

Carmel Education Foundation 2021 Scholarships

Available for students graduating from Carmel (IN) High School in 2021

Carmel Education Foundation (CEF) will award the following scholarships in 2021. Each scholarship is generously funded either by a family, organization, trust, or CEF, and requirements vary for each scholarship. Actual award amounts may not be known until the time of the award, but the minimum amount is listed.

With 80 unique scholarships, there is varying criteria. General categories are listed below, by color, for your reference. If a scholarship has criteria in multiple categories, there is a color bar to the right indicating this. **It is recommended that you identify which scholarships you qualify for prior to the application, so that you are prepared to respond to any relevant questions (i.e. how many seasons or years of participation in a sport or club).**

The categories are:

General	Performing Arts
CCS School(s) Attended	Specific College/University
Athletics	Intended Course of Study
CCS Clubs, Programs, Classes, or Initiatives	

Applicants will complete a general application (link on CEF website). You will be considered for ALL scholarships you are eligible for, but may only receive one scholarship. The application will require:

- 1) A student email address that is regularly checked and is **not** a CCS address. (**no** parent addresses, please)
- 2) A 7th semester transcript (NOT a report card). **To request your 7th semester transcript**, login to Naviance via the CCS student portal. Once in Naviance, click on "Colleges", then the "Colleges I'm Applying To" link > Click on "Manage Transcripts" > Click on the + (plus) button > Select "Other Transcript" > Select the appropriate options on the "Request Other Transcript" page including "Scholarship" and "Where are you sending the transcript?" Add your email address in this section > then Submit. A **pdf of your transcript** will be sent to the email address you include in the request. NOTE: do not use your CCS email address, as you cannot receive mail to that account. **You may request transcripts between 1/20/21 and 3/15/21.**
- 3) A list, in priority order, of colleges/universities you have applied to. CHS counseling staff will verify your commitment in May.
- 4) If you are eligible for scholarships that have financial need as a criteria (as noted in the FAFSA column) please provide a PDF file of the **Student Aid Report (SAR)** including the **Estimated Family Contribution (EFC)** from your **Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) application**. FAFSA forms will only be viewed by Carmel Education Foundation staff.

Note: Several scholarships require an essay. The essay questions and word limits are listed below. You will only need to complete essays for scholarships you are eligible for. **We advise that you prepare these ahead of time and paste them into the application.** Evaluators will give priority consideration to those that have correct spelling, grammar and thoughtful, relevant content.

Please reference the CEF website (www.ccs.k12.in.us/foundation/scholarships) for additional information.

Questions may be directed to foundation@ccs.k12.in.us or 317-844-9961 x2680.

GENERAL: The following CEF Scholarships have various criteria and considerations for award. Please review the description or specific criteria for further information.

Scholarship Name	Scholarship Description	GPA	SAT/ ACT	FAFSA	Extra-Curricular	Specific Criteria	Essay	Essay Question	Min. Award
Alan K. Miller Academic Scholarship	Established in memory of Alan K. Miller, who lost his life in a tragic accident while employed with the Miller Pipeline Company, this scholarship will be awarded to a CHS student involved in school or community activities.	Min 3.5	Yes	Yes	School or community activities				\$1,500
Andis-Shiroka-Voelker Scholarship	This award is made possible by a grant from Doug Collins in memory of Christina Andis, Louie Shiroka and David Voelker, who died in an accident involving a driver education automobile in 1984. Mr. Collins, their instructor, survived the accident. Financial need is a significant consideration in selection.			Yes					\$500
Christopher "Tripp" Zanetis Memorial Scholarship	The Zanetis Family, friends, and classmates have created a scholarship in memory of "Tripp" Zanetis, a 1999 CHS graduate. He was a member of the CHS Ambassador's, a Stanford Law graduate and a NYC firefighter. Tripp passed away in 2018 in a helicopter accident while serving our country.	Min 3.5		Yes	Community involvement				\$1,000
Class of 1998 Memorial Scholarship	This scholarship honors the members of the Carmel High School Class of 1998, and is in special memory of classmates who have passed away. To continue the Carmel tradition of supporting the goals and ambitions of students and alumni of CHS, this award recognizes a senior who exemplifies the goals and mission of Carmel Clay Schools.	Min 3.0		yes	School and community involvement	CHS senior who exemplify goals of CCS mission.			\$500
Craig Sowder Memorial Scholarship	Craig Sowder, CHS class of 1998, passed away in 2000 after a courageous battle with cancer. Cancer not only impacts the patient; it also affects family and friends. This scholarship is awarded to a student who has been affected by cancer personally or as an immediate family member or friend.					Student who has been affected by cancer either personally, or as an immediate family member or friend.	Yes	Please describe how cancer has impacted your life and, as a result, how you plan to help others who are impacted. (500 words)	\$500

Danquist/McDonald Carmel Education Foundation Community Leadership Scholarship	The Carmel Education Foundation Board established this scholarship in honor of Barbara Danquist and Stephanie McDonald, past Co-Executive Directors. The award will be given to a graduating senior who has volunteered and demonstrated leadership, in any capacity, in a community non profit organization.	Min 2.5			Community and school activities	Leadership in a community non-profit (not necessarily an officer- anyone who has shown leadership).	Yes	Leadership is defined as the action of leading a group of people or organization. Please identify and explain a leadership experience you have had in a non-profit organization and how this experience impacted both you and those you led? (300 words)	\$1,000
Dr. Robert D. Hartman an Melissa Hartman McCulloch Scholarship	This award commemorates Dr. Hartman's commitment to educating the youth of this community and is also given in memory of Dr. and Mrs. Hartman's daughter, Melissa.	Min 3.5		Yes	School or community activities		Yes	Everyone was challenged in 2020, what challenged you? Expand your answer with how you responded to 2020's punches. (300 words)	
Elsie George Award	Miss George devoted nearly 50 years to the Carmel Clay Schools community as a teacher. The same red chairs she used for the reading circle in her classroom were sold at an auction to raise funds to start the Carmel Education Foundation.	Min 3.5	Yes	Yes	School activities	Work experience			\$800
Forest M. Stoops Memorial Scholarship	Mr. Stoops served as Superintendent for Carmel Clay Schools from 1954- 1968 and founded the Carmel Clay Educational Foundation (now Carmel Education Foundation). The recipient of this scholarship will be involved in school and/or community activities.	Min 3.0	Yes	Yes	School/ community involvement				\$800
Hinshaw Community Service Award	Mr. Hinshaw graduated from Carmel High School in 1929 and returned to the Carmel Clay Schools to be a principal and then a superintendent. This award is given in Mr. Hinshaw's memory by his teachers, classmates, friends and family.					Been active in community service			\$500
Joe O'Malia Food Markets Scholarship	The O'Malia family has long been involved in the Carmel community. Criteria includes extracurricular participation in CHS or church-related activities, and part-time employment during junior and senior years.	Min 2.8		Yes	School or church related activities	Part-time employment junior and senior years.			\$500
PTO Scholarship	This scholarship is presented by the Parent Teacher Organizations of the Carmel Clay Schools to a student who has been actively involved in their school community.	Min 3.5	Yes	Yes	School activities				\$500
Steve Morrison Award (2 scholarships)	Upon Steven's accidental death at the age of 14 the family and friends of Steven established this scholarship in 1972. Consideration is given to a student who may not be able to attend college or trade school otherwise. A student with an average GPA is to be considered.	Min 2.5		Yes					\$1,000

CCS SCHOOL: The following CEF Scholarships require attendance at a particular Carmel Clay school. Please review the description or specific criteria for further information.

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Beverly Platt Memorial Scholarship	This award, given in memory of long-time educator and CHS alumnae, Beverly Johnson Platt who passed away in 2017, will recognize a child of a CCS staff member, or a student who attended College Wood for at least two years. Mrs. Platt began her career in education as a student teacher at the original College Wood Elementary (Guilford Road) and retired 38 years later from the new College Wood Elementary.	Min 2.5				Child of a CCS staff member, or attended College Wood Elementary for at least two years.	Yes	Please share your College Wood Elementary experience, your high school and community activities, and your plans beyond high school. (300 words)	\$1,000
Carl Baliff Scholarship	This award is given in memory of Mr. Carl Baliff who was principal at Orchard Park Elementary School for 16 years. The scholarship is provided to a graduate who attended Orchard Park for at least two years.			Yes		Attended Orchard Park Elementary for at least two years.			\$750
Carmel Elementary School Scholarship	The Carmel Elementary "Footprints to the Future Scholarship" is awarded on behalf of the generous donations of those who have walked the halls of Carmel Elementary (CE). This scholarship will be awarded to a graduating CHS senior that attended CE for at least three years.				Community Activities	Attended Carmel Elementary for at least three years.	Yes	Please explain how Carmel Elementary helped you become the person who you are today. (300 words)	\$1,000
Charlie W. Scott Humanitarian Award	This award is given to a student who attended Carmel Middle School for at least two years, has demonstrated a commitment to community service, and is planning a career in education.	Min 3.0		Yes	Commitment to community service	Attended Carmel Middle school for at least two years. Planning a career in education.			\$1,500
Cherry Tree Elementary Patriot Scholarship	For 24 wonderful years Teggie Rogers was an integral part of the Cherry Tree family as the school's nurse-taking care of every child as if they were her own. In her retirement, Teggie continues to cherish the community in which she raised her family, and where she dedicated her career. To honor her Patriot family, Teggie founded this scholarship to award to a student who attended Cherry Tree Elementary for at least three years and who has shared what it meant for them to be a Patriot in a short essay.				School/ community involvement	Attended Cherry Tree Elementary for a minimum of three years.	Yes	What is it like to be a Cherry Tree Patriot? (250 words)	\$1,000
Dale E. Graham Memorial Scholarship	This award was established to honor Dale Graham's 36-year commitment to CCS as a teacher, coach, athletic director, vice-principal and principal of CHS. The recipient must have attended CHS for four years, demonstrated leadership qualities, been involved in curricular activities, pursued a rigorous course of studies, and be interested in a professional career requiring a college education.	Min 3.0			Leadership in curricular activities	Attended CHS for four years.			\$1,300

Deb Davis Creekside Middle School Scholarship	This scholarship, awarded in honor of Mrs. Deb Davis, retired Creekside Language Arts Department Chair, recognizes a senior who attended Creekside Middle School for at least two years and is actively involved with a language arts-related school subject or activity (e.g. newspaper, yearbook, radio, TV, speech and debate, mock trial, or nonmusical theater).	Min 3.5				Attended Creekside Middle School for at least two years. Actively involved with a language arts-related school subject or activity.	Yes	How did your involvement in (said subject or activity) impact your high school experience and affect your college or possible career choice? (500 words)	\$1,000
DeWayne Akin Memorial Scholarship	This scholarship honors Mr. DeWayne Akin, a school principal for Carmel Clay Schools from 1978 until his retirement from Woodbrook Elementary in 2009. A life-long educator and coach, Mr. Akin passed away in 2010. The recipient will have attended Woodbrook Elementary School for at least two years and will have been actively involved in their community.	Min 3.5	Yes	Yes	School/ community involvement	Attended Woodbrook Elementary for at least two years.			\$1,000
Eric Clark Scholarship	As a CCS educator for 39 years, Eric Clark served as a teacher, counselor, and Assistant Principal, and also as head coach for Carmel High School's football, basketball, and track teams. To honor Mr. Clark, the recipient of this scholarship will have attended Carmel Clay Schools from Kindergarten - 12th grade and is an active leader in student activities.	Min 3.0			Active leader in student activities	Attended CCS schools grades K-12.			\$1,500
Jon Teuscher Memorial Scholarship	This scholarship is in honor of Jon Teuscher, a beloved educator in the Carmel school district and long time principal of College Wood Elementary. This scholarship will be awarded to a CHS senior who attended College Wood Elementary for at least three years with 5th grade being the final year and who overcame an obstacle that was outside of his/her control.				School/ community involvement	Attended College Wood Elementary at least three years, including 5th grade. Overcame obstacle that was outside of his/her control.	Yes	Jon Teuscher overcame many obstacles during his life that influenced him to become the husband, father, grandfather and committed educator. Please describe an obstacle that you faced that was outside of your control and how you worked to overcome that obstacle. (300 words)	\$500
Mohawk Trails Elementary School Scholarship	This scholarship, presented by the Mohawk Trails Parent Teacher Organization, will be awarded to a senior who attended Mohawk Trails Elementary for at least three years.	Min 3.0				Attended Mohawk Trails Elementary for at least three years.	Yes	What is your favorite Mohawk Trails memory? (250 words)	\$500
Nancy Pulley Scholarship	Nancy Pulley was an elementary teacher in Carmel Clay Schools for several years. She started her teaching career at Woodbrook and later taught at Mohawk Trails and Prairie Trace. Her last years of teaching were as a kindergarten teacher. The recipient of this award attended Prairie Trace for at least two years.					Attended Prairie Trace Elementary for at least two years.			\$1,000

Patti Apolzan Memorial Scholarship	This scholarship was established in memory of Patti Apolzan who was a teacher at Woodbrook Elementary School. Recipient will have attended Woodbrook for at least two years and plans to major in education.	Min 3.2				Attended Woodbrook Elementary at least two years. Plans to major in education.				\$750
Schleich Family Scholarship	This scholarship is to be awarded to a senior who attended Mohawk Trails Elementary, who has been active in school or community activities and who will be attending Purdue University.	Min 3.5			School/ community involvement	Attended Mohawk Trails Elementary. Plans to attend Purdue University.	Yes	Please explain how your school experiences have influenced your chosen field of study at Purdue University. (300 words)		\$1,000

ATHLETICS: The following CEF Scholarships require participation in a particular athletic program. Please review the description or specific criteria for further information.

Scholarship Name	Scholarship Description	GPA	SAT/ACT	FAFSA	Extra-Curricular	Specific Criteria	Essay	Essay Question	Min. Award
Alan K. Miller Wrestling Scholarship	This scholarship, established in memory of Alan K. Miller, who perished in a tragic accident while employed with the Miller Pipeline Company, will be awarded to a senior member of the CHS Westling Team who has exemplified the special qualities of dedication and perseverance, and who is pursuing a college or university education.					Senior member of CHS Wrestling Team.			\$1,500
Carmel Baseball Backers, Inc. Scholarship (2 scholarships)	This scholarship will be awarded to two current members of the CHS Varsity Baseball Team, either as players or student staff members, who have shown leadership ability and a strong mental attitude.	Min 3.0				Current member of Carmel High School Varsity Baseball Team.	Yes	How have you been a leader in the CHS Baseball program and what life skills have you developed through CHS Baseball that will impact your college experience and post-collegiate professional life? (500 words)	\$750
Carmel Boys Basketball A.C.P.P. Award (2 scholarships)	This scholarship will be awarded to a student who has been a part of the CHS Boys Basketball Program as a player, manager, trainer, or statistician, and who has completed his senior year in good standing and represented the program with absolute class. In addition, he has made it a priority to demonstrate our four foundational principals while representing Carmel Basketball: Attitude, Commitment, Passion, and Pride. Preference will be given to those who have been members of the program for all four years. GPA will be considered, but is not the primary factor.	Min 3.0				Participation with good standing in CHS Boys Basketball as either a player, manager, trainer, or statistician.	Yes	Given our four foundation principles - Attitude, Commitment, Passion, and Pride - explain how you have demonstrated each while being a member of the basketball program and how each has been reflected in your personal life. Please expand your response by explaining what you "have left behind" to make the program better and what you will into the next phase of your life. Please explain how Carmel Basketball has impacted you in a positive manner. (300 words)	\$500

Carmel Dad's Club Ila Badger Scholarship	This scholarship will be awarded to a female student who has been a member of an athletic team, student manager, cheerleader, or has participated in at least six seasons of Carmel Dads' Club activities either as an athlete or volunteer. The recipient will exhibit good character and citizenship.					Female student involved in athletics or in Carmel Dad's Club activities.	Yes	Please discuss what you gained or learned from your involvement with the Carmel Dads' Club. How has it made an impact on your life at home and/or at school and how do you see it influencing you in the future? (250 words) <i>Note- you may submit one essay for all Carmel Dad's Club scholarships.</i>	\$1,000
Carmel Dad's Club Jack Badger Memorial Scholarship	This scholarship will be awarded to a male student who has been a member of an athletic team, student manager, cheerleader, or has participated in at least six seasons of Carmel Dads' Club activities either as an athlete or volunteer. The recipient will exhibit good character and citizenship.					Male student involved in athletics or in Carmel Dad's Club activities.	Yes	Please discuss what you gained or learned from your involvement with the Carmel Dads' Club. How has it made an impact on your life at home and/or at school and how do you see it influencing you in the future? (250 words) <i>Note- you may submit one essay for all Carmel Dad's Club scholarships.</i>	\$1,000
Carmel Dad's Club Pam Creek Memorial Scholarship	This scholarship will go to a student who best exemplifies the spirit of good sportsmanship, community service, and team spirit. Mrs. Creek was a big supporter of the athlete who had the "never say die attitude" but wasn't necessarily the most talented kid on the playing field. The applicant must have participated in Carmel Dads' Club activities, either as an athlete or volunteer for at least six seasons.					Participated at least six seasons in CDC activities as a sports participant, coach/assistant coach, or volunteer.	Yes	Please discuss what you gained or learned from your involvement with the Carmel Dads' Club. How has it made an impact on your life at home and/or at school and how do you see it influencing you in the future? (250 words) <i>Note- you may submit one essay for all Carmel Dad's Club scholarships.</i>	\$1,500
Carmel Girls Track & Field Parents Club Scholarship (3 scholarships)	This scholarship recognizes seniors who have been a member of the CHS Girls Track & Field Team, or a support student (i.e., team manager) for at least three years, with her senior year being one of the years. The recipient(s) will be in good standing and best exemplifies the qualities of leadership, coach-ability, dedication, perseverance, good sportsmanship, and team spirit.				School/ community involvement	Member(s) of CHS Girls Track & Field Team for three years with her senior year being one of the years as a team member or support student.	Yes	Please describe how you best exemplified the qualities of leadership, coachability, dedication, perseverance, good sportsmanship and team spirit from your track & field participation at Carmel High School. How has being on the team made an impact on your life? (300 words)	\$500
Carmel Girls Volleyball Scholarship	This scholarship is awarded to a student who is a senior member of the CHS Girls Volleyball Team either as a player or a member of the student support staff.	Min 3.5			Community activities/ service projects	Senior member of the CHS Girls Volleyball Team.			\$1,000

Carmel Ice Hounds Hockey Scholarship	This scholarship, sponsored by the Carmel Ice Hounds, is awarded to a student who has participated in the hockey program for their junior and senior years. Hockey coaching staff will evaluate qualifying applicants on a series of attributes, including GPA, outlined by the Carmel Ice Hounds.					Member of Carmel Ice Hounds their junior and senior years.				\$1,000
CHS Boys Lacrosse Dedication Award	This award, sponsored by the CHS Boys Lacrosse Booster Club, will recognize a senior who has participated in the boys lacrosse program as a player for his junior and senior years and who is in good standing. The Booster Club will review scholastic and athletic accomplishments of applicants as part of the award.	Min 3.0				Participation in CHS Boys Lacrosse Team in his junior and junior years.				\$500
Coach Chuck Koeppen Cross Country Scholarship (6 scholarships- 3 female, 3 male)	This award is provided by the CHS Cross Country Parents' Club to honor Coach Koeppen. Three scholarships will be awarded to three different girls and three different boys who competed with CHS Cross Country Team for at least three years and who plan to attend a college or university. Primary consideration will be given to the strength of the essay.	Min 3.0				Participation in CHS Cross Country for three or more years.	Yes	What have you gained/learned from your CHS Cross Country participation and how has it made an impact on your life? (250 words)		\$500
DeWayne Akin CHS Girls Soccer Memorial Scholarship	This scholarship honors Mr. DeWayne Akin, a former coach of the Carmel High School Girls Soccer Team, amassing thirteen state championships. A life-long educator and coach, Mr. Akin passed away in 2010. The recipients of this scholarship will have been a part of the CHS Girls Soccer Team as a player, manager, or trainer for at least two years with their senior as one of the years.	Min 3.0				A member of the CHS Girls Soccer Team as a player, manager, or trainer for at least two years with their senior year as one of the years.	Yes	What has the role of soccer played in the development of the person you are today? (300 words)		\$1,000
Jonathan A. Byers Athletic Scholarship	This scholarship will be awarded to a senior athlete participating in tennis, baseball or softball in tribute to Jonathan Byers and his love of sports. A demonstrated attitude of team spirit, a willingness to hold up those around them, and a positive mental attitude will be key considerations. Jonathan pushed for those around him to succeed and will forever be known as "the Angel in the Outfield".				School/ community involvement	Participated in tennis, baseball, and/or softball as a senior.				\$1,000

Kevin Karns Memorial Scholarship	Kevin Karns was a 1973 CHS graduate. As a member of the Clay Jr. High staff, he taught physical education and health as well as coaching football and track. In 1992 he joined the CHS football coaching staff. He passed away in January 1999 from complications of cancer. This award will be granted to a student who participated in the CHS Football Program and finished in good standing.					Participated in CHS Football Program.	Yes	As a participant in the Carmel High School football program, explain the lifelong skills you have developed and the lessons you have learned that will make you a more successful person. Discuss a positive impact that a specific coach or teacher had on your life. Why do you feel you deserve the Kevin Karns Scholarship? (300 words)	\$1,500
Kopnisky Family Scholarship	The Kopnisky Family has been involved in athletics for decades and has made an impact on many students, mentoring the discipline and tenacity necessary for success in life as well in sports. Since winning an NCAA Championship in 1965, Bob coached at Navy, Mizzou and then CHS, where he coached his son, John, to a 1997 Indiana State title. After winning over a hundred matches for Mizzou, John coached at a local high school before returning to Indiana to assist his dad at CHS and later take the helm as head coach. Both father and son coached with stellar reputations in technique as well as building good character. The recipient of this scholarship will have been involved in the CHS Wrestling team for four years, demonstrating high moral character.					Four years of participation in CHS Wrestling Team.	Yes	How has the sport of wrestling and a coach contributed to your personal growth and success? (300 words)	\$500
Pup Running Scholarship (2 scholarships- one female, one male)	This scholarship is offered to two seniors (one female and one male) who competed in Pup Running during both their fourth and fifth grade school years. Primary consideration will be given to the strength of the essay, in which candidates will describe life lessons learned through Pup Running and how they intend to use them to benefit their community. The senior must provide a list of community and school activities.	Min 3.0			School/ community involvement	Participated in 4th and 5th grade Pup Running program. Provide a list of community activities.	Yes	What life lessons did you learn in Pup Running? How do you intend to use your Pup Running experience to benefit your community? (400 words)	\$500
Ray D. "Tub" McDonald Memorial Lineman Scholarship	This award is in memory of Ray D. "Tub" McDonald, a former football line coach at CHS. The scholarship will be given to a lineman on the CHS Football Team who is planning to further his education at a college, university, or vocational/technical school.					Lineman on the CHS Football Team.	Yes	Please describe the importance of football and your coaches on your personal life. (300 words)	\$1,000

Thomas P. Wiley Award (2 scholarships- one female, one male)	Mr. Wiley was a long-time CHS teacher and coach. This award will be given to one female and one male athlete for the purpose of post-secondary education, but is not limited to a college program. The CHS Athletic Council selects the recipients based on their mental attitude, scholarship and need.			Yes		Awarded to one female and one male athlete.				\$1,000
Thomas R. Cunningham/Booster Club	This scholarship is made possible through donations made to the Carmel Education Foundation and Carmel Booster Club in memory of Tom Cunningham, a longtime coach and supporter of Carmel youth sports activities. The basis for awarding this scholarship is character, community, and school activities with preference given to an athlete.				School/ community involvement	Preference given to an athlete.				\$1,000

CCS CLUBS, PROGRAMS, CLASSES, OR INITIATIVES: The following CEF Scholarships require participation in a particular club, program, class, or extra-curricular involvement. Please review the description or specific criteria for further information.

Scholarship Name	Scholarship Description	GPA	SAT/ACT	FAFSA	Extra-Curricular	Specific Criteria	Essay	Essay Question	Min. Award
Ashley Crouse Memorial Scholarship	This award, given in memory of Ashley Crouse, a 2002 CHS graduate who died in 2005, will recognize a student who has been involved in student government and is committed to making a positive difference in the lives of others.	Min 3.4				Student government involvement.			\$500
Audiochuck Podcasting Scholarship (2 scholarships)	This scholarship is intended to support a student who, during their time at CHS, has been actively involved with and shown promise in the field of podcasting. This student should be interested in continuing to develop their podcasting skills through post-secondary education.			Yes	Podcasting experience	Active involvement in podcasting in high school with intention to continue developing podcasting skills through college or university studies.	Yes	Please share your involvement in podcasting and how you plan to further that involvement. (300 words)	\$2,500
Brett Ryan Finbloom Scholarship	Brett Ryan Finbloom, a 2012 CHS graduate, died just a few days before leaving for college as the result of alcohol poisoning. Unfortunately, if other teens had known about the Indiana's Lifeline Law and immediately called 911, Brett's life may have been saved. This scholarship is awarded to a CHS senior who has helped share the importance of Making Good Decisions and the Indiana Lifeline law.	Min 2.5			Community service or school activities	Involvement must relate to spreading a message about the dangers of underage drinking, making good decisions, and the Indiana Lifeline Law.	Yes	Please share your specific experiences and efforts in spreading the Make Good Decisions message to our community. Describe the impact this message has had on you as well. (650 words)	\$1,200
Construction Award sponsored by CHS Vocational Building Trades	This award is for any senior who has completed at least one year in Carmel High School's construction program. Selection will be based upon grades earned in the class, overall CHS GPA, leadership demonstrated within the class, and financial need. Students pursuing a career in construction will receive highest priority.	Min 2.5		Yes		One year participation in CHS construction program.			\$700

George Cornelius Filmmaking Memorial Scholarship	Established in memory of George H. Cornelius, IV, a 2001 Carmel High School graduate who lived for 32 years with the challenge of Spinal Muscular Atrophy and thrived against all odds to graduate from the USC School of Cinematic Arts. The recipient of this scholarship will have been actively involved in the film department at Carmel High School. A three-minute film essay is a significant part of this application.	Min 3.0				School involvement in the film department. Three minute short film essay with an introduction about applicant.	Film	Please submit a short film on YouTube. The film should consist of: a self-introduction (30 sec.) explaining your interest in pursuing a career in film and background about the film you are submitting and; an original film (3-4 min.) that you created. Film may be from a previous project or created specifically for the scholarship. Genre: Comedy, Drama, Documentary, or Musical. Show us your vision and creativity!	\$1,000
Greyhound Media Network Scholarship	This scholarship is available to three-year veterans of the Greyhound Media Network and communications department. Qualifying students will have accrued valuable life skills and contributed to their respective media staff's success. Future journalism will be considered but is not required.				School/ community involvement	Three (or more) year veteran of the Greyhound Media Network and communication department.	Yes	What have you taken from your time as a part of the GMN that will be applicable in the future? (300 words)	\$1,500
Koehler - Thompson Memorial Scholarship	This scholarship is in memory of Bob Koehler and Tom Thompson who were active with the Key Club of Carmel High School. The Carmel Clay Kiwanis Club, which sponsors the CHS Key Club, awards this scholarship to a CHS Key Club Member for their involvement in the community.		Yes	Community activities	Key Club member				\$1,500
Lisa Evans Ghosts and Goblins Scholarship	Lisa Evans, past president of CEF, was one of the creators of the Ghosts and Goblins race. To honor her presidency and the creation of the race, this scholarship is awarded to a senior who volunteered during the 5k/2k Ghosts and Goblins race.					Ghosts and Goblins volunteer			\$500
Parker Amet Inclusion Scholarship	Parker Amet was a student at Carmel High School until 2016. He was born with microcephaly and was an active participant in Best Buddies, Unified Sports and Special Olympics. Parker was very beloved with the students and always has a big smile on his face. In fact, he was so well-liked, he was elected Prom King. Parker is funny, witty, loving and honest. This scholarship will be awarded to a senior who has participated in at least two years of Best Buddies, Unified Sports, Special Olympics and/or Champions Together, and who has exemplified dedication to special-needs students and inclusiveness.	Min 2.5	Yes			Participation in at least two years of Best Buddies, Unified Sports, Special Olympics and/or Champions Together.	Yes	In 500 words or less, describe: (i) your activities and relationships that have involved students or other persons with special needs; (ii) how you believe those activities and relationships have shaped you as a student/person; and (iii) how you could envision yourself in the future "paying it forward" to those with special needs as part of your occupation and/or volunteer work.	\$1,500

Pinnacle Yearbook Leadership Scholarship	This scholarship is awarded to a current senior <i>Pinnacle</i> yearbook staff member with two or more years of <i>Pinnacle</i> yearbook staff experience. The recipient will have demonstrated leadership, self-motivation, and team-oriented initiative while on staff.				Yes	Two or more years on <i>Pinnacle</i> yearbook staff.	Yes	How have you been an asset and a leader to the Pinnacle yearbook staff in your tenure? Specifically, what have you contributed that has helped to maintain or further the reputation and caliber of this publication? (550 words)	\$1,500
Pinnacle Yearbook Legacy Scholarship	This scholarship is awarded to a current senior <i>Pinnacle</i> yearbook staff member who has two or more years of <i>Pinnacle</i> yearbook staff experience. The recipient will have shown dedication and perseverance on staff while successfully working with others to maintain the <i>Pinnacle</i> yearbook's tradition of excellence.				Yes	Two or more years on <i>Pinnacle</i> yearbook staff.	Yes	How has being a member of the Pinnacle yearbook staff been beneficial in your life? How do you anticipate using the skills you learned in this program elsewhere and throughout life? What have you, specifically, contributed to staff that will be beneficial to the future of the Pinnacle yearbook program? (550 words)	\$1,500
Scott Gregg Scholarship	This scholarship is in honor of Scott Gregg, a teacher and mentor at the Carmel High School who led WHJE to a reputation of excellence in broadcasting. This scholarship will be awarded to a CHS senior who will be majoring in broadcasting or journalism and who has been a member of the WHJE staff for at least two years.	2.8 or higher			School and community involvement	Has been a member of WHJE staff for at least two years. Pursuing a degree related to communications, journalism, or broadcasting.	Yes	What do you believe will be the biggest challenges facing the broadcasting/journalism profession in the future and what is your motivation to enter that profession? (300 words)	\$1,000

PERFORMING ARTS: The following CEF Scholarships require participation in a CCS performing art programs. Please review the description or specific criteria for further information.

Scholarship Name	Scholarship Description	GPA	SAT/ACT	FAFSA	Extra-Curricular	Specific Criteria	Essay	Essay Question	Min. Award
Allan C. Chyba Scholarship	In memory of Allan, a former CHS Ambassador who died in 1998, this scholarship will be awarded to a student who has been a member of the Ambassador Show Choir for at least two years and who has participated in a middle school music program. The recipient is determined by the Ambassadors Choir director, with primary consideration given to personal attitude and enthusiasm rather than solely on performing skills. Additional involvement in drama or theatre technology will also be considered.	Min 2.8				Member of Ambassadors Show Choirs for at least two years. Participation in a middle school music program.	Yes	How has the Ambassadors Show Choir or drama and theatre impacted your personal life? (300 words)	\$800

Ambassador Parent Club's Beth Anderson Scholarship (3 scholarships)	The recipients of this scholarship will be in good academic standing, will have four years of participation in a choral program, at least two of which were at CHS, and will be a member of the CHS Ambassador Show Choir (or top coed choir ensemble should the Ambassador name be retired or changed).	Min 3.0				Four years of choral participation (at least two at CHS) and at least one year as an Ambassador.	Yes	How has being a part of the CHS choral program made me a better person? (300 words)	\$500
Ann Conrad Choral Scholarship	This scholarship honors Ann Conrad, a retired Carmel High School Performing Arts teacher, and will be awarded to a CHS senior who has participated in a CHS choral program for at least three years and who has demonstrated a strong commitment to choral music.	Min 3.0				Minimum of three years of CHS Choral Department participation.	Yes	My plans for using my musical gifts during college. (300 words)	\$1,000
Carl B. and Mary Ellen Haehner Scholarship	Carl B. and Mary Ellen Haehner were the parents of Alan and Barbara Haehner, who were active in CHS musical arts. Carl was also a singer and active in choir and vocal groups, Mary Ellen was the Director of Food Services at CCS for 17 years, and Alan was a member of the CHS Ambassadors. Barbara was a member of the CHS band and CHS musical groups. The student who receives this award will be an Ambassador or Ambassador Brass member, and will exhibit good character and citizenship. Additionally, they will have a good scholastic record with emphasis in the areas of music and/or dramatic arts, and will be planning to pursue a degree in music or dramatic arts.					Ambassador or Ambassador Brass member planning to pursue a degree in music or dramatic arts.			\$5,000
CHS Choral Department "Round of Applause" Award (2 scholarships)	This award recognizes students who have been involved in a CHS choir program for four years and who have demonstrated a consistent commitment, high level of enthusiasm, and positive attitude toward CHS Choral Department activities. Recipients will be selected by the Directors of the CHS Choral Department. Applicants for this scholarship will need to provide a resume to Ms. Katherine Kouns.	Min 3.0		Yes		Participated for four years in CHS choir program. Required to submit a resume to Ms. Katherine Kouns.		Resume submitted to Ms. Kouns	\$500
CHS Choral Department "Standing Ovation" Award (3 scholarships)	Recipients of the Standing Ovation Scholarship will have been a member of either the CHS Accents or CHS Ambassadors choral programs, and will have demonstrated their commitment to the program through choir-related activities outside of the classroom. Recipients will be selected by the Directors of the CHS Choral Department.	Min 3.5			Choir related activities outside the classroom.	Member of the CHS Accents or CHS Ambassadors.			\$1,000
CHS Choral Department Peer Recognition Award	This scholarship is available to a senior in a CHS choir whose peers believe they have exemplified leadership, outstanding commitment, and dedication within the program.	Min 2.5				Peer nominated participant in a CHS choir program.			\$1,000

William H. Duke Memorial Scholarship for the Performing Arts	This scholarship was established in appreciation of Dr. Duke's 13 years as principal of Carmel High School and will be given to a student who has demonstrated significant leadership in performing arts at CHS and who intends to pursue a college degree in the field of performing arts (i.e., drama, technical theater, voice, band, orchestra, piano or solo instrument). The student must have earned at least six credits with a 3.0 GPA or higher in performing arts subjects at CHS, and have significantly contributed to numerous performances outside of the classroom during his/her time at CHS.					Significant leadership in performing arts at CHS with at least six credits (GPA 3.0 or higher) in performing arts. Plan to pursue a degree in the field of performing arts.			\$1,500
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SPECIFIC COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY: The following CEF Scholarships require anticipated attendance at a particular college or university. Please review the description or specific criteria for further information.

Scholarship Name	Scholarship Description	GPA	SAT/ACT	FAFSA	Extra-Curricular	Specific Criteria	Essay	Essay Question	Min. Award
Alan K. Miller Engineering Scholarship	Established in memory of Alan K. Miller who lost his life in a tragic accident while employed with the Miller Pipeline Company, this scholarship will be awarded to a senior planning to study engineering at Purdue University.					Plan to attend Purdue University to study engineering.			\$1,500
Amy Kline Memorial Scholarship	This scholarship will be awarded to a senior planning to attend Indiana University and who has been active in the community and with Carmel High School activities.			Yes	School/ community involvement	Plan to attend Indiana University.	Yes	Please describe how you have been involved in CHS and/or the community and why you feel you merit this scholarship. (300 words)	\$2,000
Lloyd N. Smith Scholarship	This scholarship is made possible by a grant from Richard B. Smith as a memorial to his father, Lloyd N. Smith. The student must plan on attending an Indiana college or university, plan on majoring in agriculture or environmental science, and have four semesters of Latin or modern foreign language.	Min 3.0				Plan to attend an Indiana college to pursue a degree in agriculture or environmental science. Four semesters of Latin or modern foreign language.			\$800
Mary B. Smith Scholarship	This award is made possible by a grant from Richard B. Smith as a memorial to his mother, Mary B. Smith. The recipient of this award must plan on attending an Indiana college or university, plan on majoring in the Performing Arts (music) and have been involved in at least four semesters of music related activities at CHS.	Min 3.0				Plan to attend an Indiana college to pursue a degree in performing arts, preferably music. Four semesters of music related activities at CHS.			\$800

Nicholas L. Wolfe Memorial Scholarship	The scholarship is given in memory of Nicholas L. Wolfe, a 2014 CHS graduate who passed away in 2015. Nicholas had a passion for helping others, whether it be through volunteer work like CHS and IU Dance Marathons, or his aspiration of becoming a doctor. The recipient will be a student who strives to better the community by their volunteer work; who completed a high educational curriculum; and who plans to attend Indiana University to pursue a degree in a field related to medicine.				School/ community involvement	Plan to attend Indiana University (any campus) and pursuing a degree in a medical related field.	Yes	Please describe how your school and community involvement has impacted your life and has inspired you to pursue an education and career in a field that is related to medicine. (500 words)	\$1,200
Richard B. Smith Memorial Scholarship	This scholarship was established in memory of Richard "Dick" Smith, a lifelong resident and businessman of Carmel. The student must plan to attend an Indiana college or university and have been active in some type of community service.	Min 3.0		Yes	Community service	Plan to attend an Indiana college or university.			\$700
Richard B. Smith Scholarship	This scholarship shall be given to a student who will attend an Indiana college or university, planning a major or equivalent amount of study leading to a degree and license for elementary or secondary school teaching. In the event of a tie between applicants, consideration will be given to the amount of participation in CHS track or cross-country.	Min 3.0			Track or cross-country may be a determining factor	Plan to attend an Indiana college to study elementary or secondary education.			\$1,000

INTENDED STUDY: The following CEF Scholarships require an intention for a particular course of study at a college/university. Please review the description or specific criteria for further information.

Scholarship Name	Scholarship Description	GPA	SAT/ACT	FAFSA	Extra-Curricular	Specific Criteria	Essay	Essay Question	Min. Award
Barbara Padgett Memorial Scholarship	Barbara Padgett was a beloved, innovative, and dedicated middle-school English and Speech teacher for more than 40 years, positively impacting and benefiting countless students in Carmel Clay schools. This scholarship, honoring her legacy, will be awarded to a student pursuing a career in education at an Indiana college or university.	Min 3.1		Yes		Attending Indiana college/university and pursuing a degree in education.	No		\$2,000
Chief Gary C. Barney Law Enforcement Scholarship	This award recognizes a child or grandchild of a Carmel Police Department employee who is pursuing a law enforcement or related career field. If there are no candidates with those qualifications, the award may be allocated to the either a child or grandchild of an active Carmel Police employee, or a CHS senior planning to major in a law enforcement or related field (criminal justice, forensics, etc.).				Community involvement	Child or grandchild of Carmel Police Department employee pursuing a degree in law enforcement or related field, or CHS senior planning to major in a law enforcement field.	Yes	Please describe an outcome of the relationship between our schools and School Resource Officers and how that may guide you in future decisions or in building relationships. (300 words)	\$1,500

Jan Karns Memorial Scholarship	Awarded in memory of Jan Karns and her love of children and their education, this scholarship will be awarded to a deserving CHS student pursuing a college degree in elementary education.					Pursuing a degree in elementary education.	Yes	Why are you going to study Elementary Education in college? Why do you feel you deserve the Jan Karns Memorial Scholarship? Write a brief description about the teacher who has had the most impact on your decision to enter the field of education. What activities have you been involved in to prepare yourself to come a teacher? (300 words)	\$1,300
Jonathan A. Byers Academic Scholarship	Jon Byers loved life and dreamed of ways he would do things better and looked forward to heading into the field of medicine after CHS. Those dreams were cut short after a tragic accident, however this scholarship is presented to students with those same aspirations with the hope that his spirit and desire to improve the lives of others will continue on in the careers of those receiving this scholarship. This scholarship will be given to a senior pursuing a college degree in science, pre-med, or bio-medical engineering.	Min 3.5			School/ community involvement	Pursuing degree in science, pre-med, or bio-medical engineering.	Yes	Please describe how you hope to impact the future through your study in pre-med, science, or biomedical engineering. Why are you pursuing your specific college degree? (500 words)	\$1,800
Retired Educators Scholarship	This scholarship was established by the Carmel Clay Educational Foundation (now CEF) Teachers Advisory Panel to honor educators who retire from CCS schools. Donations made in the names of the retired educators fund this scholarship. It will be awarded to a graduate who plans to pursue a college degree in education and who has been active in community/school activities.	Min 3.0		Yes	School/ community involvement	Pursuing a degree in education.			\$500
Susan Moulder Memorial Scholarship	This award is given in memory of Susan Elizabeth Moulder who graduated from CHS in 1996. Susan loved taking art classes at CHS. This scholarship is awarded to a student planning to pursue a two-year or four-year college degree in art (visual, graphic, photography, set design, animation, etc.).	Min 3.0		Yes		Pursuing a two-year or four-year degree in Arts (visual, graphic, photography, set design, etc.).			\$750