

# LRHS Scholarship Bulletin

## October 2020

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.

1. **NC State Wilson College of Textiles Scholarships-** These scholarships are directed towards students interested in the areas of engineering, business management, chemistry, polymer chemistry, international studies, design, apparel sourcing, fashion merchandising or retail management. Applicants should have an interest and willingness to enter the Textile degree program. Selection is based upon high academic achievement throughout high school, proven and potential leadership qualities, extracurricular activities, and unique life experiences. Details about the scholarship can be found here: <https://textiles.ncsu.edu/textile-scholarships-apply/> Students can self-endorse for the scholarships but if you wish for the school to endorse you, please email Mr. Greene, [egreene@wcpss.net](mailto:egreene@wcpss.net), by October 26.
2. **Raleigh Elks Most Valuable Student Scholarship-**The Elks National Foundation will award 500 four-year scholarships to the highest-rated applicants. Any high school senior who is a U.S. citizen may apply. Go to [www.elks.org/enf/scholars](http://www.elks.org/enf/scholars) for more information and to apply online. The deadline to apply is November 15.
3. **Scholarships for Hispanic Students-**The North Carolina Society of Hispanic Professionals offers many scholarship and educational opportunities for Hispanic Students. Information can be found by visiting this website: <http://thencshp.org/resources/for-students/scholarships/>
4. **UNC-Chapel Hill Thomas Wolfe Scholarship-** This award is for seniors who have a strong interest in attending UNC-Chapel Hill and pursuing a major in English/Creative Writing. Information on how to apply for this award is available by visiting: <https://englishcomplit.unc.edu/creative-writing/scholarships-and-awards/the-thomas-wolfe-scholarship/> Interested seniors must apply to UNC for admission by October 15 and then apply for the scholarship by November 15
5. **Davidson College - John Montgomery BELK Scholarship-** Belk Scholars are those students whose outstanding intellectual ability and success, leadership experience, commitment to service, and overall personal vigor mark them as those who will accomplish much and contribute most to the Davidson community and in their lives beyond their college years. Davidson awards only eight of these scholarships each year. Leesville may nominate two students for this scholarship. Interested seniors should email Mr. Greene ([egreene@wcpss.net](mailto:egreene@wcpss.net)) a copy of their resume by October 26 to be considered. More information about the scholarship can be found at: <http://www.davidson.edu/admission-and-financial-aid/john-belk-scholarship>
6. **Robertson Scholars Program-**This scholarship is collaboration between UNC Chapel Hill and Duke University. Criteria include high academic standards, leadership potential, public service, and interest in diversity of people and cultures in and outside the USA. Applicants are encouraged to submit materials online at [www.robertsonscholars.org](http://www.robertsonscholars.org). The deadline to apply is November 15.



7. **Ron Brown Scholarship Program**-This national program recognizes and awards scholarships to academically talented, highly motivated African American high school seniors who plan to attend a four-year university. Applicants must exhibit excellence, leadership, commitment to the public and a desire to make a difference. Financial need must exist as well. Go to [www.ronbrown.org](http://www.ronbrown.org) for more details. The application deadline is January 9.
8. **Coca-Cola Scholars**-Each year this program awards 250 merit-based scholarships to seniors across the country. This award is open to any senior. You must apply for this scholarship via the Internet. Go to [www.coca-colascholars.org](http://www.coca-colascholars.org) and follow the instructions. Students will need Leesville's CEEB code, which is 343214. The deadline to apply is October 31.
9. **Horatio Alger Association Scholarship**-This association recognizes students who have demonstrated integrity, perseverance in overcoming adversity, strength of character and financial need. Applicants must have at least a 2.0 GPA and plan to attend either a 2-year or 4-year school. The application is available at: <https://scholars.horatioalger.org/scholarships/> . Deadlines vary dependent on the scholarship.
10. **NC Teaching Fellows**-This program is a competitive merit-based forgivable loans for service programs that provides up to \$8,250 a year for up to four years to highly qualified students committed to teaching special education or a STEM field in a North Carolina High School. Participating colleges are Elon University, Meredith College, NC State University, UNC-Charlotte, and UNC-Chapel Hill. Detailed information can be found here: <https://myapps.northcarolina.edu/ncteachingfellows/>

### Other Resources for Scholarship Information

- <http://www.scholarshipplus.com/wake/>
- [https://www.cfnc.org/paying/school/info\\_schol.jsp](https://www.cfnc.org/paying/school/info_schol.jsp)
- <http://www.fastweb.com/>
- <https://www.reviews.com/best-scholarship-search-platforms/>
- <https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/pay-for-college/grants-scholarships>
- <http://www.petersons.com/college-search/how-to-pay-for-college.aspx>
- <https://www.scholarships.com/>
- <http://www.collegeview.com/financialaid/index.jsp>
- <https://myscholly.com/>
- <https://www.chegg.com/scholarships>

### 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 appointment time. Her email address is [mnorwood@wcpss.net](mailto:mnorwood@wcpss.net)

#### **STUDENT SERVICES FINANCIAL AID PAGE**

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