

The Duchossois Family Scholars Program

A distinguished scholarship
program at Culver Academies



CULVER ACADEMIES

Creating an opportunity of a lifetime

The Duchossois Family Scholars Program is one of the most extraordinary programs in the country for high school students. Offering full tuition and off-campus enrichment experiences, this scholarship's four-year value exceeds \$200,000.



What makes a Duchossois Scholar?

At Culver Academies, we believe in Servant Leadership and Character, Learning to Learn, Global Citizenship, and Timeless Values. A Duchossois Scholar embraces and exemplifies the values that set Culver Academies – and its students – apart. Specific qualities sought in Duchossois Scholarship recipients include:

- Evidence of responsible citizenship and community service
- Desire to have an impact
- A sense of caring that reaches beyond self
- Communication skills
- Capacity for original thought
- A high level of academic aptitude and enthusiasm for learning
- A demonstrated entrepreneurial spirit
- Mental and physical vitality



Who is eligible?

- Incoming 9th and 10th grade boys and girls
- U.S. citizens residing in a Midwest state (ND, MN, WI, MI, SD, IA, IL, IN, NE, OH, MO, KS, KY, OK, TN, AR, TX, AL, MS, and LA)

What does the Duchossois Scholarship cover?

- Full tuition
- Room and board
- Global Pathways Spring Program experience in U.S. or abroad: a service-learning and cultural exchange opportunity for students
- Summer enrichment experience in U.S. or abroad: a post-junior year community-building and leadership experience
- Required uniforms
- Books and laptop

Find out more and apply at www.culver.org/scholarships



**Lucie
Diatta**

CLASS OF
2021

Dorm:

Benson

Dream job:

Physical therapist or
software developer

Three words that describe you:

Energetic. Persistent. Passionate.

Favorite quote:

“Raise your words, not your voice.
It is rain that grows flowers, not
thunder.” – Rumi

**What does this scholarship
mean to you?**

It has provided me the opportunity
to meet people from all over not
just the country, but the world.
Coming to Culver has been,
without a doubt, life-changing
and it is almost difficult to express
my gratitude.

Unit:

Battery B

Rank:

Battalion Sergeant Major

Three words that describe you:

Humorous. Happy. Big-hearted.

What classes have you enjoyed the most?

AP World History and Honors
Intermediate Algebra.

What has been your favorite experience at Culver so far?

The first day back on campus of my sophomore year and seeing all the people I had made relationships with the previous year, because that is what makes Culver so amazing.



The Duchossois Family

A lifetime of Culver community support

The Duchossois family has supported Culver Academies for more than 50 years. They have given forward to the communities in which they live through a variety of scholarship opportunities, endeavors in health care and medical research, and other areas of need and promise, especially in the Chicago area.

Craig Duchossois, a 1962 graduate of Culver Military Academy, is the chairman and CEO of The Duchossois Group, a family business in Chicago, Illinois, and is a member of The Culver Educational Foundation Board of Trustees. He received B.S. and M.B.A. degrees from Southern Methodist University and served as an officer in the U.S. Marine Corps.





I still talk
with or try to
meet up with
Mr. Duchossois
on an annual basis.

Life-changing

is how I always
phrase my thanks.



JOEL FLOREK '11

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