships-and-awards program encompasses several categories of potential health care employees for UPMC Western Maryland: current employees, immediate family of current employees and the community at large. The amounts of scholarships vary, but the overall program represents a substantial commitment by the WMHS Foundation to help recipients meet the cost of their health care education. For full details and applications, visit www.wmhsfoundation.com or contact Amanda Morris, WMHS Foundation, at 240-964-8061 or morrisa12@upmc.edu.





TRANSFER
SCHOLARSHIPS

TRANSFER SCHOLARSHIPS

This section provides information on transfer scholarships. Visit the indicated websites for more information. Also contact the Financial Aid Office of each institution to which you plan to apply for additional transfer scholarship information.

State Financial Assistance Programs & Applications

(<http://mhec.maryland.gov/preparing/pages/FinancialAid/descriptions.aspx>) –

The State of Maryland provides a listing of financial aid and scholarships. The list includes merit-based scholarships, career-based scholarships, service obligation scholarships, and unique population scholarships.

Barry M. Goldwater Scholarship (<https://goldwater.scholarsapply.org>) –

The Barry M. Goldwater Scholarship and Excellence in Education Program was established by Congress in 1986 to honor Senator Barry M. Goldwater, who served his country for 56 years as a soldier and statesman, including 30 years of service in the U.S. Senate. The purpose of the Foundation is to provide a continuing source of highly qualified scientists, mathematicians, and engineers by awarding scholarships to college students who intend to pursue careers in these fields.

Boren Scholarship (<http://www.borenawards.org>) –

This scholarship provides support for U.S. undergraduates to study abroad.

Frederick Douglass Scholarship (formerly Transfer Academic Excellence Scholarship)

(<https://admissions.umd.edu/finance/transfer-merit-scholarships>) –

The University of Maryland, College Park offers scholarships for transfer students. This highly competitive scholarship awards full or partial tuition for up to four consecutive semesters to especially talented students. Applicants must be Maryland residents who are transferring from a Maryland community college.

Frostburg State University Allegany County Opportunity Scholarship

(https://www.frostburg.edu/_files/files/admissions-and-cost/faid/scholarship_book.pdf) –

Students who have been a resident of Allegany County for a minimum of three years and have been admitted to FSU, have submitted the FAFSA by March 1, and have a cumulative grade point average of a 3.0 or higher may be eligible for up to \$1,000 per year.

Frostburg State University Scholarships

(https://www.frostburg.edu/_files/files/admissions-and-cost/faid/scholarship_book.pdf) –

Frostburg State University offers a variety of institutional and departmental scholarships. The amounts of these awards vary, and each has its own set of requirements that a student must meet in order to be eligible. Several scholarships are for transfer students only and a few are specifically for Allegany College of Maryland transfer students.

Frostburg State University Associate Degree Scholars Award for Transfer Students

(https://www.frostburg.edu/_files/files/admissions-and-cost/faid/scholarship_book.pdf) –

Maryland community college graduates who complete a transfer program or selected career program with a 3.0 or higher cumulative grade point average are automatically awarded a scholarship equivalent to half of the in-state tuition at FSU. Call the FSU Admissions Office at 301-687-4201 for more information.

Jack Kent Cooke Foundation Scholarships (<http://www.jkcf.org>) –

The mission of the Jack Kent Cooke Foundation is to help young people of exceptional promise reach their full potential through education. They focus in particular on scholarships for outstanding individuals with financial need.



Maryland 2+2 Transfer Scholarship

(<https://content.govdelivery.com/accounts/MDHEC/bulletins/2203a55>) –

This scholarship is designed to assist and encourage Maryland residents to transfer from Maryland community colleges and to attend a 4-year institution within the State. Students must demonstrate financial need, have completed an associate degree, and have a cumulative average of 2.5 or higher. The amount of the award is based on the student's major.

Teach Grant/Loan Program (<http://studentaid.ed.gov/sa/types/grants-scholarships/teach>) –

The Federal Government recently implemented a TEACH grant program for student preparing to become teachers. Students must meet all qualifications and agree to teach. For those students in the program who do not satisfy the requirements, the grant will be converted to a low interest loan.

University System of Maryland - Regents Scholarships (<https://www.usmd.edu/institutions/FinAid/RegentsScholars>) –

The University System of Maryland offers a Regents Scholarship for Maryland community college students transferring to Maryland public colleges and universities. Merit-based scholarships are available for the following institutions: University of Maryland, Baltimore (Professional Schools); University of Maryland, College Park; Bowie State University; Towson University; University of Maryland Eastern Shore; Coppin State College; Frostburg State University; Salisbury University; University of Baltimore; University of Maryland University College; University of Maryland Baltimore County (UMBC).





OTHER FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AVAILABLE

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- FEDERAL FINANCIAL AID PROGRAMS
 - STATE PROGRAMS: Maryland, Pennsylvania, District of Columbia
 - ALLEGANY COLLEGE OF MARYLAND
Tuition Discounts, Grants and Waivers
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FEDERALLY-FUNDED FINANCIAL AID PROGRAMS

NOTE: Information regarding federal and state financial aid programs is provided in this catalog as a service to the student. The following federal financial aid programs are administered by the Allegany College of Maryland Student Financial Aid Office. They may be contacted regarding any of these programs at 301-784-5213.

The Allegany College of Maryland Student Financial Aid Office participates in most federally-funded programs. More than 89 percent of all enrolled students at ACM receive some form of financial aid. Last year, Allegany College of Maryland disbursed more than \$17 million in funds from local, state, and federal programs.

Students applying for financial aid are considered for all programs for which they are eligible. The amount of the award is based on the financial need of the student. Financial need is the difference between a college's cost of attendance (COA) and your family's ability to contribute to those costs, which is represented by the Student Aid Index (SAI).

Applications for financial aid should be completed as early as possible. The Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) is available by October 1, 2025 for the 2026-2027 award year.

Go to <https://studentaid.gov> to complete and submit your FAFSA.

FEDERAL PELL GRANTS

Provides grants to students of up to \$7,395 for each undergraduate year. Applicants should complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). Federal Pell Grant funds do not have to be repaid.

REQUIREMENTS: Show financial need as determined by the U. S. Department of Education; be a citizen or a permanent resident of the U.S.; be enrolled as a regular student in a certificate or degree-seeking program.

ACM APPLICATION PROCESS: Students must complete the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid), available at <https://studentaid.gov>.

DEADLINE: No deadline exists; however, students are encouraged to apply early. FAFSA processing will begin October 1, 2025, for the 2026-2027 academic year.

FEDERAL SUPPLEMENTAL EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITY GRANT (FSEOG)

Provides grant assistance from \$100 to \$4,000 per academic year of undergraduate study. Available for the fall and spring semesters only. FSEOG funds do not have to be repaid.

REQUIREMENTS: Show exceptional financial need with priority given to Federal Pell Grant recipients; must be a citizen or permanent resident of U.S.; be enrolled as a regular student in a certificate or degree-seeking program for at least 6 credit hours during the fall and/or spring semester. Students taking less than 12 credit hours will have their award prorated based on the actual enrolled credits.

ACM APPLICATION PROCESS: Students must complete the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid), available at <https://studentaid.gov>.

DEADLINE: Apply beginning October 1, 2025, for the 2026-2027 academic year, as funds are very limited.



FEDERAL WORK-STUDY (FWS)

Provides jobs for students with financial need. Current pay rate is \$15.00 per hour; \$17.00 if employed in the America Reads program. All jobs are part-time, ranging from 5 to 25 hours per week. Funds are also available for summer jobs; students must complete the summer work-study application, which is available in the office or on the ACM Financial Aid website.

REQUIREMENTS: Show financial need and sufficient academic excellence to hold a work-study job; be enrolled as a regular student in a certificate or degree-seeking program for at least 6 credit hours during the fall and/or spring semester. For summer positions, students need to be enrolled for Fall classes to work during the summer.

ACM APPLICATION PROCESS: Students must complete the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid), available at <https://studentaid.gov>.

DEADLINE: Apply beginning October 1, 2025, for the 2026-2027 academic year, as funds are very limited.

WILLIAM D. FORD FEDERAL DIRECT SUBSIDIZED LOAN PROGRAM

A low interest loan from the U.S. Department of Education that is based on financial need. Students can borrow up to \$3,500 at the freshman level and \$4,500 at the sophomore level with a maximum of \$23,000 for undergraduate students. The Federal Government deducts an origination fee from the loan proceeds. In addition, the Federal Government pays full interest on the loan while the student is in school; however, interest begins to accrue at the time the student graduates, withdraws or drops below 6 credit hours. Repayment of the principal and interest begins 6 months after the student is no longer enrolled in at least 6 credits.

REQUIREMENTS: Show financial need as determined by the U.S. Department of Education; be a citizen or a permanent resident of the U.S.; be enrolled for 6 or more credits as a regular student in a certificate or degree-seeking program.

ACM APPLICATION PROCESS: Students must complete the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid), available at <https://studentaid.gov>.

DEADLINE: Apply beginning October 1, 2025 for the 2026-2027 academic year.

WILLIAM D. FORD FEDERAL DIRECT UNSUBSIDIZED LOAN PROGRAM

A low interest loan from the U.S. Department of Education that is not based on financial need. Students can borrow up to \$5,500 at the freshman level and \$6,500 at the sophomore level with a maximum amount of \$57,500 for undergraduate students. A student whose parents are unable to borrow PLUS funds can borrow an additional \$4,000. However, unsubsidized loan recipients are responsible for payment of interest during in-school, grace, and deferment periods. The Federal Government deducts an origination fee from the loan proceeds.

REQUIREMENTS: Be a citizen or a permanent resident of the U.S.; be enrolled for 6 or more credits as a regular student in a certificate or degree-seeking program.

ACM APPLICATION PROCESS: Students must complete the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid), available at <https://studentaid.gov>.

DEADLINE: Apply beginning October 1, 2025 for the 2026-2027 academic year.



FEDERALLY-FUNDED FINANCIAL AID PROGRAMS

FEDERAL DIRECT PLUS LOAN PROGRAM (LOANS FOR PARENTS)

This loan program enables parents of dependent students to borrow funds from the U.S. Department of Education to assist with their student's education. Parents may borrow up to the student's estimated cost of attendance minus any financial aid. Repayment usually begins 60 days after the loan is fully disbursed; however, parents can elect to delay repayment on the Parent PLUS loan until 6 months after the dependent student for whom they borrowed ceases at least half-time enrollment.

REQUIREMENTS: Student and Parent must be a citizen or a permanent resident of the U.S.; the student must be enrolled for 6 or more credits as a regular student in a certificate or degree-seeking program.

ACM APPLICATION PROCESS: Students must complete the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid), available at <https://studentaid.gov>. In addition, the parent applying must do so online at <https://studentaid.gov/plus-app>

DEADLINE: Apply beginning October 1, 2025 for the 2026-2027 academic year. Parents should complete the Parent Loan paperwork before August 1, 2026 to ensure award is confirmed before classes begin.

VETERANS AND DEPENDENTS OF VETERANS BENEFITS

Contact Veterans' Affairs Coordinator at Allegany College of Maryland, 301-784-5209, or call (toll free) 1-888-442-4551.

REQUIREMENTS: Veterans, children or spouses of veterans killed or disabled in the line of duty. Vietnam-era veterans. Benefits not automatic; please contact Allegany College of Maryland Veterans' Coordinator.

APPLICATION: Apply through ACM Veterans' Affairs Office (Registration Office).

DEADLINE: Apply as soon as possible during the year that school entry is planned (preferably well before the school year begins).



STATE-FUNDED FINANCIAL AID PROGRAMS FOR UNDERGRADUATES

MARYLAND:

The programs listed in this section are administered by the Maryland Higher Education Commission Office of Student Assistance.

For information on all Maryland State programs, go to www.mhec.maryland.gov

HOWARD P. RAWLINGS GUARANTEED ACCESS GRANT

Awards are \$400-\$20,000. No repayment.

REQUIREMENTS: High School seniors with unweighted cumulative grade point average of at least 2.5 who have completed a college preparatory program or articulated vocational program. Must be a full-time student, a Maryland resident, and degree-seeking. Family must meet certain income requirements.

APPLICATION: Complete Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) and Guaranteed Access Grant Application. (Available in high school Guidance Office.)

DEADLINE: March 1

HOWARD P. RAWLINGS EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANCE GRANT

Awards are \$400-\$3,000 per year. No repayment. Renewable for up to four years. Student must be full-time.

REQUIREMENTS: Students must demonstrate need, be residents of Maryland, and be degree-seeking.

APPLICATION: Complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).

DEADLINE: March 1

MARYLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE PROMISE SCHOLARSHIP

Awards are made to a Maryland resident attending a community college. Award amounts vary, up to \$5,000 per academic year.

REQUIREMENTS: Students must demonstrate financial need; be residents of Maryland; and be certificate or degree-seeking. Students must be full-time to receive an award. High school seniors must have a 2.3 GPA or higher to be initially eligible, and then maintain a 2.5 GPA or higher to continue receiving the award. Certain family income levels apply. Visit the MHEC website to confirm these.

APPLICATION: Complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) each year by March 1.

DEADLINE: March 1



STATE-FUNDED FINANCIAL AID PROGRAMS

SENATORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Awards are \$400-\$12,617. No repayment. Multiple year awards possible without reapplication.

REQUIREMENTS: Based on financial need. Student must be enrolled at least part-time at the Maryland higher education institution where award is to be used. Must also be degree-seeking. Can be used out-of-state only if student's major is unavailable in Maryland or the applicant is on active duty with the U.S. Military and domiciled in the State.

APPLICATION: Complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). Students should contact the Office of the State Senator for additional application information, as some require an application. Students can call 301-777-5931 to get their State Senator's contact information.

DEADLINE: March 1

HOUSE OF DELEGATES SCHOLARSHIP

Apply to applicant's State Delegate. Awards are \$200-\$11,800. Term of award is from one to four years as decided by the delegate. No repayment. The Board of Elections (301-777-5931) can give Delegates' contact information.

REQUIREMENTS: Must be a resident of the delegate's legislative district; be degree-seeking; and attending full- or part-time at a Maryland college or university. Can be used out-of-state only if student's major is not available in Maryland.

APPLICATION: Apply to your appropriate delegate and complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) by March 1 (February is preferred). Students can call 301-777-5931 to get their State Delegate's contact information.

DEADLINE: March 1

WORKFORCE SHORTAGE STUDENT ASSISTANCE GRANT

Awards are \$2,000 if attending a Maryland community college full-time (\$1,000 if attending part-time).

REQUIREMENTS: These scholarships are given to students who plan on working in critical workforce shortage areas throughout the state of Maryland, as listed on MHEC's website - www.mhec.maryland.gov. Full-time and part-time students are eligible. Students are ranked according to GPA and then by need within each career field. There is a service obligation attached to this award: for each year the grant is received, one year of work in specific employment fields is required.

APPLICATION: Complete the FAFSA and the Workforce Shortage Student Assistance Grant Application.

DEADLINE: FAFSA before March 1; Workforce Shortage Student Assistance Grant Application by July 1 – only available on MHEC website.



TUITION WAIVER FOR FOSTER CARE RECIPIENTS

Foster care students are exempt from paying tuition and mandatory fees.

REQUIREMENTS: Students under the age of 25 who resided in an out-of-home placement in Maryland at the time of graduation from high school or completing the GED, or students who resided in an out-of-home placement in Maryland foster care home on his/her 13th birthday and were then adopted after the 13th birthday. Full-time and part-time students seeking an Associate Degree are eligible.

APPLICATION: Complete the FAFSA each year preferably before March 1 and contact the Student Financial Aid Office to verify the foster care status.

TUITION WAIVER FOR UNACCOMPANIED HOMELESS YOUTH

Unaccompanied Homeless Youth are exempt from paying tuition and mandatory fees.

REQUIREMENTS: Students under the age of 25 who have been declared an unaccompanied homeless youth who is not in the physical custody of a parent or legal guardian. Full-time and part-time students seeking an Associate Degree are eligible. See the MHEC website for additional information on the definition of an unaccompanied homeless youth.

APPLICATION: Complete the FAFSA each year preferably before March 1 and contact the Student Financial Aid Office to verify unaccompanied homeless youth status.

ED CONROY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Up to cost of tuition and mandatory fees; all academic majors are eligible.

REQUIREMENTS: These scholarships are given for college tuition and fees to honor the memory of United States Armed Forces personnel, POWs, state or local public service employees and public safety officers who were killed or disabled in the line of duty, and spouses or children of victims of the September 11, 2001, terrorist attack. Award is not based on financial need.

APPLICATION: Contact the ACM Student Financial Aid Office for application procedures.

DEADLINE: Apply by July 15.

MARYLAND PART-TIME GRANT

Awards are \$200 - \$2,000. Awards and amounts are made by the Director of Student Financial Aid.

REQUIREMENTS: Students must be enrolled 6 to 11 credit hours; be Maryland residents; be degree-seeking; and show financial need.

APPLICATION: Complete the FAFSA and contact the Student Financial Aid Office to ask to be considered.

DEADLINE: March 1

For additional information on these programs or to learn more about other Maryland State financial aid contact MHEC at 410-767-3300 or 1-800-974-0203 or visit their website at www.mhec.maryland.gov.



STATE-FUNDED FINANCIAL AID PROGRAMS

PENNSYLVANIA:

Provides grant funds to eligible Pennsylvania residents who are enrolled for at least 6 credit hours per semester at the Cumberland campus or the Bedford County campus in a degree program. (Certificate programs are not eligible.)

REQUIREMENTS: Students must demonstrate need and be residents of Pennsylvania. Must be enrolled at least part-time (6 credit hours) in an approved undergraduate program of study at the Bedford County campus or the Cumberland campus. At least 50% of total credits per semester must be earned through classroom instruction.

APPLICATION: Complete Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) and the PA State Grant application at www.pheaa.org.

DEADLINE: May 1.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA:

The programs listed in this section are administered by the District of Columbia's State Education Office. For additional information on the four District of Columbia scholarships, please contact their office at 202-727-2824.

DC COLLEGE ACCESS PROGRAM (DC CAP)

DC-CAP is a non-profit organization working in partnership with the District of Columbia School System to provide counseling and financial assistance to DC residents, for up to \$2,000 per year for five (5) years. DC-CAP is supported entirely by donations and grants from foundations, corporations, and individuals, and is therefore, private funding.

REQUIREMENTS: Student must be a Washington, D.C. resident; must have graduated from a D.C. high school; and must have completed the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). Student must be enrolled in a degree-seeking curriculum, including certificate programs.

APPLICATION: For application procedures, refer the student to 202-783-7933, which is the DC-CAP office.

DC LEVERAGE EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANCE PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM (DC LEAP)

The Leveraging Educational Assistance Partnership (DCLEAP) grant assists qualified students, who demonstrate financial need, in attending eligible Title IV post-secondary educational institutions, on at least a half-time basis. The grants are provided through a collaborative effort between the federal and city governments. The grants are renewable upon the submission of an annual application and are awarded without regard to race, religion, age, sex, or any disability. DCLEAP awards are renewable annually up to four years.

REQUIREMENTS: An eligible student is enrolled at an eligible institution on at least a half-time basis (6 credits or more); enrolled in a degree-granting program; in good academic standing; a U.S. citizen or eligible non-citizen; and domiciled in the District of Columbia at least 12 months prior to applying for DCCTAG for the first time.

AWARD AMOUNT: The maximum award is \$1,500 for each academic year, renewable up to 4 years.

APPLICATION: Student must complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) and the DC ONEAPP, and provide the DCLEAP office with a certified copy of the most recent DC tax return and copies of 2 utility bills.



DC TUITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (DC TAG)

The DC Tuition Assistance Program (DCTAG) was created for the purpose of expanding higher education choices for college-bound residents of the District of Columbia. The award is paid directly to the institution and is equal to the difference between the county and the out-of-state tuition rate (up to \$10,000 per year). There is a lifetime maximum of \$50,000.

REQUIREMENTS: An eligible student is enrolled at an eligible institution on at least a part-time basis (6 credits or more); enrolled in a degree-granting program (including certificate programs); in good academic standing (as defined by the institution); a U.S. citizen or eligible non-citizen; and domiciled in the District of Columbia at least 12 months prior to applying for DCCTAG for the first time.

APPLICATION: Student must complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) and the DC ONEAPP, and provide the DC TAG office with a certified copy of the most recent DC tax return, copies of 2 utility bills, a final high school transcript, and college transcripts for renewal applicants. Student should contact the DC TAG office for other information on how to apply.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA COLLEGE SUCCESS FOUNDATION

The District of Columbia Achievers Program is a partnership of the District of Columbia College Success Foundation and the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation. The program provides for scholarships, mentoring support and college access services to highly motivated, low-income students from six public high schools in Washington, D.C.

REQUIREMENTS: Students must be accepted into college and have a GPA of 2.75 or higher.

AWARD AMOUNT: Approximately \$5,000 per year.

APPLICATION: Application priority dates vary. Students should contact their high school guidance counselor for the application or call 202-207-1800 for additional information.



ALLEGANY COLLEGE OF MARYLAND

TUITION DISCOUNTS, GRANTS AND WAIVERS

STATEWIDE DESIGNATED AND HEALTH MANPOWER SHORTAGE PROGRAMS

Maryland residents from counties other than Allegany who are registered in these eligible programs are charged the out-of-county tuition rate. However, these students may be eligible to receive reimbursement for a portion of the cost difference between the in-county and out-of-county tuition rates. Funding availability for these programs is based on funding from the State of Maryland and is thus subject to change each semester. Some restrictions apply.

The following is a list of the eligible programs:

Statewide Programs

Automotive Service Attendant	Culinary Arts	Hospitality Management
Automotive Technology	Forest Technology	Tree Care Technician

Health Manpower Shortage Programs

Addictions	Medical Laboratory Technology*	Pharmacy Technician
Dental Hygiene*	Medical Laboratory Technology	Phlebotomy/Laboratory Technician
Human Service Associate*	-Biotechnology*	Physical Therapist Assistant*
Massage Therapy*	Nursing*	Practical Nursing*
Medical Assistant*	Nursing Assistant/Geriatric Aide	Respiratory Therapist*
Medical Coding and Billing	Occupational Therapy Assistant*	

*Selective Admission

The list of eligible programs changes frequently for both the Statewide Designated and Health Manpower Shortage Programs. Funding availability for these programs may change each semester. Please contact the Admissions/Registration Office for details and information concerning the current list of eligible academic programs. The Statewide Designated Program must be unavailable at the student's local community college or, if available, the program must be unavailable due to the program meeting or exceeding enrollment capacity. This restriction does not apply to the Health Manpower Shortage Programs.





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Allegany College of Maryland Center for Continuing Education has funds available to assist continuing education students with their tuition for selected programs. Training programs such as Geriatric Aide Training, Child Care Provider Training, welding, and computer training are just a few programs for which tuition assistance is available. The Allegany College of Maryland Foundation will award up to half of the tuition cost for a program, depending on the availability of funds and the number of qualified applicants. For further information, contact Allegany College of Maryland Continuing Education, 301-784-5341.

THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF CUMBERLAND EMPLOYEES' SCHOLARSHIP

Amount to be specified at time of award

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of River Bend Court, LLC, Jane Frazier Village, JFK Apartments, Banneker Gardens, or Queen City Towers
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Must have applied for financial aid, the Work-Study Program at ACM or work at part-time job
- Cannot have been suspended from high school for any type of substance abuse nor can he/she have been convicted for substance abuse within three years of applying for this scholarship
- Award can be used for tuition and/or tuition-related expenses
- Award can be applied to credit courses, Continuing Education programs, and short-term training programs
- Student must be a high school graduate or have a GED
- Application must be made through the Housing Authority of the City of Cumberland
- For more information, call 301-724-6606

LEONARD—KIM AND MARION LEONARD SCHOLARSHIP FOR INTEGRATIVE HEALTH AND AUTHENTIC LEADERSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Resident of Allegany County, MD; Somerset or Bedford County, PA; or Mineral County, WV
- Have at least a 3.25 GPA
- Available to credit or CE students who have demonstrated an interest in integrative health and/or mind-body-wellness medicine and who desire to further develop mind body skills that stress personal awareness, with focus on self-acceptance, compassion, authenticity, and self-responsibility
- Applicants should address what experiences or training they have had in this area, as well as how they plan to take a leadership role that would further the integration of mind-body-wellness skills into their professional career
- Continuing education students should address their commitment to the coursework and their plan to attend a minimum of 80% of the course sessions
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria



MURPHY—GEORGE AND NAOMI MURPHY SCHOLARSHIP

Award varies based on need

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Available for credit and continuing education students
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Continuation of scholarship into second year is possible upon reapplication and proof of having met criteria

PARK PLACE CHURCH WOMEN’S GROUP TRADES SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 per year (\$500 per semester)

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- Resident of Tri-State area (contiguous counties)
- Have at least a 3.0 GPA
- Be a student in the trades through continuing education
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application

REAL ESTATE SCHOLARSHIP

Maximum award up to \$150 to be used toward tuition and/or books and materials

Requirements:

- Award will be made to a student registered in either basic real estate or advanced real estate
- No income requirement
- Priority will be given to those applicants who are most likely to enter the local real estate field

TREVASKIS—MARION AND RICHARD TREVASKIS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Award varies based on need

Requirements:

- Full- or part-time student
- Must be a U.S. citizen/permanent resident
- No residency requirement
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Available for credit and continuing education students



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WILSON SUPPLY/VERYL MORGAN FUND

Award varies based on need

Requirements:

- Continuing Education student
- Resident of Four-State area
- Have at least a 2.0 GPA
- Must be registered for CE Welding Training
- State financial need in essay on scholarship application
- Children of Wilson Supply employees are encouraged to apply

