



# LRHS Scholarship Bulletin

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This bulletin will be distributed to all seniors who have a second period class periodically throughout the school year. It is not meant to be an all inclusive list of scholarship information. It only contains information on scholarships that we have actually received at the school. It often does not contain college/university specific scholarships, unless it is a college/university scholarship that requires a specific nomination from Leesville. Students are encouraged to look at the websites for the colleges to which they are applying for specific scholarship information.

All three of the scholarships listed require a school nomination. Please follow the directions for each scholarship.

1. **UNC Morehead-Cain Scholarship**- This Scholarship is a full four-year undergraduate merit scholarship to UNC. This award established in 1951 also offers summer opportunities for the approximate 75 students who receive it each year. Morehead nominees must demonstrate all of the following criteria:
  - **Leadership**-Students should possess the capacity to lead and motivate fellow students.
  - **Scholarship**-Student should have a high scholastic ability and extracurricular attainments.
  - **Character**-Morals and values should direct the student's path.
  - **Physical vigor**-Involvement in an organized school or community sport.

Leesville can officially nominate 5 students for consideration. If you would like to apply to be one of the school nominees come to the Student Services Office and pick up an application. Applications are due back to Student Services by **the close of the school day on September 19**. If you are not one of the school nominees, you may apply for the Morehead on your own.

2. **NC State Park Scholarship**-This scholarship was established in 1996 and this year will award approximately 35 four-year full expense scholarships. The criteria for the scholarship are:
  - **Scholarship**-Student has a high record of academic achievement; displays a desire to learn; takes the most challenging courses.
  - **Leadership**- Student has demonstrated leadership in and out of school; takes risks and champions new, original ideas; sets a good example for others
  - **Service**- Student shows concern for others by identifying their needs and working to meet them
  - **Character**- Student has integrity, is honest and conscientious; is resilient when faced with diversity.

Leesville can officially nominate 2 students for consideration. If you would like to apply for the Park, come to the Student Services Office and pick up an application. Applications are due back to Student Services by **the close of the school day on September 19**. If you are not one of the school nominees you may apply on your own.

3. **UNC-Charlotte Levine Scholarship Program**- The program seeks outstanding high school seniors who demonstrate evidence of experience, motivation, and commitment toward the ideals of the Levine Scholars Program. Students must demonstrate a commitment to community service, hold an academic record that reflects a sustained passion for knowledge, and possess a capacity for ethical leadership that beckons fellow students toward a higher standard. Successful candidates will likely have a grade point average of 3.8 – 4.00 (unweighted) and score 1900 – 2400 on the three combined sections of the SAT or 29 – 36 on the ACT composite. Thus, while there are no minimum SAT, ACT or grade point averages to apply for the Levine Scholarship, students must excel academically. To be considered for this scholarship you must be nominated by Leesville. Interested seniors should email their assigned counselor by **October 12**. Detailed information on the scholarship can be found at: <http://levinescholars.uncc.edu>.