



## Scholarship Bulletin #16 January

[This information is also available on the scholarship database for Wake County students at [www.scholarshipplus.com/wake](http://www.scholarshipplus.com/wake). Click the “Scholarships” tab at the top of the page, and then click on “Customize Sort.” Select Broughton High School and current month from the drop down menu, sort by source [not date], and submit. See Mr. Rudder in the Guidance Resource Center, Room 1209, for applications not available online.]

### IN-STATE SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIPS

**Eight one-time \$2,500 Light on the Hill Society Scholarships and two renewable \$2,000 Light on the Hill Julius Peppers Scholarship will be awarded to a first-year undergraduate African-American male or female who has been admitted and plans to attend UNC-Chapel Hill beginning fall 2018. Recipients will be selected based on excellent academic achievement, strong community service involvement, outstanding leadership qualities and essay answers. Applications are available online at <https://alumni.unc.edu/light-on-the-hill-society-scholarship/>. . Application deadline: 5pm (EDT), mARCH 3, 2019.**

**The RALEIGH-WAKE CHAPTER OF THE WINSTON-SALEM STATE UNIVERSITY NATIONAL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION awards two (2) \$1,000 scholarships annually to honor and continue the legacy of former chapter members. Each recipient will receive a one-time award for the academic year (\$500.00 per semester) for undergraduate study. Scholarship recipients must achieve a minimum 2.7 grade point average (GPA) the first semester to be awarded the second installment for the second semester. Additionally, the recipient must reside on campus the entire freshman year. Funds are sent to the university and credited to the recipient’s account each semester. Funds must be applied toward tuition and fees. Applicants must also score at least 850 (composite) on the Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT), or 18 on the American College Test (ACT). Applications are available in Wake County high schools’ Student Services Department, or on the web at [www.raleighwakeupssunaa.org](http://www.raleighwakeupssunaa.org). DEADLINE: April 1<sup>st</sup>.**

### TEACHING SCHOLARSHIP

The **Muriel Brown Memorial Scholarship**, established 2017 by the Brown Family to honor the memory of Muriel Brown, retired Wake County Teacher in Early Childhood Education, is offered at **North Carolina Central University**. Applicants must be from Raleigh, have a 2.5+ GPA, SAT or equivalent test score of 900+, and planning to major in education [preferably Early Childhood Education]. Financial need is not the primary criteria in determining award recipients. This scholarship will be renewable annually as long as the recipient maintains a 3.0+ GPA and remains a student at NCCU. Applications are available online at [www.nccuraleighwake.org](http://www.nccuraleighwake.org). Deadline: April 16, 2019.

Bennett Place Support Fund's **William Vatavuk Scholarship**. A \$500 non-renewable scholarship awarded to a high school senior with a 3.0+ GPA planning to study history and/or Education in college. The \$500 monies must be put toward tuition, fees for lab studies, books and notebooks, computers and related media supplies, or other related supplies directly related to the pursuit of the diploma or degree. Three essays, between 400-600 words for each, required. Applications are available online at <http://www.bennettplacehistoricsite.com/education/william-vatavuk-scholarship/> . April 5, 2019 deadline.

**Hammond-Hill Scholarship [Alpha Delta Kappa /Beta Omicron Chapter]**. The local Beta Omicron Chapter of Alpha Delta Kappa is offering a \$1,500 scholarship to a Wake county Public School System senior who plans to enter the field of education. The applicants should return the completed application packet to the Scholarship Committee by March 10th. The recipient will be notified by March 24th. The presentation of the scholarship award will be held on the evening of April 19th. The recipient and/or a family member will need to be present to accept the award. Applications are available in the Guidance Resource Center.

## **SCHOLARSHIPS OFFERED ON A MONTHLY/QUARTERLY BASIS**

**\$1,000 Cappex Easy College Money Scholarship**. Cappex is a very generous provider of college scholarships for students—they offer up to \$50,000 in awards per year! To help you pay for college, Cappex provides an easy scholarship every month. All you have to do is create a Cappex profile and tell us what you do in your free time. Click 'apply' and you may be the next winner of \$1000! Cappex also has some really useful tools for navigating the college admissions process. After all, their slogan is the “college search made simple” which they certainly do. To be eligible for this scholarship, students must be enrolled or planning to enroll in school in the next calendar year. This includes college/university students, community college students, and those pursuing online degrees. As the name of this scholarship suggests, transcripts and GPAs are not considered (nor are recommendations or essays for that matter). The deadline for this Cappex Scholarship is on the last day of the month. The best thing about this program is that it is offered on a monthly basis. If you don't win, try, try again! The application can be found online at <https://www.cappex.com/page/account/quickApply.jsp?scholarshipID=gp&code=HO1060-5->.

**CaptainU \$2,000 Student-Athlete Scholarship**. CaptainU, the leading college sports recruiting platform, is awarding a \$2,000 scholarship every quarter to a top student-athlete looking to play at the next level. In addition to a chance to win a scholarship, you can get noticed by over 16,000 college coaches and use our proven recruiting software to find the college programs that are the right fit for you and make a college team. The \$2,000 CaptainU Student-Athlete Scholarship is open to all student-athletes (Freshmen – Seniors + Junior College) who plan to attend a 4 year college. Applicants must be currently enrolled in a high school or junior college, planning to attend a four-year university, and complete a free Captain U Profile. One student will be selected each quarter. Applications will be judged on profile completeness, recruiting activity on CaptainU, and promotion of CaptainU. Winners will be announced on the Facebook fan page. One entry per person. For more information and to apply, visit <https://www.captainu.com/get-started>. Deadline: August 31, 2017.

**Niche \$2,000 “No Essay” Scholarship**. This monthly scholarship is sponsored by Niche.com, an awesome site for checking out different schools and getting the inside scoop. An important part of the college admissions process is the idea of “fit” and Niche is a great way to see if a school is right for you. This is a super easy scholarship to apply to—it literally should take less than one minute (60 seconds). If you are a student or *will be* a student within the next 12 months then you are eligible to apply. The application simply consists of creating a Niche account. To apply, go online at

[https://colleges.niche.com/scholarship/apply.aspx?&utm\\_source=gPPC&utm\\_medium=Paid%20Search&utm\\_content=NES&utm\\_campaign=gPPC\\_NES\\_Branded&gclid=CI-craLb6c4CFYglgQod1gUJzQ](https://colleges.niche.com/scholarship/apply.aspx?&utm_source=gPPC&utm_medium=Paid%20Search&utm_content=NES&utm_campaign=gPPC_NES_Branded&gclid=CI-craLb6c4CFYglgQod1gUJzQ). The deadline for this scholarship is the last day of each month. Only one entry allowed per person per month. A new winner will be chosen every month.

**No Bull Sports Scholarship.** No Bull Sports is a non-profit organization dedicated to uniting, educating, and empowering young women to reach their full potential. When we set out to build a community of female athletes from all walks of life, a cornerstone of our mission was to offer scholarships to deserving high school girls. No Bull Sports provides smart, trailblazing, talented young women the financial resources they need to achieve their academic and athletic goals. No Bull Sports is excited to award our inaugural scholarship of \$5,000 in December 2016 to a deserving female high school sophomore, junior, or senior to pursue her academic and athletic goals. We will award \$20,000 worth of scholarships over the course of a calendar year; awarded quarterly, each scholarship is worth \$5,000. For more information and to apply, visit <https://nobullsports.org/scholarships>. Deadline: December 1, 2017.

**ScholarshipPoints.com** offers scholarships for high school freshmen, sophomores, juniors and seniors. Members earn scholarship points for doing what they already do online: shopping, reading blogs, playing games, searching the web, taking surveys, and more! The more you do – the more points you earn – the more chances you have at winning a scholarship. ScholarshipPoints is free to join online at <https://www.scholarshippoints.com/>. Deadline: Final day of each month.

**UniversityTutor.com** holds a monthly \$1,000 college scholarship contest. Any student over the age of 16 is eligible and students simply need to submit a 300 word essay responding to that month's essay prompt. The winner is selected each month by UniversityTutor.com personnel.

**Varsity Tutors** holds a monthly \$1,000 college scholarship contest where students write an essay in response to a monthly prompt. Entries are reviewed by Varsity Tutors at the end of the month and one winner is subsequently chosen to receive the \$1,000 college scholarship. Interested students can enter the contest here: <http://www.varsitytutors.com/college-scholarship>

## **NON-SCHOOL SPECIFIC SCHOLARSHIPS**

**Blacks at Microsoft (BAM) Scholarships** are offered to outstanding black high-school seniors who are interested in pursuing careers in technology. High-school seniors of African descent may apply (for example, African American, Caribbean, African, etc). Applicants must plan to pursue a bachelor's degree in engineering, computer science, computer information systems, or a business program such as finance, business administration, or marketing. Students must have a GPA of 3.3 or above and demonstrate financial need. Two scholarships are awarded. Scholarships are renewable up to four years of college. Ideal candidates will have a passion for technology and demonstrate leadership qualities through extracurricular activities at school or volunteer work in their communities. Recipients must attend a four-year college or university in the Fall immediately following high school graduation. The scholarship is offered by Microsoft and is focused on supporting the continued growth and development of black employees at Microsoft Corporation. The deadline for this scholarship is March 8, 2019, and the award amount is usually \$5,000. For more details, visit [www.microsoft.com/en-us/diversity/programs/blacks-scholarships.aspx](http://www.microsoft.com/en-us/diversity/programs/blacks-scholarships.aspx)

National Hook-up of Black Women (NHBW) Scholarships are available to graduating high school seniors who plan to enroll in an accredited college or university in the fall after graduation. Two different scholarships are available. Candidates must have a GPA of 2.75 or above, and be involved in school and community activities; they must be able to demonstrate at least 100 hours of community service. Scholarships include the Dr. Arnita Young Boswell Scholarship, named after Dr. Arnita Young Boswell, a long time social worker and university professor, and the Dr. Frazier Sister-to-Sister Scholarship, named after Dr. Wynetta A. Frazier, who was the Assistant Director of Early Childhood Research and Intervention Programs, Department of Education, University of Illinois, Chicago, Illinois. To apply, candidates must complete and mail an application, along with a 450-500 word essay on the topic of community service. In addition, a recent transcript of grades, photo and two letters of recommendation are required. Applicants for the Dr. Wynetta A. Frazier Scholarship must be 21 years old or older. HBW, Inc. is a non-profit organization dedicated to improving the lives of families through the arts, culture, health wellness, education and human service programs. They are located in Chicago, Illinois. The deadline for this scholarship is February 28, 2019, and the award amount VARIES. For more details, visit [www.nhbwinc.com/scholarship.html](http://www.nhbwinc.com/scholarship.html).

Peter S. Slomiany Scholarship Fund. Administered by the North Carolina Community Foundation. Awarded to Subway employees or children of Subway employees who have worked at least 1,000 hours over the last 12 months. Applicants must have a 2.0+ GPA. For more information, go online at <http://www.nccommunityfoundation.org/Scholarships>. April 10, 2019 deadline.

The Providian Medical Scholarship is offered twice a year and awards a \$500 scholarship. This scholarship is essay-based and deals with the healthcare field. Specifically students are asked to write a 1,500 word essay in response to the following prompt: Describe how medical equipment technology has changed the face of a college course and curriculum. Entries can also include a look toward the future and how this area of study will continue to evolve and advance. The scholarship committee will be assessing essays on originality, research, and quality of essay. Students of all intended majors are welcome to apply, but students interested in a medical or veterinary career are especially encouraged to apply. To be eligible students must be enrolled in high school, be at least 16 years old and must be maintaining a 3.0+ GPA. The application deadline for the Summer Scholarship is June 21, 2019. Completed applications should include: printed copy of your essay with your complete contact information on each page (full name, address, email address and phone number) and a statement or transcript showing your current cumulative GPA (unofficial transcripts are acceptable). Completed applications can be sent to the following address: *ATTN: Providian Medical Scholarship, 30510 Lakeland Blvd., Unit A, Willowick, OH 44095*. To apply, visit <http://www.providianmedical.com/providian-medical-scholarship/>

Sara Scholarship is available to female high school seniors who plan to attend college and are active in golf. The renewable scholarship is awarded to 12 deserving female students each year. Students must have excellent academic skills and demonstrate financial need. The scholarship may be applied toward tuition, room and board, books and other college-related expenses. Students must have a grade point average of 3.1 or above. High school seniors may apply. Applicants do not have to be skilled golfers but must have a strong interest in any capacity of the sport of golf. The scholarship is funded by the Henry & Sara Sheehan Foundation. It was named in honor of their daughter, Sara, who was an educated business woman, an avid golfer and an animal lover who graduated from college in Lake Forest, Illinois. Sara's parents wanted to help other females who, like Sara, believe that golf teaches important qualities such as patience and discipline. The objective of the scholarship is to help other female students of good character attend college. The deadline for this scholarship is April 30, 2019, and the award amount is usually \$2,000. For more details, visit [www.sarascholarship.org](http://www.sarascholarship.org)

**Sharma Family Scholarship Fund.** This scholarship is administered by the North Carolina Community Foundation. Applicants must have a high regard for obtaining an education and the courage to pursue it in spite of limited financial resources; demonstrate leadership, involvement in extracurricular activities, friendship to others, solid work ethics; have a purpose and a plan for being a productive citizen; and demonstrate a commitment to diversity. To apply, visit <http://www.nccommunityfoundation.org/Scholarships>. April 2, 2019 deadline.

Taylor Made Lawns, a locally owned company here in North Carolina, is offering the **Tailor Made Lawns Scholarship** for graduating high school students studying environmental sciences and closely related fields. This scholarship will be for the 2019 fall semester and will be paid directly to the winning candidate for tuition and board. This \$1,000 scholarship will be awarded to a student based on merit and passion for the enhancement of their local and global environment. Candidates will be evaluated according to letters of recommendation, academic records, and their passion for the environment. These qualifications will be demonstrated through faculty references, academic transcripts, SAT/ACT scores, and most importantly, a letter of intent written by the student. Graduating high school students who meet the following criteria are encouraged to apply:

- Current North Carolina resident.
- Currently enrolled, or planning to be enrolled in an accredited college or university in the 2019 fall semester.
- Pursuing studies in environmental engineering, plant sciences, environmental sciences, green technology, and related fields.
- Possesses a GPA of 3.0 or higher.

To apply, submit the following forms online or by mail:

- Completed application form
- Letter of Intent: Showcasing your passion for the environment, intended career path and what inspired you to pursue environmental education.
- 2-3 letters of recommendation from teachers or faculty
- School transcripts or SAT/ ACT scores

For more information and to apply, applicants can visit our scholarship page here-

<https://www.tailormadelawns.com/culture/2019-scholarship-fund>

The deadline to apply is June 30, 2019

**Unigo.com All About Education \$3,000 Scholarship.** Applicants must be U.S. students 13 years of age or older and respond [250 words max] to the question “How will a \$3,000 scholarship for education make a difference in your life?” Apply at <https://www.unigo.com/scholarships/our-scholarships/all-about-education-scholarship>. Deadline: April 30, 2019

**Unigo.com Fifth Month \$1,500 Scholarship.** Applicants must be U.S. students 13 years of age or older and respond [250 words max] to the statement “May is the fifth month of the year. Write a letter to the number five explaining why five is important. Be serious or be funny. Either way, here’s a high five to you for being original.” Apply at [www.scholarshipExperts.com/apply.htx](http://www.scholarshipExperts.com/apply.htx). Deadline: May 31, 2019.

**Unigo Flavor of the Month Scholarship.** Since July is National Ice Cream Month, the folks at Unigo are asking for help picking the “Flavor of the Month“ for their generous scholarship. Applicants must: Be thirteen (13) years of age or older at the time of application; Be legal residents of the fifty (50) United States or the District of Columbia; and Be currently enrolled (or enroll no later than the fall of 2022) in an accredited post-secondary institution of higher education. Students must submit a short 250 word or less essay for the following prompt: *Summer and ice cream go hand-in-hand. In fact, July is National Ice Cream*

*Month, and that's the inspiration behind this award. We think people are very similar to ice cream; some are nutty, others a little exotic, while some are very comforting. If you were an ice cream flavor, which would you be and why?* The award amount is a cool \$1500! The scholarship deadline is July 31, 2019. To apply, visit <https://www.unigo.com/scholarships/our-scholarships/flavor-of-the-month-scholarship>.

**Unigo.com Do-Over \$1,500 Scholarship.** Applicants must be U.S. students 13 years of age or older and respond [250 words max] to the question “If you could get one ‘do-over,’ in life, what would it be and why?” Apply at [www.unigo.com/scholarships/our-scholarships/do-over-scholarship](http://www.unigo.com/scholarships/our-scholarships/do-over-scholarship). Deadline: June 30, 2019.

The United States Air Force awards 4-and 3-year Air Force ROTC Scholarships to seniors who are US citizens and have a 3.0+ GPA plus a SAT of 1100 or ACT of 24. Air Force ROTC scholarship recipients receive a nontaxable monthly stipend ranging from \$300-\$500 and an annual textbook allowance of \$900. Air Force ROTC scholarship are degree-specific and students must major in the field in which they are awarded a scholarship. The scholarship cycle begins early in May [applicant's Junior year in HS] and continues through early December of the applicant's senior year. The application must be submitted online by December 1. For information about AIR Force ROTC and the High School Scholarship Program [HSSP] visit [www.afrotc.com](http://www.afrotc.com).

Worgul Law Firm Scholarship Program is open to students who are accepted to or currently enrolled in an accredited undergraduate college, university, or graduate school in the United States. The scholarship is open to any major. Candidates must have a GPA of 3.0 or above in order to apply. They must also be able to demonstrate a history of outstanding service to the community, a passion for furthering their education, and a strong academic performance. One scholarship will be awarded to a deserving student. Applicants will be asked to complete a 300-500 word essay on the topic of the dangers of drinking and driving, the reasons why people continue to drink and drive, and what actions could be taken to address those reasons. Candidates must submit their essay, along with a completed application, grade transcript, and a letter of recommendation from a faculty or staff member. Worgul Law Firm LLC is a Pittsburgh-based law firm offering legal services that include criminal defense and DUI law to clients throughout the Pittsburgh area. The scholarship money must be applied to tuition costs or other related educational expenses. The deadline for this scholarship is May 31, 2019, and the award amount is usually \$10,000. For more details, visit [www.pittsburghcriminalattorney.com/worgul-law-firm-scholarship/](http://www.pittsburghcriminalattorney.com/worgul-law-firm-scholarship/).

The VFW Auxiliary is proud to offer Young American Creative Patriotic Art Awards for any student in grades 9-12 who is enrolled in a public, private or parochial high school or home study program in the United States. The contest began in 1979 to recognize up-and-coming artists and encourage patriotism in youth. The first-place winner from each state competes for national awards totaling \$21,000. Any student in grades 9-12 who is enrolled in a public, private or parochial high school or home study program in the United States may enter. Applicants do not have to be related to a VFW or VFW Auxiliary member to participate. In order to apply, candidates can download the application form through the given links:

<https://vfwauxiliary.org/wp-content/uploads/Creative-Patriotic-Art-Form-Fillable-For-Website.pdf>. The deadline for the receipt of applications is March 31, 2019.

**Link for More Information:**

<https://vfwauxiliary.org/scholarships/young-american-creative-patriotic-art-contest/>

**Many resources are out there to help find ways to pay for college. Some Web sites worth a visit include:**  
Log onto [www.cfnc.org](http://www.cfnc.org). Select Dark Green “Pay” tab. Click on Grants & Scholarships. Scroll down to “Tools.” Click on “Scholarship Search.” Search by Program Basis [Need Based, Merit Based, Other Based] or Program Type [Scholarship & Grants, Scholarships & Loans, Other].

[www.collegeboard.org](http://www.collegeboard.org) – Covers everything: all U.S. colleges, PSAT & SAT, test prep

[www.fastweb.com](http://www.fastweb.com) – Free scholarship search

[www.college-scholarships.com/free\\_scholarship\\_searches.htm](http://www.college-scholarships.com/free_scholarship_searches.htm) - lists and links to more than 60 no-cost scholarship websites

[www.meritaid.com](http://www.meritaid.com) – Scholarship search

[www.schoolsoup.com](http://www.schoolsoup.com) – Free scholarship search

[www.studentaid.ed.gov](http://www.studentaid.ed.gov) – U.S. Department of Education’s site for free information on funding post-secondary school education

[www.finaid.org](http://www.finaid.org) – Guide to financial aid

[http://youth.foundationcenter.org/youth\\_scholarships.html](http://youth.foundationcenter.org/youth_scholarships.html) - Scholarships for youth philanthropy & community service

[www.uncf.org](http://www.uncf.org) – United Negro College Fund [Click on “For Students”]

<http://www.latinocollegedollars.org> – Scholarships for Latino students

<http://www.maldef.org/pdf/Scholarships.pdf> - Mexican American Legal Defense & Educational Fund