

LRHS Scholarship Bulletin December 2022

This bulletin is not meant to be an all-inclusive list of scholarship information. It only contains information on scholarships that we have 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.

Students are also encouraged to visit the comprehensive list of scholarships posted through the Wake County Scholarship Data base which can be found HERE.

1. Burger King Scholars-This scholarship is open to high school seniors and employees of Burger King who plan to further their education. Information can be found HERE. The deadline to apply is December 15.

2. AXA ACHIEVEMENT SCHOLARSHIP

Award is given to seniors who have demonstrated outstanding achievement in school, community or workplace. Applicants must be US citizens or legal resident and plan to enroll full time at a two or four-year college or university. Go <u>HERE</u> to apply. The deadline is December 16.

- 3. The Ron Brown Scholar Program: This program designates African American students as Ron Brown Scholars. Each student will receive \$10,000 annually for four years, for a total of \$40,000, to use at an accredited four-year college or university of their choice within the United States. Selected students excel academically, exhibit exceptional leadership potential, participate in community service activities and demonstrate financial need. Applicants must be a US citizen or hold a permanent resident visa card. The deadline is January 9. Applications may be obtained HERE.
- 4. The North Carolina Hispanic College Fund (NCHCF)-Amount: \$500-2500. Requirements: Scholarship recipients are seniors and recent graduates of North Carolina high schools who are of Hispanic/Latino background. Recipients of a NCHCF scholarship must enroll in a degree program at a community college or a 2 or 4-year college/university and demonstrate a commitment to public service and community development. The application can be found HERE.

<u>Institutional Scholarship/Financial Aid websites</u>

This is not an all-inclusive list of university scholarship websites. If you are interested in scholarships at a university not listed here, please google "[Name of University] Scholarships" and look for information about scholarships for incoming first-year students. If you have questions, please contact the University's Undergraduate Admissions Office directly.

UNC system colleges:

Appalachian State University - https://scholarships.appstate.edu/first-year-students

East Carolina University - https://scholarships.ecu.edu/

Elizabeth City State University - https://www.ecsu.edu/academics/enrollment-management-retention/financial-aid/scholarships.html

Fayetteville State University - https://www.uncfsu.edu/paying-for-college/scholarships-(paying-for-college)
https://www.ncat.edu/admissions/financial-aid/types-of-aid/scholarships/freshmen-scholarships.php

North Carolina Central University - https://www.nccu.edu/ssa/scholarships

North Carolina State University - https://studentservices.ncsu.edu/your-money/financial-aid/types/scholarships/

UNC Asheville - https://www.unca.edu/admission/financial-aid/types-of-aid/scholarships/

UNC Chapel Hill - https://studentaid.unc.edu/incoming/what-aid-is-available/scholarships/

UNC Charlotte - https://ninerscholars.uncc.edu/

UNC Greensboro - https://admissions.uncg.edu/costs-aid/scholarships/

UNC Pembroke - https://www.uncp.edu/admissions/undergraduate-admissions/scholarship-opportunities

UNC School of the Arts - https://www.uncsa.edu/financialaid/types-of-aid.aspx

UNC Wilmington - https://uncw.edu/finaid/scholarships.html

Western Carolina University - https://www.wcu.edu/apply/scholarships/index.aspx

Winston-Salem State - https://www.wssu.edu/admissions/scholarships-and-financial-

aid/scholarships/index.html

Other Colleges:

Elon University - https://www.elon.edu/u/admissions/undergraduate/financial-aid/scholarships/

Duke University - https://financialaid.duke.edu/undergraduate-applicants/other-sources-aid

Peace College - https://www.peace.edu/admissions-aid/costs-scholarships-financial-aid/scholarships-and-awards/

Meredith College - https://www.meredith.edu/financial-assistance/financial-assistance-undergraduate-scholarships/

Shaw University - https://www.shawu.edu/Scholarships/

St. Augustine University - https://www.st-aug.edu/cost-aid/financial-aid/scholarship/

University of South Carolina - https://admission.usc.edu/apply/scholarships/

Wake Forest University - https://financialaid.wfu.edu/merit/

Financial Aid Information

FAFSA FORM-All students applying for any federal financial aid must file the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). You can access this form online at http://www.fafsa.ed.gov/.

FINANCIAL AID COUNSELOR AT LEESVILLE

Ms. Norwood is our Financial Aid Counselor. She is available to assist parents and students with the Federal Financial Aid Process and can assist with the completion of the FAFSA form. Students and parents may email her to set up an in-person or virtual appointment time. Her email address is mnorwood@wcpss.net

STUDENT SERVICES FINANCIAL AID PAGE

Great resources and videos on the FAFSA process: http://leesvillestudentservices.weebly.com/financial-aid.html

SENIOR UPDATES!

- Be sure to complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)
- If you are thinking about dropping a class 2nd semester and having a shortened school day or making a change to your schedule that reduces the rigor level of classes you are taking, be sure to check with the colleges you have applied to and make sure they are okay with you doing this. It may impact your admission status!
- WCPSS will be closed December 22 through January 2. Transcript requests will not be processed during this time and the counselors do not check their email during this time as well. If you need information sent to colleges soon, make sure the request is not during this window of time. You should make requests by December 12.