

START your application for college **Financial Aid** on **October 1st**

Financial Aid

- The 2022-2023 application **opens October 1st**
- Aid may include a grant, which does not need to be paid back, or a low interest Stafford Loan.
- Amounts awarded depend upon family income.

The student applies for

either

FAFSA Free Application for Federal Student Aid

For students who are **U.S. citizens** (parents do not have to be citizens)

Student and one parent create an FSA ID at <https://studentaid.gov/fsa-id/create-account/launch> then start the FAFSA at <https://studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa>

or

WASFA – Washington Application for State Financial Aid

For undocumented individuals and select **non-citizens**

Go to <https://wsac.wa.gov/wasfa>

Scholarships

Applications often request ‘**evidence**’ of good character or dependability. How do I prove *that* you ask? In your letters of recommendation! **Ask** your recommender to address those traits in their letter about you. An employer or a supervisor at your volunteer activity can also write a letter and state that you show up on time, are a hard worker, have a good attitude, etc.

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<p>STILL your TOP scholarship opportunity</p> <p>North Thurston Education Foundation Scholarships</p>	<p>April 15, 2023</p>	<p>Up to 60 awards of at least \$2,000</p> <p>Awarded to River Ridge, North Thurston, and Timberline ONLY</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NO minimum GPA • Skills necessary to succeed in post-high school education • Good citizenship and leadership qualities • Financial need to meet educational goals • Must submit the FAFSA* or WASFA** <p>• One application is used for all scholarships...however...</p> <p>NOTE: While numerous scholarships are general, others have specific parameters. If you 'fit' the parameters below, be sure to include that info. in your application:</p> <p><u>Davies Vocational-Technical Scholarship</u> for those pursuing a vocational or technical career</p> <p><u>John Gott Educational Scholarship</u> for those pursuing a career in education</p> <p><u>Jeannette Hostetter Ford Memorial Scholarship</u> for students studying history or education</p> <p><u>Lisa Corwin Memorial Scholarship</u> for students attending college in the East or Midwest</p> <p><u>Frank Parker Memorial Scholarship</u> for those pursuing a career in math or science</p> <p><u>Charles Callahan Memorial Scholarship</u> for those pursuing a career in education</p>	<p>https://ntef.org/scholarships/</p>
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NEW! <i>Army Engineer Spouse's Club's</i> - Army Engineer Memorial Award -Geraldine K. Morris Award	postmarked by February 28, 2023	Award amount not listed	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be child of a U.S. Army Engineer either retired, active duty, reserves, Nat'l guard. or deceased • Parent must be member of AESC • SAT or ACT score • GKM Award is only for students pursuing a nursing degree or certification 	https://www.armyengineerspouses.org/army-engineer-memorial-awards-aema.html
NEW! Microsoft Disability Scholarship	March 15, 2023	Multiple awards of \$5,000 <i>renewable</i> for up to 3 additional years Awarded nationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum 2.5 GPA • Living with a disability as defined by WHO* whether visual, hearing, mobility, cognitive, speech, or other disability • Will major in engineering, computer science, computer information systems, law, business, or a related field • Demonstrated passion for technology and leadership at school and/or in the community • Financial need 	https://www.microsoft.com/en-us/diversity/programs/microsoftdisabilityscholarship.aspx *World Health Organization's definition of disability: https://www.who.int/health-topics/disability
NEW! Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority Scholarship	Not open yet, keep checking	Several awards of \$500 - \$4,000 awarded in select high schools in Pierce County area	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum 2.7 GPA • An African American student • U.S. citizen 	https://www.zooaka.org/scholarship-application
NEW! Kiwanis Club of North Thurston Scholarship	March 31, 2023	Several awards <i>Amounts not listed</i> Awarded locally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mut be an active member of the RRHS Key Club • Also open to Saint Martin's University students active in CKI 	https://norththurstonkiwanis.portalbuzz.com/Page/47810

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<p>NEW! American Postal Workers Union (APWU)'s E.C. Hallbeck Memorial Scholarship</p>	March 31, 2022	<p>Ten awards of \$2,000 per year for 4 yrs</p> <p>One award for Best Essay \$2,000</p> <p>Awarded regionally</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be a child, grandchild, stepchild, or legally adopted child of a current, retired, or deceased American Postal Workers Union member. Proof of membership required for deceased members • Parent or grandparent must be a full dues paying member or retiree member (or if deceased, was immediately preceding death) 	<p>https://apwu.org/ec-hallbeck-memorial-scholarship</p> <p>NOTE:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Applicants may apply for <i>either</i> the Hallbeck or the Vocational Scholarship (below).
<p>NEW! American Postal Workers Union (APWU)'s Vocational Scholarships</p>	March 31, 2023	<p>Five awards of up to \$3,000</p> <p>One award for Best Essay \$2,000</p> <p>Awarded regionally</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be a child, grandchild, stepchild, or legally adopted child of a current, retired, or deceased American Postal Workers Union member. • Parent or grandparent must be a full dues paying member or retiree member • Must attend a technical, vocational, or community college in a 9-month to 3-year technical program 	<p>https://apwu.org/scholarship-programs</p> <p>NOTE: Applicants may apply for <i>either</i> the Hallbeck (above) or the Vocational Scholarship.</p>
<p>NEW! MG James Ursano Scholarship Program</p>	April 1, 2023	<p>Multiple awards of various amounts Renewable for 3 additional years</p> <p>Awarded nationally</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum 2.0 GPA • Dependent child of an active / retired / deceased U.S. Army soldier; dependents of Army Nat'l Guard or Reserve eligible if soldier is on Title 10 Orders • Based solely on financial need • Must complete the FAFSA* • Must be enrolled in DEERS • Attend college full-time • see site for other eligibility requirements 	<p>https://www.armyemergencyrelief.org/scholarships/child/</p>

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<p>NEW!</p> <p>Anacker Scholarship for the Arts</p>	<p>Not open, keep checking link.</p>	<p>One award of</p> <p style="text-align: center;">\$1,000</p> <p>awarded in Thurston County</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A resident in Thurston County for at least one academic year • Graduate from a high school in Thurston County (or home school) • Will enroll in a course of study focused on the arts with the intent to pursue a career in the arts 	<p>https://www.washingtoncenter.org/creative-connections/anacker-scholarship-for-the-arts/</p>
<p>NEW!</p> <p>Western Washington Native American Merit Award Scholarships</p>	<p>Postmarked by</p> <p>Not open, keep checking link</p>	<p>Up to six awards of</p> <p style="text-align: center;">\$574</p> <p>Awarded in Western WA</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum 2.0 GPA • For Native American students • Will attend a 2- or 4-year college, a tribal college, or vocational/technical school 	<p>http://wwnaec.org/wwnaec-merit-award-scholarships/</p>
<p>NEW!</p> <p>Electronic Security Association Youth Scholarship Program</p>	<p>April 14, 2023</p>	<p>One award of</p> <p style="text-align: center;">\$2,500</p> <p>Awarded in WA</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parent or guardian must be an active duty police officer, firefighter, paramedic, or EMT (public sector) • Award winners in each state will advance to National level to compete for an additional scholarship 	<p>https://esaweb.org/Programs/Youth-Scholarship/</p>
<p>NEW!</p> <p>InfuCare Rx Scholarships Program</p>	<p>May 1, 2023</p>	<p>Number and value of awards not listed</p> <p>Awarded nationally</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum 3.5 GPA for last year only, not cumulative • Have diagnosis of specific chronic illness: MS, MG, CIDP, CVID, IgA deficiency, familial Agammaglobulinemia, Hemophilia A/B, vWD, or rare factor deficiencies 	<p>https://infucarerx.com/scholarships/</p>
<p>NEW!</p> <p><i>American Indian College Fund's</i></p> <p>Full Circle Scholarships for Mainstream & TCU students</p> <p>AND</p> <p>Tribal College Scholarships</p>	<p>Not open keep checking link</p>	<p>Multiple scholarships</p> <p style="text-align: center;">amount not specified</p> <p>Awarded nationally</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum 2.0 GPA - GPA requirement is for Full Circle Scholarships ONLY • Member or descendent of a state or federally recognized tribe or Alaska Native Village • Will attend college full-time 	<p>https://collegefund.org/students/scholarships/</p> <p>Note: Be sure to watch the application walk thru video before you start! And read the Application Tips page</p>

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<p>1890 National Scholars Program <i>Sponsored by the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA)</i></p>	<p>March 15, 2023</p>	<p>Multiple awards of a Full Ride scholarship with full tuition, room & board, fees, books, & summer internships for up to four years Awarded nationally</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum 3.0 GPA • Applied or accepted to a 1890 Land Grant Historical Black Colleges & Universities (HBCU); list of the 19 colleges → • U.S. Citizen • Study for a 4-year degree in Agriculture, Food, Natural Resource Sciences, or related academic disciplines • Demonstrated leadership and community service • Following college graduation will work for the USDA, one year for each year scholarship funds are used • Also open to current college freshmen and sophomores 	<p>https://www.usda.gov/partnerships/1890NationalScholars Alabama A&M University Alcorn State University, Mississippi Central State University, Ohio Delaware State University Florida A&M University Fort Valley State University, Georgia Kentucky State University Langston University, Oklahoma Lincoln University, Missouri North Carolina A&T State University Prairie View A&M University, Texas South Carolina State University Southern University, Louisiana Tennessee State University Tuskegee University, Alabama University of Arkansas Pine Bluff University of Maryland Eastern Shore Virginia State University West Virginia State University</p>
<p>Gordon A. Rich Memorial Foundation Scholarship</p>	<p>February 16, 2023</p>	<p>Up to seven awards of \$50,000 \$12,500 each year for 4 years Awarded nationally</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum 3.5 GPA and in top 20% of graduating class • Must be a dependent child of someone working full-time in the financial services industry (types of jobs listed on site) • Financial need • U.S. citizen or legal resident 	<p>http://www.gordonrich.org/html/req.html</p>

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Zonta Club of Olympia Young Women in Public Affairs Scholarship	Not open keep checking link	Twelve awards, 1 -Local - \$1,000 1 - District - \$1,000 10 - International - \$5,000 Awarded locally, district-wide, and internationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> For young women ages 16*-19 in high school or college (*must attend college in fall '22) Will pursue college program in public policy making, government, and volunteer positions Active commitment to volunteerism Experience in local government, student government, or workplace leadership (paid or unpaid) <p>NOTE: use <i>recommendation forms in application</i>, NOT the typical letters from teachers, etc.</p>	https://sites.google.com/view/zontaolympia/what-we-do/scholarships?authuser=0 NOTE: Select the option to open in Google Docs for the fillable form
The Links Scholarship	February 13, 2023	Multiple scholarships of \$750 – \$1,500 Awarded in greater Puget Sound area	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minimum 2.7 GPA U.S. Citizen of African descent Request official transcript from <i>Parchment</i> be sent ASAP (see instruction on application) 	https://tacomalinksinc.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/12/2023_Tacoma_WA_Links_Scholarship_Application.pdf
Washington State Employees Credit Union (WSECU)	February 13, 2023	Up to 38 awards of \$2,000 for 2-year and technical/vocational colleges/schools \$3,000 for 4-year colleges Awarded in WA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must be a member at WSECU – you can open an account with just \$5.00 Demonstrate financial need Also open to current college and graduate students 	Join WSECU at https://wsecu.org/about-us Apply for scholarship at https://wsecu.org/scholarships

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Hispanic Scholarship Fund	February 15, 2023	Numerous awards between \$500 - \$5,000 Awarded nationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum 3.0 GPA • For students of Hispanic heritage • Will enroll full-time in non-profit 4-year college • Submit the FAFSA* or WASFA** • Open to U.S. citizens, DACA recipients, and permanent legal residents • No upper age limit; also open to graduate students 	https://www.hsf.net/scholarship
Heroes' Legacy Scholarship	February 15, 2023	Multiple awards, Amount to be determined, can be renewed for three additional years Awarded nationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum 3.0 GPA • Unmarried dependent of a service member in any service who possess an unexpired military ID card and is under age 23 • Has parent who, after September 11, 2001 <u>and</u> while serving on active duty either, <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -died, -became 100% disabled, or -is receiving TSGLI • Will attend college full-time • Open to current college students with minimum 2.5 GPA 	https://fisherhouse.org/programs/scholarship-programs/heroes-legacy-scholarship/

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ACPE – American Association of Computer Professionals	March 15, 2023	Up to five awards of \$2,000 Awarded in WA & OR	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Actively involved in the innovative use of technology during high school and can demonstrate their work through a project (see site for examples) Planning to pursue studies in a technology-related field 	https://acpenw.org/acpe-is-now-accepting-student-scholarship-applications-for-2023/
Vegetarian Resource Group Scholarships	February 20, 2023	Three awards 1 - \$10,000 2 - \$5,000 Awarded nationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students has promoted vegetarianism in school and/or community Has shown compassion, courage, and a strong commitment to promoting a peaceful world through a vegetarian diet/lifestyle 	http://www.vrg.org/student/scholar.htm
BECU Foundation Scholarships	February 7, 2023	At least 25 awards of \$2,500 <i>renewable for 1 year</i> Awarded to BECU Members	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Selection based on commitment to community service and leadership potential Have a BECU account in your name Also open to current college students 	Set up an account at https://www.becu.org/members-matter/about-membership/Membership Scholarship application: https://www.becu.org/members-matter/community-involvement/scholarships
Red Thread Fellowship Program	Not open keep checking link	Several awards of \$1,000 plus a year-long mentorship Awarded internationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No minimum GPA For women of an international background, including: international students, immigrants, and American-born daughters of immigrants No U.S. citizenship or residency requirement <p>NOTE: Recommenders use <u>online</u> form</p>	https://redthreadwomen.org/about/apply/apply/
KnowBe4 Women in Cybersecurity	January 13, 2023	One award of \$10,000 and (ISC)2 certification package plus up to \$3,000 for campus housing Awarded annually	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minimum 3.0 GPA For female-identifying students Plan to pursue a degree with a focus on cybersecurity or similar U.S. citizen or permanent resident 	https://www.knowbe4.com/careers/scholarships

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Soroptimist International of Olympia - Steps in Opportunity Tech Award	Not open keep checking back	One award of up to \$500 Awarded locally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> For female-identifying students Financial need Award to be spent on technology needs (e.g., a laptop), for post-high school education 	https://www.soroptimistolympia.org/who-we-help.html
American Legion Auxiliary's Children of Warriors National Presidents' Scholarship	March 1, 2023	Three awards of \$5,000 Awarded in each of five regions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must have a minimum of 50 hours of documented & verified community service Daughter, son, grandson, granddaughter, great-granddaughter, or great-grandson of veterans who served in the Armed Forces from April 6, 1917 – November 11, 1918 or any time after December 7, 1941 	https://www.legion-aux.org/Scholarships/Children-of-Warriors
PNACAC Student Scholarship	March 15, 2023	10 awards of \$1,000 Awarded in WA, AK, ID, MT, OR	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minimum 3.0 GPA Will attend college in WA, OR, AK, ID, or MT Also open to current college students attending 2-year college Video essay only 	https://pnacac.memberclicks.net/student-scholarships
Washington State Elks Association Vocational Grant	March 1, 2023	Award amounts not listed Awarded in WA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Will pursue an eligible vocational or technical course of study in a community or technical college after high school U.S. Citizen NOTE: Start early! Many attachment required. 	https://waelks.org/what-we-do/scholarships/
American Legion Eagle Scout of the Year Scholarship	March 1, 2023	Four awards, 3 - \$2,500 1 - \$10,000 Awarded Nationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Be a registered, active member of a Boy Scout Troop Received the Eagle Scout Award Additional details on application 	https://www.legion.org/scholarships/eagle-scout

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American Chemical Society Scholars Program	March 1, 2023	Numerous awards between \$1,000 - \$5,000 Awarded nationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum 3.0 in chemistry or science classes • U.S citizen or permanent U.S. resident • For students who are American Indian, African American, Hispanic/Latino, Native Hawaiian/Alaska native, or multi-racial in these ethnicities • Must major in chemistry or chemistry-related field (see site) and pursue a career in one of the listed fields • Financial need as determined by the FAFSA • Also open to current college students 	https://www.acs.org/content/acs/en/education/acs-scholars.html
Beauty & Wellness Professionals Scholarship	March 1, 2023	Two scholarship periods annually each awarding \$2,500 Awarded nationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Will major/specialize in one of the programs listed on the site • Part-time students may apply • No GPA, financial need, transcripts required • Open to legal residents and eligible non-citizens, incl. DACA recipients • Students may apply during both scholarship periods • Also open to current students in one of these programs 	https://www.beautyschoolsdirectory.com/cosmetology-school-scholarships
Washington State School Retiree's Association's Robert J. Handy & Foundation Scholarships	postmarked by March 1, 2023	Eight awards of \$2,500 Eight awards of \$1,500 16 awards of \$900	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum 3.0 GPA • Plan to pursue a career in the "field of education," earning a degree as a teacher, counselor, speech therapist, occupational therapist, or psychologist <p>NOTES:</p>	https://wssra.org/index.php/foundation/scholarships/scholarship-application-pg1

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<p>Washington State School Retirees' Association's Gene Forrester Scholarships</p> <p><i>College Specific:</i> Washington State University</p>	<p>postmarked by March 1, 2023</p>	<p>Two awards of</p> <p>\$2,000</p> <p>Awarded to WSU student</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minimum 3.0 GPA Major in Agricultural Education at Washington State University 	<p>https://wssra.org/index.php/foundation/scholarships/gene-forrester-memorial-scholarship-info</p>
<p>Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. Scholarship</p>	<p>Not open keep checking C&CC</p>	<p>Unknown # of awards, minimum</p> <p>\$500</p> <p>Awarded in Thurston, Pierce, and So. King Counties</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minimum 3.0 GPA Of African American origin Attend 4-year college <i>or</i> start at 2-year college with intent to <i>transfer</i> and receive a baccalaureate degree 	<p>Paper applications available in the College & Career Center</p>
<p>Seattle Foundation's Atsuhiko Tateuchi Memorial Scholarship – College and Graduate Program</p>	<p>Not open keep checking link</p>	<p>Multiple awards of</p> <p>\$5,000</p> <p>renewable up to three additional years</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minimum 3.0 GPA Preference given to students of Japanese or other Asian ancestry, including multi-ethnic Asians For middle-income families that demonstrate financial need 	<p>https://seattlefoundation.smapply.org/pr og/tateuchi/</p>

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		Awarded in WA, CA, OR, HI, and AK	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resident of WA, CA, OR, HI, or AK Also open to current college and graduate students 	
Seattle Foundation's Atsuhiko Tateuchi Memorial Scholarship – Vocational and Trade Program	Not open keep checking link	<p>Multiple awards of</p> <p>\$5,000 renewable up to three additional years</p> <p>Awarded in WA, CA, OR, HI, and AK</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> For students pursuing a vocational or trade degree or certification, NOT for students pursuing an Associate's degree who intend to transfer to a 4-year college Preference given to students of Japanese or other Asian ancestry, including multi-ethnic Asians Resident of WA, CA, OR, HI, or AK 	https://seattlefoundation.smapply.org/pr og/tateuchi_vocational/
American Welding Society Scholarships	March 1, 2023	<p>At the National level, 60 - \$2,000 - \$6,000</p> <p>At the District level, 4 - \$2,000</p> <p>At the Section level, multiple awards of \$1,000 – \$3,000</p> <p>Awarded nationally</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Eligibility requirements vary at each level; see site for details 	https://www.aws.org/foundation/page/scholarships
American Indian Endowed Scholarship	March 1, 2023	<p>15 awards of</p> <p>\$500 - \$2,000 renewable for 4 additional years</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> For Washington State residents with close cultural ties to an in-state American Indian tribe or community Intend to use education to benefit Washington's American Indian community Enroll full-time by fall 2022 at a participating college in Washington Demonstrated financial need per FAFSA* 	https://wsac.wa.gov/american-indian-endowed-scholarship

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		Awarded in WA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cannot pursue degree in theology 	
Seattle Foundation's Patricia Fisher Endowed Scholarships	not open, check link	Several awards between \$500 - \$2,500 Awarded in WA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> For students of African American descent Will pursue a career in communications, including print and photo, and broadcast, multimedia, and online journalism Will attend college full-time Demonstrate financial need Also open to current college students 	https://seattlefoundation.smapply.org/pr og/patricia_fisher_endowed_scholarship/
UCB Family Epilepsy Scholarships	not open keep checking link	33 awards, 30 - \$5,000 3 - \$10,000 Awarded nationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No GPA requirement or financial need For people diagnosed by a physician with epilepsy, their family members, or caregivers who are pursuing higher education Legal U.S. resident 	https://www.ucbepilepsyscholarship.com /program-details
College Specific Centralia College Scholarships	April 15, 2023	Numerous awards of varying amounts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Awarded to students who have applied and will attend full-time in fall '22 	http://www.centralia.edu/funding/scholarships.aspx
College Specific Central Washington University Scholarships	March 1, 2023	Over 320 awards of varying amounts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Awarded to students who have applied and will attend in fall '22 	http://www.cwu.edu/scholarships/

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Foundation 649 Scholarship	April 15, 2023	Five awards of \$4,000 \$1,000 per year for four years Awarded nationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify as Asian American or Pacific Islander Will attend college full-time Open to U.S. citizens, residents, or foreign nationals Demonstrated financial need; complete the FAFSA* or WASFA** and submit the page showing "EFC" 	https://foundation649.com/
Washington State Opportunity Scholarship - Baccalaureate	February 28, 2023	Appx 1,800 awards of up to \$22,500 Awarded in WA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minimum GPA 2.75 For low to middle income families (see eligible family income on site) For students pursuing a 4-year degree Must major in one of 152+ listed college majors in STEM and health care fields U.S. Citizen or Resident Must complete FAFSA* or WASFA** Also open to current college students 	https://www.waopportunitiescholarship.org/students/applicants/baccalaureate list of eligible majors: https://www.waopportunitiescholarship.org/baccalaureate-eligible-majors-list/
Cancer Unwrapped Writing Contest	March 3, 2023	Up to 23 awards of \$1,000 awarded nationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open to 9-12 graders Essay not to exceed 1,500 words about your experience with cancer, whether that struggle is your own or that of a loved one or friend. <p>NOTE: Read the past winning essays and follow their tips and tools for writing!!</p>	http://cancerpathways.org/programs/cancer-unwrapped/
United Food and Commercial Workers International Union (UFCW) 21 Scholarship	March 3, 2023	14 scholarships from \$2,000 - \$4,000 Awarded nationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Be a member or a dependent, stepchild, spouse, or domestic partner of a UFCW member in good standing Will attend college full-time Eligibility differs between scholarships 	https://www.ufcw21.org/scholarship

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Ewing C. Kelly Scholarship	<i>postmarked by</i> March 10, 2023	Over 50 awards of \$2,500 Awarded in WA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> U.S. Citizen or Green Card holder NOTE: ONLY IF the college you plan to attend requires an SAT or ACT, will you need certain scores for this scholarship; see site <p>NOTE: This is a lengthy application, BUT worth the effort as <i>many</i> students will not be willing to do the work. Better odds for you. A '21 Ridge graduate earned one!</p>	https://kellyfoundationwashington.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/08/
Religious Liberty Essay Scholarship Contest	March 17, 2023	Grand prize \$2,000 and a trip for two to Washington DC (Covid-19 dependent) 2 nd Prize \$1,000 3 rd Prize \$500	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> NO requirements regarding GPA, faith, after school activities, or clubs Essay only Also open to juniors 	https://bjconline.org/contest/
NSHSS' Foundation Earth Day Awards	March 15, 2023	10 awards of \$500 Awarded internationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minimum 3.0 GPA Open to U.S. and international students 	https://www.nshss.org/scholarships/s/nshss-foundation-earth-day-awards/
Horatio Alger Association <i>National</i> Scholarship	March 15, 2023	106 awards of \$25,000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minimum 2.0 GPA For JUNIORS only For students who have faced and overcome great obstacles in their lives Family income not to exceed \$55,000 AGI on 2020 tax return 	https://scholars.horatioalger.org/about-our-scholarship-programs/national-scholarships/

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		Awarded nationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Exhibit strong commitment to pursue a 4-year degree (okay to start at a 2-yr college) U.S. Citizen 	
Horatio Alger Association <i>State</i> Scholarship	March 15, 2023	Multiple awards of \$10,000 Awarded in WA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minimum 2.0 GPA For JUNIORS only Family income not to exceed \$55,000 AGI on 2020 tax return Have shown integrity and perseverance in overcoming adversity U.S. Citizen 	https://scholars.horatioalger.org/about-our-scholarship-programs/state-scholarships/
Horatio Alger Association <i>Targeted</i> Scholarships	March 15, 2023	Multiple awards of \$10,000 - \$50,000* Awarded nationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Each scholarship has criteria that must be met; most are for a specific college. Minimum 2.0 GPA For Seniors only Family income not to exceed \$55,000 AGI on 2020 tax return Have shown integrity and perseverance in overcoming adversity U.S. Citizen 	https://scholars.horatioalger.org/about-our-scholarship-programs/targeted-scholarships/
Beyond the Boroughs National Scholarship Fund	March 15, 2023	Multiple scholarships of up to \$20,000 Awarded nationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minimum 2.5 GPA Low income household as determined by the FAFSA* - must include information from the "SAR" page of the FAFSA Involvement in extra-curricular activities or a job Also open to current college students 	http://www.beyondtheboroughs.org/the-scholarship/scholarship-requirements/
Women at Microsoft	Not open keep checking	Multiple awards of \$5,000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minimum 3.0 GPA 	https://seattlefoundation.smapply.org/pr og/women_at_microsoft_scholarship/

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		<p>renewable for three additional years</p> <p>Multiple awards of \$2,500</p> <p>Awarded Internationally</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open to students who identify as a women or are non-binary May pursue a STEAM field (science, technology, engineering, arts, math), but more importantly applicant will be engaged in a STEAM industry in their career 	
Lewis-McChord Family Scholarship Fund	Not open keep checking link	<p>Multiple awards of \$500 - \$3,000</p> <p>Awarded within 50-mile radius of JBLM</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minimum 2.5 GPA through first semester of senior year Valid military ID card holder Child of an active duty service member assigned to JBLM <u>OR</u> surviving child of a service member <i>last assigned to</i> JBLM <u>OR</u> surviving child of a service member residing within a 50-mile radius of JBLM <u>OR</u> child of a retired service member residing within a 50-mile radius of JBLM Complete this financial literacy course, and provide certificate of completion: https://fcef.com/educational-programs/ Scholarships also available for current college students and spouses 	<p>https://jblmscholarship.org/</p> <p>NOTE: The scholarship application is 11 pages long, BUT first 7 pages are rules & instructions. Read the ENTIRE application before you start.</p>
NSHSS' Claes Nobel Future Female Leader Scholarship	March 15, 2023	<p>Ten awards of \$1,000</p> <p>Awarded nationally</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minimum 3.5 GPA Open to those identifying as female 	<p>https://www.nshss.org/scholarships/s/claes-nobel-future-female-leader-scholarship/</p>
NEW! Seattle Foundation's	March 15, 2023	<p>Four awards of \$5,000</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minimum 3.3 GPA Of African descent 	<p>https://www.microsoft.com/en-us/diversity/programs/blacks-scholarships.aspx</p>

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Blacks at Microsoft		<p>renewable for three additional years</p> <p>Eight awards of \$5,000 renewable for one additional year</p> <p>15 awards of \$1,000</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pursue a 4-year college degree BUT okay to start at a 2-year college Pursue bachelor's degree in engineering, computer science, computer information systems, or select business programs such as finance, business administration, or marketing Have financial need to attend college Demonstrated passion for technology Demonstrated leadership at school or in the community 	
Ninth Circuit Essay Contest	March 13, 2023	<p>Three awards: \$800, \$500, \$300 Awarded in WA</p> <p>Three awards: * \$3,000, \$1,700, \$1,000 Awarded in states covered by 9th Circuit Court</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Essay and/or video 9th – 12th graders who reside in geographic area of 9th Circuit Court <p>*NOTE: Only the top three essays/video in Washington will be forwarded to the Ninth Circuit contest</p>	https://www.ca9.uscourts.gov/civicscontest/
Better Business Bureau Torch Talk Scholarship	Not open keep checking link	<p>Up to six awards of \$2,000</p> <p>awarded in WA,AK,HI,ID,MT,OR, WY</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minimum 3.0 GPA Attend high school in WA, HI, ID, OR, MT, or western WY Also open to juniors Essay only 	https://app.goingmerry.com/scholarships/bbb-torch-talk-scholarship/7244

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Sub Pop Loser Scholarship	Not open keep checking link	Three awards \$3,000 \$5,000 \$7,000 Awarded in WA & OR	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resident of Washington or Oregon Will attend college full-time Interested in music, creative media, or the arts in some way, BUT are not required to pursue a post-high school education in the arts <p>NOTE: Be sure to read Sub Pop’s definition of “loser”</p>	https://www.subpop.com/scholarship
Washington Indian Gaming Association College Scholarship	Not open keep checking link	Multiple awards from \$900 - \$3,000 Awarded in WA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Enrolled in one of Washington’s 29 federally recognized tribes, or American Indian/Alaska Native students enrolled in a federally recognized tribe Will attend college in WA 	https://www.washingtonindiangaming.org/scholarships/
College Raptor Scholarship Program	Not open keep checking link	Two awards 1 - \$2,500 1 - \$1,000 Awarded nationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Legal resident of U.S. or territory Age 16 or older Will begin college no later than fall ‘23 SAT or ACT test score optional (if no score, other requirements will carry more weight) Essay only 	https://www.collegeraptor.com/2500scholarship/
Cobell Scholarship Academic Year ‘22-‘23	March 31, 2023	Multiple scholarships of up to \$6,000 Awarded nationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> For enrolled members of a U.S. Federally-recognized Tribe Recommended minimum 3.25 GPA Applicants with lower GPAs should consider applying and stating a case for how they intend to improve it. Will pursue a non-vocational degree/certificate Financial need considered; award may be decreased based on need Will attend full-time 	https://cobellscholar.org/ <p>NOTE: Read ALL three of the FAQ links on home page before starting application.</p>

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Separate scholarship open to graduate students 	
Rainier Olympic Nurses Association Scholarship (high school level)	postmarked by March 31, 2023	Number and amounts not specified Awarded regionally, Thurston, Pierce, Mason, Grays Harbor, Kitsap, Jefferson or Clallam Counties n	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minimum 2.5 GPA Planning a career as a Registered Nurse 	https://rainierolympicnurses.org/
TwinStar Community Foundation Scholarship	March 31, 2023	15 awards of \$2,000 awarded in WA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Be a member of TwinStar Credit Union. To become a member, you need to deposit just \$5.00 to open an account. 	For information on opening a teen account, go to https://www.twinstarcu.com/financial-outfitters To apply for the scholarship, go to https://www.twinstarcu.com/content/high-school-scholarship-applications-now-available
OBEE Credit Union	April 1, 2023	7 awards of \$3,000 Awarded in our community to account holders	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must have an OBEE account in your own name opened any time by April 2nd. 	https://www.obee.com/Everyday-Banking/Youth-Services/SCHOLARSHIPS

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Lockheed Martin STEM Scholarship	March 31, 2023	Up to 200 awards of \$10,000 renewable for up to 3 add'l. years totaling \$40,000 Awarded nationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum 2.5 GPA • U.S. Citizen • Will enroll as a full-time student • Majoring or planning to major in: Aerospace Engineering, Computer Engineering, Computer Science, Electrical Engineering, Electrical and Computer Engineering, Industrial Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, or Physics • Demonstrate financial need • Also open to current college students 	https://learnmore.scholarsapply.org/lockheedmartin/
Smart Choices Scholarship	March 31, 2023	15 awards, 3 - \$5,000 12 - \$1,000 Awarded in WA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum 3.0 GPA • Legal resident of WA • Must enroll in college/technical/trade school as a full-time student • No suspensions or disciplinary actions during '21-'22 school year • Cannot have been arrested, charged with or convicted of any crime • Cannot be opposed to dairy product production or practices based on social or personal choice regarding animal welfare or nutritional beliefs* 	https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/QFCXF7Z
Phi Delta Kappa (PDK) Educational Foundation Scholarship	April 3, 2023	Approx. 100 awards \$500 - \$5,000 Some awards are renewable Awarded nationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must pursue a career in education • Can enroll part- or full-time in college • Must be a member of https://www.educatorsrising.org/ <p>NOTE: The \$10 membership fee for high school students <i>can be waived</i> if it poses financial hardship</p>	https://educatorsrising.org/scholarships/

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American Foreign Service Essay Contest	April 3, 2023	Two awards, 1 st prize - \$2,500 + a trip to Wash. D.C. with parents + a Semester at Sea educational voyage Runner up - \$1,250 + full tuition for summer session of NSLCID program Awarded nationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open to 9th – 12th graders Essay only U.S. citizenship required <p>NOTE: Due to Covid-19, some prizes may not be delayed</p>	https://afsa.org/essay-contest
Army Scholarship Foundation	Opens Jan 15, 2023	Multiple awards averaging \$500 - \$2,000 Awarded nationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minimum 2.0 GPA For children of current Army, Army Reserve, or Army National Guard <u>or</u> children of former Army members who rec'd an Honorable or Medical Discharge or who were killed while on active duty Must be under the age of 24 U.S. citizen 	https://armyscholarshipfoundation.org/scholarships/
Edward W. Stimpson Aviation Excellence Award Scholarship	April 14, 2023	One award of \$2,000 Awarded nationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minimum 3.0-GPA Accepted to and enrolling in an institution for an aviation-related degree program (e.g. flight training, aviation mgmt., aerospace engineering, aviation maintenance) 	https://gama.aero/opportunities-in-ga/scholarships/
Gloria Barron Prize for Young Heroes	April 15, 2023	15 awards of \$10,000 Awarded internationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ages 8-18 Permanent resident of U.S. or Canada Initiated, organized, and led an extraordinary service project clearly benefiting people or the planet Project <u>cannot</u> be solely for a school assignment 	https://barronprize.org/apply/

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<i>American Legion's</i> Legacy Scholarship	April 15, 2023	Multiple awards of up to \$20,000 Awarded nationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Can answer yes to <u>one</u> of the below: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> legal parent of mine died while serving on active duty, U.S. military service on or after September 11, 2001. (Does not have to be a death out-of-country or in combat.) legal parent of mine is a Post-9/11 veteran of the U.S. military, who has been given a disability rating of 50% or higher by the Veterans Administration. 	https://www.legion.org/legacy-scholarship-application/eligibility
MyImpact Challenge	April 15, 2023	16 prizes consisting of 1 - \$7,500+ 5 - \$1,250 10 - \$500 Awarded nationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> U.S. citizen or legal resident Open to ages 14-19 in grades 8 – 12 Essay only 	https://billofrightsinstitute.org/my-impact- _____
<i>Washington State Auto Dealers Association's</i> Bright Future Scholarship	Not open keep checking link	Two awards of \$3,000 to high school seniors Three awards of \$3,000 to high school seniors currently employed at a WSADA dealership Awarded in WA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must be enrolling in an automotive technology program in Washington Four additional \$3,000 scholarships open to current students currently enrolled in a post-high school automotive tech. program 	http://www.wsada.org/community/scholarships to print a paper copy create an account here https://washboard.wsac.wa.gov/login.aspx to access an electronic copy

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Elsie Schrader High School Scholarship Washington Federation of State Employees Local 443	April 15, 2023	Three awards: \$800 \$650 \$550 Awarded locally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be a child or ward of a Local 443 member • Must provide proof of enrollment in college/vocational school within 30 days of being granted the award • Demonstrated financial need • Attend college in the U.S. <p>NOTE: Application has its own recommendation form which is sent directly by the recommender</p>	https://wfse.org/wfse-local-443/information/scholarships-and-grants
Barbara O'Neill Public Service Scholarship Washington Federation of State Employees Local 443	April 15, 2023	Two awards of \$1,550 Awarded locally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minimum 3.0 GPA • Be a child or ward of a Local 443 member • Graduate high school in Washington • Provide proof of enrollment in college/vocational school within 30 days of being granted the award • Demonstrated financial need 	https://www.wfse.org/wfse-local-443/information/scholarships-and-grants
<i>Air Force Association's</i> Colonel Aaron Burgstein Memorial Scholarship	April 30, 2023	One award of \$1,000 Awarded nationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For dependents of active duty, retired or prior service member of <i>all branches</i>, reservists or National Guard members • Will pursue a 2- or 4- year college degree 	https://www.afa.org/education/scholarships
Washington State Education and Training Voucher (ETV) for Foster Youth	Continuously OPEN	Multiple awards of \$5,000 Renewable, see site for requirements Awarded in WA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Foster care status - see site for ages ranges, dependency action status, or aged out of system status • Complete FAFSA* or WASFA** on January 1st or as soon as possible thereafter • Live in or plan to live in Washington State 	https://www.dcyf.wa.gov/services/foster-youth/etv

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Air Force Association's Scholarships	April 30, 2023	Numerous awards of Varying amounts Awarded nationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Multiple scholarships on this site for dependents of Air Force or Space Force members 	https://www.afa.org/education/scholarships
NSHSS' 18 Under 18 Award	April 6, 2023	18 awards of \$1,000 Awarded nationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> U.S. resident Will not turn 18 until <i>after</i> June 1, 2022 	https://www.nshss.org/scholarships/s/nshss-18-under-18-award/
Think for Yourself Scholarship	Not open keep checking link	Four awards, 1 - \$5,000 3 - \$1,000 Awarded nationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open to 10th – 12th graders Legal resident of U.S. Essay only (select one of the prompts) Enroll in college or trade school by fall 2026 	https://letgrow.org/think-for-yourself-scholarship
Print and Graphics Scholarship Foundation	May 1, 2023	Multiple awards of \$1,000 - \$5,000 renewable for 3 additional years Awarded nationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minimum 3.0 GPA Enroll in print technology, printing management, publishing, or graphic communications in technical, 2-, or 4-year college Must be a full-time student Also open to current college students 	https://www.pgsgf.org/
Pureland Supply Vocational and Skilled Trade Scholarship	May 1, 2023	One award of \$500 awarded nationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Have been accepted to* an accredited trade school, vocational college, technical school, or community college for the study of trade, craft, or labor occupations. *NOTE: Seniors can apply as soon as enrollment opens for fall '22; check schools' websites 	https://www.purelandsupply.com/t-scholarship.aspx

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American College Foundation - Visionary Scholarship	May 1, 2022	Multiple awards of \$1,000 - 5,000 Awarded nationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> For grades 9 - 12 U.S. citizen or eligible non-citizen <p>NOTE: The application is not online. It will be mailed to you within two weeks from the time you register.</p>	https://americancollegefoundation.org/college-planning-about-us/
River Ridge High School Booster Club Scholarship	May 6, 2022	Two awards of \$500 Awarded to an eligible RRHS senior	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Parent/Guardian must be an active or lifetime member of the RRHS Booster Club or a Board member prior to December 31, 2021 	https://www.nthurston.k12.wa.us/Domain/361
<i>Cobell Scholarship</i> Vocational and Trade	May 30, 2023 <i>or until funding is exhausted</i>	Multiple scholarships of up to \$5,000 Awarded nationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> For enrolled members of a U.S. Federally-recognized Tribe Recommended minimum 2.0 GPA Applicants with lower GPAs should consider applying and stating a case for how they intend to improve it. Will pursue a vocational degree/certificate; if not sure, go to https://www.acteonline.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/02/What_is_a_Credential_71417.pdf Financial need considered; award may be decreased based on need Will attend full-time 	https://cobellscholar.org/ NOTE: Read ALL three of the FAQ links on home page before starting application.

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Huebner Scholarship	May 20, 2023	Multiple awards of \$10,000 (total) \$2,500 paid out <i>each year</i> for 4 years Awarded nationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must be child, grandchild, or great-grandchild of a former member of the 1st Infantry Division who is/was qualified to wear the 1st ID patch (proof required) Males must have registered with the Selective Service – NOTE This can be done while completing the FAFSA! 	https://www.1stid.org/scholarships
Bloodworks Northwest Student Scholarship	quarterly awards check link for info	Awards from \$250 - \$500+ Awarded in Western WA & OR	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minimum age 16 Host a two-week Virtual Drive or a Half-Day Take over * See site for program periods 	https://www.bloodworksnw.org/donate/host-blood-drive/scholarship-drives#scholarship
Angels Wings Thai Scholarship	Not open keep checking link	Awards include \$5,000 for Community/ Technical/college or Trade school \$10,000 for a 4-year college Awarded nationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minimum 3.0 GPA For students of Thai ancestry 	https://www.angelswingsfoundation.org/angels-wings-thai-scholarship2022
<i>College Specific</i> Diversity in Business Scholarship	June 30, 2023	Three awards of \$2,375	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> For historically underrepresented minority students Will attend SPSCC in fall '22 Will contribute to the Thurston County Community in the future 	First , apply to SPSCC https://spscc.edu/ Once the application process is complete Go to https://spscc.edu/scholarships and select "SPSCC Foundation Scholarships" NOTE! You can tailor SPSCC's essay prompt, "Please provide a short essay describing your involvement with or contribution to diversity, equity, and inclusion," to the requirements of this scholarship's prompt which is

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		Thurston County residents who will attend SPSCC		<i>"In your essay, describing your involvement/contribution to diversity, equity, and inclusion in Thurston County, please indicate that you are interested in the Diversity in Business Scholarship. Include, how you plan to contribute to the DEI effort, within Thurston County."</i>
Home Depot Foundation's Path to Pro Scholarship	Next deadline: waiting to open Also offered in June and September	Many awards of \$2,000 Awarded nationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Will enroll in an approved trade-related program at a technical or community college including carpentry, HVAC, plumbing, electrical, and construction management Not for employees or dependents of Home Depot 	https://www.myscholarship.app/home-depot-foundation
NSHSS' James W. Lewis High School Global Leadership Scholarship	August 5, 2023	Two awards of \$5,000 Awarded nationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minimum 3.5 GPA Also open to sophomores & juniors 	https://www.nshss.org/scholarships/s/nshss-james-w-lewis-high-school-global-leader-scholarship/
NSHSS' James W. Lewis High School Global Leader Scholarship	Sept. 22, 2023	Two awards \$5,000 and Awarded nationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minimum 3.5 GPA Also open to juniors and sophomores 	https://www.nshss.org/scholarships/s/clases-nobel-academic-excellence-scholarship/

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The Washboard	Year round	Varies by scholarship	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A free, web-based, nonprofit scholarship search site that <i>sends you</i> scholarships that fit the profile you enter Open to 9th-12th graders 	https://washboard.wsac.wa.gov/login.aspx
<i>Marine Corps Scholarship Foundation's</i> Career & Technical Education Scholarship	Can apply at any time Applications are processed monthly	All eligible applicants will receive an award of \$1,500 - \$10,000 Awarded nationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Child or step-child of Marine or US Navy Corpsman or Chaplain/Religious Programs specialist attached to a Marine unit (see site for specifics) Only for non-degree certification programs or vocational training (see site for approved schools) Minimum 2.0 GPA Family Adjusted Gross Income (AGI) not to exceed \$106,000 	https://www.mcsf.org/
Gotranscript Academic Scholarship Program	Applications accepted year-round	Two awards, fall & spring \$1,000 Awarded nationally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open to seniors once they have applied to and established a college email address, BUT can start working on essay at any time; see site for prompt Open to college freshmen as well 	https://gotranscript.com/scholarship-program
DO-IT Disabilities, Opportunities, Internetworking, and Technology scholarship list	October 8, 2022 through June 1, 2023	Numerous	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Scholarships for students with various disabilities; examples are: mobility, low vision, autism, MS, CF The scholarships are listed in due-date order Includes current college students 	https://www.washington.edu/doi/resources/scholarships

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