

# 2016 - 2017 Scholarships & Student Opportunities

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	September 1	<b>Scholastic Art and Writing Scholarship</b> - Applications can be found by going to: <a href="https://www.studentscholarships.org/scholarship/10927/scholastic_art_and_writing_awards_scholarship.php">https://www.studentscholarships.org/scholarship/10927/scholastic_art_and_writing_awards_scholarship.php</a>
	September 21	<b>Morehead-Cain Scholarship</b> - For UNC Chapel Hill - a highly prestigious and competitive scholarship based on the four criteria of Scholarship, Leadership, Moral Force of Character, and Physical Vigor. If interested in applying for this scholarship, please see Mrs. Robinette in guidance for details and application materials. Applications will not be accepted after Sept. 23rd.
	September 21	<b>Parks Scholarship</b> - For NC State - a highly prestigious and competitive scholarship based on the four criteria of scholarship, leadership, service, and character. Students must see Mrs. Robinette for an application. Applications will not be accepted after Sept. 23rd.
	September 27	<b>QuestBridge National College Match Scholarship Program</b> - Applicants should be academically motivated, in the top 10% of his/her class, and be enrolled in a rigorous course load. This program applies to a select group of colleges. For more information <a href="https://www.questbridge.org/high-school-students/national-college-match/how-to-apply">https://www.questbridge.org/high-school-students/national-college-match/how-to-apply</a> and to apply, visit: <a href="https://www.questbridge.org/high-school-students/national-college-match/how-to-apply">https://www.questbridge.org/high-school-students/national-college-match/how-to-apply</a> *note - Finalists typically come from households earning less than \$65,000 annually for a family of four, and often less. This is not a strict cut-off and we encourage students who feel they have faced significant financial hardship to review the financial details carefully to see if they may qualify.
	September 29	<b>You Deserve It Scholarship</b> - Applications can be found by going to: <a href="https://www.studentscholarships.org/scholarship/12809/you_deserve_it_scholarship_scholarship.php">https://www.studentscholarships.org/scholarship/12809/you_deserve_it_scholarship_scholarship.php</a>
	September 30	<b>Review It Scholarship</b> - Applications can be found by going to: <a href="https://www.studentscholarships.org/scholarship/13677/review_it_scholarship_scholarship.php">https://www.studentscholarships.org/scholarship/13677/review_it_scholarship_scholarship.php</a>
	October 2	<b>US Senate Youth Scholarship Deadline</b> ( <a href="http://senateyouthnc.webs.com">http://senateyouthnc.webs.com</a> ) *To apply for the United States Senate Youth Scholarship in the state of North Carolina, a student must be a junior or senior in high school who is currently serving in an elected or appointed capacity in student government or a related organization.
	10/3	<b>Wendy's High School Heisman</b> ( <a href="https://www.wendyshighschoolheisman.com/">https://www.wendyshighschoolheisman.com/</a> ) For male and female senior athletes. A prestigious award given in December in New York city during a broadcast on ESPN with national recognition. To be eligible, students must play at least one high school sport and have at least a 3.0 GPA (B avg). See Mrs. Robinette or visit: <a href="https://www.wendyshighschoolheisman.com/">https://www.wendyshighschoolheisman.com/</a> for details.
	10/15	<b>Davidson College Bryan Scholarship</b> - The Bryan Scholars Program honors scholar athletes who present outstanding academic records, strong leaders in the classroom and in their sport (Football, Men's & Women's Basketball not eligible) and are impact players at the NCAA Division I level. Our school may nominate 1-3 students. See Mrs. Robinette by Sept. 30th if you are interested in being nominated.
	10/15	<b>Levine Scholarship</b> - For UNC Charlotte - Twenty students are selected annually for this outstanding scholarship. Students must exhibit a commitment to community engagement, passion for learning, academic achievement, and a capacity for ethical leadership. Please see Mrs. Robinette in guidance for more information and to apply.
	10/15	<b>Thomas Wolfe Scholarship</b> - For student writers interested in attending UNC Chapel Hill. Interested applicants must apply to the university by Oct. 15th. Deadline for the scholarship is Nov. 15th. Please see Mrs. Robinette for more information or visit: <a href="http://englishcomplit.unc.edu/creative/scholarship/tws">http://englishcomplit.unc.edu/creative/scholarship/tws</a>
	October 31	<b>Coca Cola Scholars</b> - Minimum 3.0 GPA at the end of your junior year. Visit <a href="http://www.coca-colascholarsfoundation.org/">http://www.coca-colascholarsfoundation.org/</a> for more information
	November 1	<b>VFW "Voice of Democracy" Audio-Essay Contest</b> - See Mrs. Robinette or visit <a href="https://www.vfw.org/VOD/">https://www.vfw.org/VOD/</a> for more information.
	11/3	<b>Davidson College's John M. Belk Scholarship</b> - A full scholarship to Davidson College in Davidson, NC. This scholarship recognizes students who have demonstrated the outstanding potential to become great leaders in college and beyond. Our hope is that all Robertson Scholars will play significant and impactful roles in their communities and society, today and in the future.
	November 5	<b>Horatio Alger Scholarship Program</b> - Seniors-financial need-family income \$55,000 or less;involved in extracurricular activities
	November 8	<b>Purdenial Spirit of Community Award</b> - Students who have participated in community service activities over the past year may apply for this scholarship. Students must apply online, then speak to Mrs. Robinette in guidance about certifying your application. Please read instructions for this scholarship carefully. To apply, visit: <a href="https://spirit.purdenial.com/">https://spirit.purdenial.com/</a>
	November 14 - 18	<b>College Application Week</b>
	11/15	<b>Dansforth College Scholarship</b> - Opportunity for a full scholarship to Washington University in St. Louis, Missouri.
	11/15	<b>Robertson Scholars Application Deadline</b> *UNC-Chapel Hill / Duke Only *The Robertson Scholars Leadership Program seeks students who have demonstrated the outstanding potential to become great leaders in college and beyond. Our hope is that all Robertson Scholars will play significant and impactful roles in their communities and society, today and in the future.
	11/22	<b>Torch Scholarship</b> - This scholarship recognizes students who personify high ethical standards as demonstrated through leadership, community service, overall personal integrity, and academic history.
	11/30	<b>BBB Torch Scholarship Deadline</b> * The BBB Torch Program recognizes students who personify high ethical standards as demonstrated through leadership, community service, overall personal integrity, and academic excellence. Applicants must submit a 400-500 word essay, along with an application, transcript and letter of recommendation from a BBB accredited business. See Mrs. Sugg for details or visit: <a href="http://www.bbb.org/raleigh-durham/educational-foundation/torch-scholarships/">http://www.bbb.org/raleigh-durham/educational-foundation/torch-scholarships/</a>
	11/30	<b>Elks National Foundation Legacy Awards</b> - Must be the child or grandchild of a living Elk. Visit <a href="http://www.elks.org/scholars/scholarships/legacy.cfm">http://www.elks.org/scholars/scholarships/legacy.cfm</a> for more information.
	11/30	<b>Elks National Foundation Most Valuable Student Competition</b> - Must be a US citizen & demonstrate scholarship, leadership and financial need. Application opens September 1, 2016. Visit <a href="http://www.elks.org/scholars/news.cfm?StoryID=103083">http://www.elks.org/scholars/news.cfm?StoryID=103083</a> for more information.
	12/1	<b>10 Words or Less Scholarship</b> - Applications can be found by going to: <a href="https://www.studentscholarships.org/scholarship/10258/10_words_or_less_scholarship_scholarship.php">https://www.studentscholarships.org/scholarship/10258/10_words_or_less_scholarship_scholarship.php</a>
	12/15	<b>Points Scholarship</b> - Applications can be found by going to: <a href="https://www.studentscholarships.org/scholarship/13776/points_scholarships_scholarship.php">https://www.studentscholarships.org/scholarship/13776/points_scholarships_scholarship.php</a>
	12/15	<b>AXA Achievement Community Scholarship</b> - First 10,000 applications submitted will be considered; US citizen; ambitious and motivated as evidenced by outstanding achievement in school community or work activities
	12/30	<b>Unigo Scholarship</b> - Grades 9-12 Log in to Unigo to get the application; The Question: Weighing the expected investment and return, is college worth it for you? Why? Share your thoughts in 200 words or less. Be creative!

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	1/1	<b>Profile in Courage Award</b> - Grades 9-12 Write essay 1,000 words or less. Visit <a href="https://www.jfklibrary.org/Education/Profile-in-Courage-Essay-Contest.aspx">https://www.jfklibrary.org/Education/Profile-in-Courage-Essay-Contest.aspx</a> for more information.
	1/1	<b>Lenior-Rhyne University Teaching Scholars Program</b> - Desire to serve students through a career in teaching. An admissions application must also be submitted.
	2/15	<b>Catawba College West Teaching Scholarship</b> - An admissions application must be on file to be considered. Selection criteria include high academic achievement, community involvement, demonstrated leadership and a commitment to teaching.
	6/19	<b>BigSun Athletic Scholarship</b> - All senior athletes are eligible to apply regardless of the sport they played. A 500 - 1000 word essay is required.

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