

HST SCHOLARSHIP NEWSLETTER #6

SAT Test Dates - School Code - 341450

Test Date	Regular Deadline	Late Deadline
May-2	April-3	April-24
June 6	May 8	May 27
Register online at www.collegeboard.org		

ACT Test Dates - School Code - 341450

Test Date	Regular Deadline	Late Deadline
June 13	May 8	May 22
July 18	June 19	June 26
Search for Dallas, NC (Gaston College Test Site) Register online at www.actstudent.org		

Scholarships with April / May / June Deadlines

Bess Chapel UMC / Brad Baxter Scholarship *Discipline:* General *Award:* \$750 *Requirements:* Financial need, work ethic, strong positive character, and high school scholastic performance. *Deadline:* April 10, 2020. Visit:

<https://www.cfgaston.org/Receive/Scholarships.aspx>

Max J. Fowler Scholarship *Discipline:* General *Award:* \$500-\$1,000 *Requirements:* Must be accepted and enrolled at NC State University in the College of Physical and Mathematical Sciences or Engineering program. Award based on community service, school performance, class rank, interest in the arts and financial need. *Deadline:* April 10, 2020.

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Pat. E. Haney Scholarship *Discipline:* General *Award:* \$1,000 *Requirements:* Must be graduating from a public, charter, or private school in Belmont. 3.0 weighted GPA or higher, accepted to an accredited 2 or 4 year college, evidence of participation in school or community extracurricular activities, evidence of initiative, motivation, strong character and leadership, and evidence of financial need. *Deadline:* April 10, 2020. Visit: <https://cfgaston.org/Receive/Scholarships.aspx>

Mildred J. Sadler Scholarship *Discipline:* General *Award:* \$1,000 (renewable up to three terms) *Requirements:* Designed to help African American GCS public school students pursuing a college or grade degree. Awards are based on academics, character, and financial need. *Deadline:* April 10, 2020. Visit: <https://cfgaston.org/Receive/Scholarships.aspx>

Dr. William and Karen Hunter Science Scholarship *Discipline:* Essay *Award:* \$500 *Requirements:* Weighed GPA of 3.5 or higher, accepted into a science program (Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Biochemistry) at an accredited 4 year college (strong consideration to students pursuing Neuroscience), evidence of participation in school or community extracurricular activities, evidence of initiative, motivation, strong character, and leadership, financial need. *Deadline:* April 10, 2020. Visit:

<https://www.cfgaston.org/Receive/Scholarships.aspx>

Tom and Erlene Hogan Scholarship *Discipline:* General *Award:* \$2,000 *Requirements:* Applicants must be an employee of Terrace Ridge Assisted Living and remain an employee while attending school. Must be a legal citizen with 2.5 or better GPA in core subjects and attend a NC college or university. *Deadline:* April 10, 2020. Visit: <https://www.cfgaston.org/Receive/Scholarships.aspx>

Charles R. Ullman & Assoc. Essay Contest *Discipline:* Essay *Award:* 1st-\$2,000 2nd-\$1,000 3rd-\$500 *Requirements:* Be NC high school or college student; read and verify essay contest rules; submit essay *Deadline:* April 15, 2020

Visit: <https://www.charlesullman.com/scholarship-essay-contest/>

Lock Bell Family Scholarship *Discipline:* General *Award:* \$2,000. *Requirements:* Financial need, character, and academic achievement. Priority given to applicants who have participated in the Boys and Girls Club. *Deadline:* April 15, 2020

Visit: <https://www.cfgaston.org/Receive/Scholarships.aspx>

State Employees Association of North Carolina Scholarship Awards *Discipline:* General *Award:* Three separate categories of scholarships are awarded: Category I (based on financial need, school & community activities, character and motivation); Category II (merit based with no consideration of financial need); Category III (not applicable to high school seniors); For possible award amounts contact the SEANC. *Requirements:* Must be the child of a member of SEANC (State Employees Association of North Carolina). State Employees (active or retired) who are not members may join so their student may apply for the scholarships through the local SEANC district. Applicants must apply through the local SEANC district and provide a copy of the FAFSA Student Aid Report **Deadline: April 15, 2020** Contact: Visit www.seanc.org/membership/scholarship/

ThanksUSA Scholarship Program *Discipline:* General *Award:* Up to \$3000 *Requirements:* available to dependent children (24 years old and younger) and spouses of U.S. military service personnel. You must be a full-time undergraduate student attending an accredited college, university, or vocational/ technical school and have a minimum 2.0 GPA. Selection is based on financial need, academic record and demonstrated leadership and participation in school and community activities. Preference will be given to students who are the children or spouses of service personnel killed or injured during active duty. **Deadline: April 15, 2020** Contact: <https://www.thanksusa.org/apply.html>

NPG Essay Scholarship *Discipline:* General *Award:* \$1000-\$2500 *Requirements:* Essay Contest is open to high school seniors who are US citizens or legal permanent residents. You must submit an essay of 500- to 750-words answering the following question: Without critical changes, U.S. population is projected to reach 438 million people in less than 40 years. Explain how this projected growth will negatively affect the United States socially, economically and environmentally. **Deadline: Must be received by April 19, 2020** Visit: <https://www.scholarships.com/financial-aid/college-scholarships/scholarships-by-grade-level/high-school-scholarships/npg-essay-scholarship-contest/>

Student-View Scholarship Program *Discipline:* General *Award:* One \$4,000 scholarship, Two \$1,000 scholarships, & Ten \$500 scholarships. *Requirements:* Open to all students regardless of academic achievement or financial need. Simply complete a 15-25 minute online survey about local colleges. You will then be automatically entered into a random drawing for a scholarship award. **Deadline: April 22, 2020** Visit: <http://www.student-view.com/ScholarshipWmap.html>

Thurgood Marshall College Fund Scholarships *Discipline:* Academic *Award:* The Thurgood Marshall College Fund (TMCf), and JPMorgan Chase & Co. are proud to offer financial assistance to outstanding students attending one of TMCf's 47 publicly-supported Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs) or Predominantly Black Institutions (PBIs). 125 scholars will be selected to receive a scholarship of up to \$2,000 for the 2020-2021 academic school year. Selected students must be in good academic standing but at risk of not returning or graduating from college due to an outstanding financial need, and/or emergency situation that leads to a financial aid crisis. **Deadline: April 27, 2020** More info: <https://tmcf.org/students-alumni/scholarship/tmcf-access-scholarship-program/>

AMVETS Scholarship *Discipline:* General *Award:* Varies *Requirements:* Open to all students in grades 6-12; essay of no more than 500 words: "I Am Proud To Be An American Because.." Essays must be submitted to the local AMVETS post or state department, only 1st place department winners will be submitted to National Headquarters. **Deadline: Postmarked by April 30, 2020** Visit: www.amvets.org/scholarships

American Baptist Financial Aid Program : Scholarship Description (deadlines vary) *Discipline:* The Office of Financial Aid for Studies, American Baptist Home Mission Societies, administers the American Baptist Financial Aid Program that supports college students. *Requirements:* Applicants must be active members of an American Baptist church for at least one year, preparing to enter an accredited institution in the United States or Puerto Rico as a full-time enrollment in an accredited institution in the fall of the application year and must be a U.S. citizen **Deadline: April 30, 2020** <https://abhms.org/ministries/developing-leaders/education-scholarships/financial-aid-for-students/>

Congressional Black Caucus Foundation, Inc. Spouses Education Scholarship *Discipline:* General *Award:* Varies *Requirements:* Planning to enroll in college in the fall. You must have a minimum 2.5 GPA and demonstrate involvement in community service activities to qualify for this award. Open to African American students **Deadline: April 30, 2020** Contact: Visit <https://cbcfinc.academicworks.com/opportunities/468> to apply.

The KIA Great Unknowns Scholarship Award: \$5,000 (16) Requirements: Be U.S. high school seniors or self-schooled—with written proof (and be at least 16 years of age), Plan to enroll in full-time undergraduate study at an accredited two- or four-year college or university in the United States for the entire upcoming academic year, Plan to pursue a degree in one of the following fields: Sciences — Biology, Chemistry, Pre-Medicine, Physics, Applied Sciences, Material Sciences / Technology — Aeronautics, Automotive Sciences, Computer Sciences, Mechanical Sciences, / Technical/Vocational Majors (involving machines, computers, technologies) Engineering — All engineering fields, such as Applied, Chemical, Civil, Electrical, Industrial, Mechanical, etc / Arts — Design, Graphics, Architecture, Fashion, Fine Arts, Studio Arts, Motion Pictures/Television, Entertainment Arts (other design-driven arts will be considered) / Math — Math, Applied Math, Statistics; Have a cumulative of GPA 3.8 on a 4.0 scale (or equivalent) or higher, Demonstrate financial need. Deadline: **April 30, 2020** Visit: <https://learnmore.scholarsapply.org/kia/>

PMI North Carolina Chapter Scholarship *Discipline:* Project Management or related field *Award:* \$2500 *Requirements:* available to students enrolled in or applying for an accredited academic degree program in project management or a related field benefiting from project management. Preference is given to students in the following order: North Carolina residents attending or planning to attend an accredited program; individuals attending or planning to attend an accredited program in North Carolina; students attending or planning to attend an accredited program in the tri-state area of Virginia, North Carolina or South Carolina; and all other students. **Deadline: May 1, 2020** *Contact:* Visit <https://pmief.org/scholarships/scholarship-directory/pmi-north-carolina-chapter-scholarship> to apply.

Miriam S. & William T. Hall, Jr. Foundation Scholarship *Discipline:* Education *Award:* \$2000 per year renewable for four years *Requirements:* Must be a senior in a public high school in Gaston County and must be a US Citizen; must be eligible to graduate by the end of the regular school year; must attend an accredited college or university and pursue a degree in education; **only one student may be nominated per school** *Deadline: May 1, 2020*, to school counselor *Contact:* Visit www.GastonCountyScholarships.com or click the **More Information** to download a copy of the application.

April Deadline- extended to May 1, 2020 Rotary 4 Way Test Scholarship *Discipline:* General; essay *Award:* up to \$1500. *Requirements:* Cumulative Current HS senior in Gaston County, submit an essay on the Rotary 4 way test *Deadline: May 1, 2020* *Contact:* Sharon Heinrich at slh4559@yahoo.com Submit application information to **your school counselor**

James Beard Foundation Scholarship *Discipline:* Culinary Arts *Award:* Varies - several scholarships offered. See website for details. *Requirements:* Strong aptitude, financial need, acceptance to culinary school, 2 references, tax return, specific criteria varies for different scholarships. *Deadline: Opens May 1, 2020* *Contact:* <https://www.jamesbeard.org/scholarships>

Scholarship Essay Contest Sponsored by NC Estate Planning *Discipline:* General *Award:* \$500-\$2,500 *Requirements:* choose from one of 3 essay topics on the website about legacy and estate planning *Deadline: May 1, 2020* *Contact:* <https://ncestateplanning.com/scholarship/#apply> to apply

AutoAccident.com Scholarship *Discipline:* General *Award:* \$1,000 nonrenewable *Requirements:* HS senior attending college in Fall 2020, 3.0 Grade Point Average. Please make your essay approximately 500 words in length. In your own words, please tell us how you'd make the streets a safer place for everyone and reduce auto accidents. *Deadline: May 1, 2020* *Contact:* <https://www.autoaccident.com/scholarship> to apply

Maison Law Scholarship Program *Discipline:* General *Award:* \$2,000 nonrenewable *Requirements:* Graduating HS senior, 3.0 GPA. Submit an essay of approximately 500 words in the form below telling us "How you would make the streets of your city safer." *Deadline: May 1, 2020* *Contact:* <https://maisonlaw.com/scholarship/> to apply

Safety in NC Scholarship *Discipline:* General *Award:* \$1,000 nonrenewable *Requirements:* NC resident, 3.0 or better GPA, accepted into accredited college; 200-400 essay or 2-3 minute video on how you can contribute to safety; leadership during a time of crisis; describe a time you felt afraid and how you handled it *Deadline: May 1, 2020* *Contact:* <https://www.yourlocalsecurity.com/availability/nc#scholarship> to apply

Charlotte Knights Healthcare Scholarship *Discipline:* Healthcare field *Award:* Three \$1,000 awards *Requirements:* Must be a high school senior; have an unweighted GPA of a 3.3 and a minimum of 1200 SAT/26 ACT; member of at least 1 sports team in HS or related extracurricular activity; heavy involvement in the community/volunteer experience *Deadline:* **May 4, 2020**; Transcript, counselor report form and letter of recommendation must be postmarked by this date. *Contact:* <https://www.milb.com/charlotte-knights/community/scholarship/> to apply

Charlotte Knights STEM Scholarship *Discipline:* STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics) *Award:* Three \$1,000 awards *Requirements:* Must be a HS senior who is planning to major in a STEM area; must have a 3.3 unweighted GPA and a 1200 SAT/26 ACT score; member of 1 sports team in HS or related extracurricular activity; heavy involvement in the community/volunteer experience *Deadline:* **May 4, 2020**; Transcript, counselor form and letter of recommendation must be postmarked by this date *Contact:* <https://www.milb.com/charlotte-knights/community/scholarships> to apply

Law Firm Marketing Scholarship *Discipline:* General/Essay *Award:* \$1,000 nonrenewable *Requirements:* In order to be eligible to apply for the scholarship, applicants must be planning on attending an accredited United States college or university in 2020. This is open to high school seniors who have a 3.0 GPA or higher. To apply, please include a short essay and your info as requested below. Please write a 500ish word article telling us how you would market a personal injury law firm. Alternatively, YouTube videos or other creations will be accepted as well (there's really no right or wrong way to do this). See website for topic/info. *Deadline:* **May 15, 2020** *Contact:* <https://optimizemyfirm.com/community/scholarship/> to apply

North State Law Enforcement Officers Association Scholarship *Discipline:* Criminal Justice *Award:* \$1,000 (one awarded); \$500 (two awarded) *Requirements:* NC Resident, 3.0 unweighted or better GPA, major in Criminal Justice related field, supply Student Aid Report (from FAFSA), no felony/serious misdemeanor convictions, evidence of extracurricular activities, must be younger than 24 to apply. *Deadline:* **May 15** *Contact:* Officer Latoya Baldwin, North State Law Enforcement Officers Association, PO Box 2221, Greensboro, NC 27402 To download the application go to <http://nebula.wsimg.com/04d19f4f3994a860245fd104a9b737c8?AccessKeyId=74ABF7EC225F9A8123BA&disposition=0&alloworigin=1>

Alfred W. Bohanan Scholarship *Discipline:* Trade Degrees *Award:* \$2,500 *Requirements:* Must have a 2.0 in core subjects. Program is designed to help Gaston County students pursuing careers with Trade Degrees (i.e. machining, air conditioning, auto mechanic, construction, electrical, plumbing, nursing, etc.); must attend Gaston College, Cleveland Community College, York Technical College, Central Piedmont Community College or any accredited college or university. Selection criteria based upon character, work ethic and need. *Deadline:* **May 20, 2020** *Contact:* <http://www.cfgaston.org/Receive/Scholarships.aspx#60982-alfred-w-bohanan--scholarship>

B. Davis Scholarship 2020 *Discipline:* general; essay *Award:* \$1,000. *Requirements:* HS student; essay of 1000 words or less: Describe the three characteristics of leadership you value most. Discuss why you believe that these traits are so important and how you feel that they are developed in an individual. *Deadline:* **May 22, 2020** *Contact:* <http://www.studentawardsearch.com/scholarships.htm> to apply.

Gaston County Extension & Community Association Scholarship *Discipline:* General *Award:* \$1,000 *Requirements:* Based on academic achievement and financial need. *Deadline:* May 28, 2020 extended. Visit: <https://gaston.ces.ncsu.edu/2019/12/eca-college-scholarship-applications-now-available/>

Betsy Y. Justus NC TECH Founders Scholarship *Discipline:* engineering or technology *Award:* \$1,000 renewable for 4 years *Requirements:* Application opens mid-April female HS senior; attending an NC college/university; 3.0 unweighted GPA; major in engineering or technology field *Deadline:* **May 31, 2020** ; online application but transcript and recommendation letters must be mailed and **RECEIVED by 5/31** *Contact:* <https://www.nctech.org/about/education-foundation/index.html>

2019-2020 Personal Injury Attorney Scholarship *Discipline:* General; essay *Award:* \$1000 *Requirements:* Planning to attend accredited university in Fall 2020; In order to apply, Please attach with your application a 500+ word essay based on this question: "How would you reduce car accidents in Los Angeles (or your city)? *Deadline:* **May 31, 2020** *Contact:* <https://www.steerslawfirm.com/scholarship/> to apply

Belk Tile Scholarship *Discipline:* General; essay *Award:* \$500 one time award *Requirements:* Must enroll in college Fall 2020; see website for essay topic; one page, approximately 750 words; submit proof of college acceptance and resume' or activity sheet *Deadline:* **May 31, 2020** *Contact:* <https://www.belktile.com/belk-tile-scholarship/> to apply

Boster Scholarship *Discipline:* Biology technology *Award:* \$1,000. *Requirements:* Cumulative 3.0 or better GPA; Applicants must provide proof that they have been accepted into a research position in biology or medical-related lab on a full-time or substantial part-time basis (minimum 9 credit hours; Recfrom healthcare professional *Deadline:* **May 31, 2020** *Contact:* <https://www.bosterbio.com/scholarships> for more information. Submit application information to support@bosterbio.com

TheParkingSpot Scholarship *Discipline:* general; essay *Award:* \$1000 *Requirements:* legal US citizen, current HS student, 3.0 or better GPA, enrolling in a 2 or 4 year post-secondary school in the US in 2020; not a Parking Spot employee or related to employee; see website for essay topic *Deadline:* **May 31, 2020** *Contact:* <https://theparkingspot.com/scholarship> electronically sent to scholarships@theparkingspot.com

Abbott and Fenner Scholarship Program *Discipline:* General/Essay *Award:* \$1,000 one time award *Requirements:* High school Juniors or Seniors; submit a 500-1000 word essay on this topic: Describe your educational career and life goals. Explain your plan for achieving these goals. Include your degree/major, why you selected it and how it will help achieve your goals. *Deadline:* **June 12** *Contact:* scholarships@abbottandfenner.com For application go to <http://www.abbottandfenner.com/scholarships.php>

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Walter J. Travis Memorial Scholarship *Discipline:* landscape design/golf course architecture; golf course turf grass management/golf course superintendent; professional golf management, club professional, or sports journalism with a special interest in golf. *Award:* \$700 (Awards are renewable *Requirements:* Available to full-time undergraduate or graduate students at an accredited two- or four-year college/university who are pursuing a career in landscape design/golf course architecture, golf course turf grass management/golf course superintendent, professional golf management, club professional, or sports journalism with a special interest in golf to be eligible for this award. The following criteria will be used in the evaluation and judging of all applicants: academic record; involvement in golf-related interests and activities; career goals; extracurricular activities, including volunteer work with student/community organizations, participation in sports and community affairs, jobs held, special interests, and hobbies. *Deadline:* **June 15, 2020** *Contact:* <https://travissociety.com/college-scholarship/>

Feldco Windows, Siding and Doors (June deadline) *Discipline:* General/Essay *Award:* \$1,000 one time award *Requirements:* US resident;current undergrad or high school senior, proof of college enrollment required submit 700-1000 word essay on "How has your family contributed to who you are today?" *Deadline:* **June 15, 2020** *Contact:* <https://www.4feldco.com/scholarship/>

Bob R. McGuire Memorial Scholarship (NC Child Support Council Scholarship) *Award:* \$1,000 *Requirements:* The scholarship is available to all North Carolina residents who have been accepted by a North Carolina school of higher learning: a College, University, Community College, or Technical School. In addition, at least one parent must be a member of the NCCSC, or a client of the Child Support Program (through either Child Support Services or Clerk of Court Services). *Deadline:* **June 15, 2020** https://drive.google.com/open?id=13qkHr8ienS3HrQczrpHQ6_PBxHeEnCTT

OppU Achievers Scholarship June Deadline *Discipline:* General *Award:* \$2500. *Requirements:* 3.0 or better cumulative grade point average; Scholarship decision based solely on the essay. **Deadline: June 30** *Contact:* <https://www.oploans.com/scholarship/>

The Chairish "Design Your Future" Scholarship *Discipline:* preference to those pursuing design or engineering-related fields *Award:* \$2500 *Requirements:* Minimum 2.0/4.0 cumulative GPA; Open to graduating high school senior planning to enroll at an accredited two- year, four-year, or technical/vocational college or university in the United States; This scholarship is open to students from all underrepresented backgrounds. Examples of ideal applicants include, but are not limited to, students from racial minorities typically underrepresented in higher education, first-generation college students, women pursuing a degree in a STEM or typically male-dominated industries, students with disabilities, and or similar situations. Essay required **Deadline: June 30, 2020** *Contact:* <https://www.chairish.com/pages/scholarship-application-design-your-future> to apply

Family Travel Forum Teen Travel Writing Scholarship *Discipline:* General *Award:* 1st Place: \$1,000 *Requirements:* Applicants must be ages 13-18 and attending grades 8-12. Travel blogs must be no more than 600 words in length, and the trip must have been taken in the last five years. Entries must include text and be illustrated by at least one photo, digital artwork or video. Travel essays must include practical details so that others can follow in your footsteps. Details should include names of attractions, museums, theme parks, resorts, restaurants, the local beach, etc. with URLs as appropriate. **Deadline: Scholarship Opens May 1st, 2020 scholarship information not posted as of 04/04/20202** *Contact:* https://myfamilytravels.com/Teen_travel_writing for more information

American Legion Baseball Scholarship *Discipline:* General *Award:* \$2,500 *Requirements:* open to graduating high school seniors who play baseball on a team that is affiliated with an American Legion Post. You must be nominated by your team manager or head coach to be eligible for this award. Three letters of recommendation are required. **Deadline: July 15, 2020** *Contact:* https://www.legion.org/documents/baseball/baseball_scholarship.pdf to apply

GEORGE D. ANDREWS ENGINEERING Scholarship *Discipline:* sciences/engineering *Award:* \$3,000 *Requirements:* incoming freshmen accepted to a four-year accredited college or university; must be majoring in a field of engineering or sciences; must be US citizens; 3.25 GPA; essay/letters of recommendation required **Deadline: July 15, 2020** *Contact:* <https://www.ssind.com/scholarship-award-entry-guidelines/>

Driver Education Initiative Award *Discipline:* General *Award:* \$3,000 *Requirements:* Must be currently enrolled in high school or college and complete a 500 word essay (questions to address on website) **Deadline: August 1, 2020** *Contact:* <https://www.dmvedu.org/scholarship/> for more information and to view essay questions

Other Scholarship Resources

Scholarships for students with Disabilities - Students with disabilities and health conditions have barriers that other students do not have. Luckily, many scholarship providers want to help students with disabilities and health conditions (and sometimes their loved ones and caretakers) by offering scholarships open specifically to students like them. Some scholarships are open to all disabilities, while others are specific about their disability or health condition requirement. <https://jlvcollegecounseling.com/scholarships/disability/>

April Scholarships from JLV College Counseling <https://jlvcollegecounseling.com/scholarships/April-scholarships/>

May Scholarships from JLV College Counseling <https://jlvcollegecounseling.com/scholarships/May-scholarships/>

June Scholarships from JLV College Counseling <https://jlvcollegecounseling.com/scholarships/June-scholarships/>

Chegg Monthly Scholarship

This textbook company gives away \$1,000 to a senior each month. Award: \$1,000 To apply: <https://www.chegg.com/scholarships>

Scholarship Resources for Children of Military Veterans - If you are the dependent of a Military Veteran please check out our resources list we created for our students - <http://bit.ly/Scholarships4VeteranDependents>

Scholarship Resources for Prospective Teachers - <http://bit.ly/teachingscholarshipsHST>

RaiseMe (9-12) - FREE way to earn Micro-Scholarships to over 230 Colleges. Students create a FREE account and earn scholarships for their good grades, their involvement in sports and clubs, community service hours, and taking tests like the PSAT. Students can build a Portfolio of their achievements, Follow Colleges, and watch their scholarship earnings pile up! List of Colleges here - <https://www.raise.me/colleges> Create your FREE account here - <https://www.raise.me>

FASTWEB (9-12) - Provides a FREE college and scholarship search. Students create a FREE account and have access to over 1.5 million scholarships. www.fastweb.com

GoingMerry (9-12) - GoingMerry is a new scholarship resource where you can apply to multiple scholarships for FREE. Create an account and it will match you with scholarships, allow you to apply directly, and auto fill your information for each application. To join click here - <https://app.goingmerry.com/c/mathieuc-oz0k4>

If we receive additional scholarships after the newsletter is published, the information will be added to google classroom.

Helpful Instructions

[How to Send College Board College Waivers](#)

[How to Send Transcripts](#)

[How to Send SAT Scores](#)

[How to Send ACT Scores](#)

Important Dates and Information

- AP Exam Information** - <https://apcoronavirusupdates.collegeboard.org/educators/taking-the-exams>
AP Exams - May 11 - May 22
- All Seniors planning to attend College should complete the FAFSA** - FAFSA became available on - October 1, 2019 - <https://fafsa.ed.gov/> Create a FSA ID -<https://studentaid.ed.gov/sa/fafsa/filling-out/fsaid> - Both student & Parent need an ID.
- RDS - Residency Determination Service** - Everyone applying to a NC college will need to complete RDS to get in state tuition or state grants at private colleges. You will use your CFNC username and password to login to RDS. Parents should not create a new CFNC account for you! Complete the residency verification process at www.NCresidency.org and obtain your Residency Certification Number (RCN) before applying. Contact 844-319-3640 or 919-835-2290 for troubleshooting.
- When you receive a Scholarship or Grant** - Please provide your School Counselor with a copy of ANY scholarship or grant you receive, even if it is to a school you don't plan to attend. You can bring in a copy of your award letter, fwd us a copy of the email you received or a screenshot of your award page. We want to keep track of all scholarship and grant money our students receive this year. We will ask you to fill out a google doc later second semester. Thanks for your help!