



SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES WITH UPCOMING DEADLINES

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Local Organizations Offering Scholarships

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College of Southern Maryland SCHOLARSHIP FINDER – OPEN NOW FOR FALL 2022

APPLY HERE - <https://www.csmd.edu/costs-aid/scholarships-financial-aid/index.html>

Scholarships at CSM are sponsored by the college, the state of Maryland, and by private organizations, businesses, and individuals. Some scholarships are administered through the Financial Assistance Department.

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: mcprather@csmd.edu

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### Sigma Gamma Rho Centennial Scholarship - Deadline March 12, 2022

Applicants for awards must be an incoming freshman at an accredited 2-year or 4-year institution in the United States and must be planning to enroll in full-time undergraduate or graduate courses of study. **The minimum cumulative G.P.A. is 2.5.**

**APPLY HERE** - <https://www.sgrnationaleducationfund.org/2022scholarship>

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Scholarship - American Legion Post #170 Randolph Furey Deadline March 15, 2022.

The American Legion Post #170 will offer six scholarships in the amount of \$500.00 to assist young people in their pursuit of higher education.

CONTACT: Renee Thompson-Flores, Commander - rtf.alpost170@gmail.com

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### Carter Marohn-Johnson Memorial Scholarship Fund DUE DATE: March 15, 2022

**APPLY HERE** - <https://www.cartermjscholarship.com/application>

The Carter Marohn-Johnson Memorial Scholarship supports graduating high school seniors in Charles County, Maryland who are pursuing their career, trade school, or college dreams. Interested applicants must meet the following criteria: (1) Graduating senior from Charles County Public Schools; and (2) Complete a narrative essay, video submission, or a visual portfolio of no more than 1,000 words (essay) or no longer than four minutes (video) sharing what you plan to do after high school and how this scholarship would help make those post-graduation dreams a reality. Individual scholarships will be awarded ranging from \$500-\$1500 per scholarship each May.

**FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:** [cartermj.scholarship@gmail.com](mailto:cartermj.scholarship@gmail.com)

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Tri-County (MD) Alumnae Chapter (TCMDAC) of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. offers five different non-renewable scholarships: DUE DATE: March 15, 2022

APPLY HERE - <https://www.jotform.com/form/220049100798150>

- Elvear B. Johnson (Ph.D.) Scholarship (\$1,000)
- Tri-County Maryland Scholarship (\$1,000)
- Career/Vocational/Technical Scholarship (\$750)
- Educational Program Scholarship (\$500)
- Zandra Isaac Book Scholarship (\$500)

Eligible applicants must be a 2022 graduating senior who resides in or attends a high school in the TCMDAC service area, which includes all of Calvert and St. Mary's Counties and Charles County (east of Route 301). You must have a **grade point average of 2.75** or above, demonstrate community or extracurricular activity involvement, plan to attend a two-year or four-year university or college OR a Career/Vocational/Technical program as a full-time student in fall, 2022.

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### **Pay It Forward Foundation Scholarship – DEADLINE – March 18, 2022**

Current high school seniors who will be graduating in Spring 2022. The applicant must be of African-American or Hispanic- Latino descent and have a **minimum 2.25 GPA** on a 4.0 scale.

**See Ms. Morton in the Career Center for the application**

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DNT FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP – DEADLINE March 18, 2022

APPLY HERE: <https://thedntfoundationinc.aplos.org/2022Scholarship>

The DNT Foundation invites your graduating high school senior to apply for the 2022 DNT Foundation Scholarship Program.

Be a United States citizen attending a Prince George's County, Charles County, or District of Columbia high school; or reside in the DMV metropolitan area (within a 25-mile radius of the US Capitol, Washington, DC).

- Be a graduating high school senior (Spring 2022).
- Be planning to attend (as a full-time student) an accredited four (4) year institution of higher learning, in the United States in the upcoming academic year (Fall 2022).

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### **The Kappa Foundation of Fort Washington, (MD) Inc. Scholarship – Deadline March 21, 2022**

To qualify to compete for the Foundation's 2022 Annual Scholarship, the following criteria must be met:

1. **Must be a 2022 graduating male senior.**
2. Must have attended school in the Southern Prince George's or Charles County.
3. Must have earned a cumulative **2.5 Minimum G.P.A.** (please provide a transcript with the application) and
4. Must submit a typed 5 paragraph essay on the topic: Obtaining a College Degree is Critical to My Future.

**See Ms. Morton in the Career Center for the application**

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Blacks in Government – General and Engineering Scholarships

DEADLINE – March 31, 2022 See Ms. Morton in the Career Center for the application.

Blacks In Government is a non-profit organization that promotes EQUITY in all aspects of American Life, EXCELLENCE in public service and OPPORTUNITY for all Americans. The Coast Guard Chapter of Blacks In Government Scholarship Program is accepting applications from local high school students who will be graduating the Spring of 2022. Scholarships will be awarded in the amount of \$250 to \$750 in two categories: Students must select only ONE scholarship category

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Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc. Scholarship - Deadline March 31, 2022

APPLY HERE - <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSc4-ViWWZGMGQvm6RVav8Nbb31217-nhIrlIdMrsYhE57w0RA/viewform>

Be a Charles County HS Senior

- Have a minimum 2.5 GPA
 - Be admitted to an institution of higher education or trade school for the upcoming Fall semester
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Boule' Foundation Scholarship 2022 - DEADLINE MARCH 31, 2022

APPLY HERE: https://scholarships.uncf.org/Program/Details/6fbb4f6c-edf2-4c79-bb8f-880415ebcaba?fbclid=IwAR3ZZOO-5Qb9CtNIAFMr07_Uv6xz4KvU6c0wT-fccQwkKWdwYeUIdcbUIU

The Boule' Foundation in conjunction with the United Negro College Fund will provide annual \$4,000 merit-based scholarships to entering college freshmen students (Fall 2022) of African descent attending four-year, accredited, non-profit degree-granting colleges and universities of their choice.

Applicants for the program must meet the following criteria:

- Possess a minimum cumulative GPA of a 3.0 on a 4.0 scale.
 - Be of African descent.
 - Must be graduating from high school in the Spring of 2022, and entering college as a Full-Time Freshmen in the Fall of 2022
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Buffalo Soldiers of Maryland Foundation, Inc. DUE DATE: April 1, 2022

APPLY HERE - <https://buffalosoldiers-maryland.net/william-c-price-scholarship-application/>

The Buffalo Soldiers Motorcycle Club, Maryland Chapter provides financial assistance to students from the State of Maryland. The scholarship winner will be awarded a one-time \$2,000 academic scholarship for use at an accredited four-year college or university of their choice. The William C. Price Scholarship contest is open to African-American seniors attending high schools in Charles County, must be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident, a minimum 2.50 GPA on a 4.0 scale at the end of their first semester senior year. Finalists will be selected and notified by June 1, 2022.

QUESTIONS? blackqueen.bsmc@gmail.com or bsmd.scholarship@gmail.com

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### Educational System Federal Credit Union Support Education Foundation Scholarships

**DUE DATE: April 1, 2022**

**APPLY HERE - <https://supportededucation.org/helping-college-bound-students/>**

#### **Dorothy Marvil Scholarship: \$3,000**

Qualifications: Member of Educational Systems Federal Credit Union, Graduating high school senior, Minimum 2.75 cumulative GPA, Under the age of 21.

#### **Rosemary Brinkley Business and Finance Scholarship: \$3,000**

Qualifications: Member of Educational Systems Federal Credit Union, graduating high school senior currently enrolled in a business or finance curriculum, Minimum 2.75 cumulative GPA.

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Maryland Delegate Debra Davis Scholarship - DUE DATE: April 1, 2022

APPLY HERE:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdVGvV2kxavXwkZDfCZ0AvMgf0b_IUE9m4W-5waX1KNKihGAQ/viewform

This scholarship is intended to assist Charles County students in furthering their higher education and pursuing their career goals in the state of Maryland. We strongly encourage first-generation college students and students pursuing a certificate/licensure to apply.

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: debra.davis@house.state.md.us

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#### **LEAP FORWARD INC. Scholarships – Deadline April 4, 2022**

**APPLY HERE – <https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1eWs5RtaeB0CEghGnESCSxJnmHLx4Ofw>**

High School Graduate or Current College Student accepted by or enrolled in an accredited University/College or Trade/Vocational program with minimum GPA 2.0.

Special Requirements:

1. Underrepresented or Minority student.
  2. Display academic excellence, leadership, and community involvement.
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#### **Southern Maryland Electric Cooperative (SMECO) DEADLINE: April 6, 2022**

**APPLY HERE - <https://www.smeco.coop/community/schools/scholarships>**

SMECO is offering \$2,500 college scholarships to four high school seniors who are graduating in 2021. If you're a senior living with parents or guardians who are SMECO customer-members, and you have maintained a **minimum GPA of 3.0** on a 4.0 scale, you're eligible to apply. SMECO awards scholarships based on scholastic achievement, financial need, an interview, school involvement, and community involvement. Our Scholarship Awards Committee will contact the top eight candidates to schedule interviews.

**FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:** [natalie.cotton@smeco.coop](mailto:natalie.cotton@smeco.coop)

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The Harry Lee Jackson Jr. Memorial Scholarship DEADLINE – APRIL 8, 2022

APPLY HERE - <https://ebenezerame.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/02/Harry-L-Jackson.2022.pdf>

The scholarship is awarded annually to three deserving minority males between the ages of 16-24, residing within the Metropolitan Washington DC, Southern Maryland and Northern Virginia areas. All applicants must be attending or begin attendance, in a college or trade school by the fall of 2022.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

To be eligible for these scholarships you must:

1. Be a minority male between the ages of 16-24 years old.
2. Be a resident of Washington DC, Southern Maryland, or Northern Virginia.
3. Begin attendance in a college or trade school by the fall of 2022.
4. Submit a 200 to 300-word essay on the topic “The Responsibilities of a Christian Man and Good Student.”
5. Provide an official copy of your college acceptance letter, if you are entering your first year.
6. Provide two (2) 2022 letters of recommendation from non-family members.

Maryland State Delegate Edith J. Patterson DUE DATE: April 9, 2022

APPLY HERE –

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfL6jIRXjisXo373xvQdtC6s2KL3gIoPn8T2beAK_xuS9znAA/vi ewform

The selection of scholarship recipients will be based on the following: Academic Record: Academic performance during the student’s high school, college, or university matriculation will be considered. An unofficial copy of the student’s most recent academic records from high school, college and/or university attended must be returned with the completed application before the application deadline.

Financial Need: Selection of scholarship recipients based on need utilizes the family contribution (FC) amount that is calculated under the federal methodology (FM). The FM formula determines an amount the family is expected to pay for their son or daughter’s education.

100-word essay describing your career goals and aspirations.

Involvement/Participation in Community and Extracurricular Activities: Involvement in charitable, educational, community, neighborhood, and volunteer activities will be strongly considered. A list of extracurricular activities and community service must be returned with the completed application by the deadline

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: edith.patterson@house.state.md.us

Maryland Delegate C.T. Wilson Scholarship - DUE DATE: April 11, 2022

To be eligible for a Delegate Scholarship, you must meet the following criteria:

Be a resident of Charles County Maryland (District 28 residents only);

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You must attend or plan on attending a Maryland college or University or have your academic major approved "Unique" by the Maryland Higher Education Commission if you attend an out of state school. File an application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) before applying.

Submit an essay and your transcripts.

QUESTIONS - C.T.Wilson@house.state.md.us

Mu Omicron Chapter of Gamma Phi Delta Sorority, Inc. Achievement Scholarship – DEADLINE APRIL 15, 2022

See Ms. Morton for the application

The organization assists graduating high school seniors who have been accepted into an institution of higher learning (two- or four-year college or university, technical school, secretarial school, or other accredited institution) to continue their education. This scholarship is awarded annually. Students who remain in good standing may reapply for this scholarship annually, provided they are still enrolled in an accredited institution of higher learning.

Eligibility

- Applicant's permanent home address must be in the Washington Metropolitan Area (DC, MD, and VA)
- Applicant is a graduating high school student, a high school graduate, or a student attending an accredited institution (two or four year institution, technical school, business/secretarial school or other equivalent institution) pursuing a certificate, an associate's degree or a bachelor's degree.
- Regardless of category, applicant must be in good standing, community minded, well rounded, shows ambition and drive, demonstrates determination to reach goals, and leadership
- Individuals pursuing a graduate degree or higher are not eligible.
- **Academic standing (GPA of 2.0-2.9).**
- Applicants must be a U.S. citizen.

Mu Omicron Chapter of Gamma Phi Delta Sorority, Inc. Merit Scholarship – DEADLINE APRIL 15, 2022

See Ms. Morton for the application

The organization assists graduating high school seniors who have been accepted into an institution of higher learning (two- or four-year college or university, technical school, secretarial school, or other accredited institution) to continue their education. This scholarship is awarded annually. Students who remain in good standing may reapply for this scholarship annually, provided they are still enrolled in an accredited institution of higher learning.

Eligibility

- Applicant's permanent home address must be in the Washington Metropolitan Area (DC, MD, and VA)
- Applicant is a graduating high school student, a high school graduate, or a student attending an accredited institution (two or four year institution, technical school, business/secretarial school or other equivalent institution) pursuing a certificate, an associate's degree or a bachelor's degree.

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- Regardless of category, applicant must be in good standing, community minded, well rounded, shows ambition and drive, demonstrates determination to reach goals, and leadership
- Individuals pursuing a graduate degree or higher are not eligible.
- **Academic standing (GPA of 3.0 or better).**
- Applicants must be a U.S. citizen.

Alfred Street Baptist Church Foundation Scholarship – DEADLINE April 30, 2022

APPLY HERE – https://webportalapp.com/sp/login/asbc_foundation_application

Eligibility Requirements:

- Residence and Graduation by June 30, 2022 from a high school in the Washington, DC Metropolitan Area (Washington, D.C.; Alexandria, VA; Arlington County, VA; Fairfax County, VA; Falls Church, VA; Prince William County, VA; Prince Georges County, MD, Montgomery County, MD, and Charles County, MD) OR Alfred Street Baptist Church Membership and residence in Maryland, Virginia, or the District of Columbia
- US citizenship
- Admission to and commitment to attend a four-year institution in the Fall of 2022
- Demonstrated commitment to community service
- **Grade Point Average (GPA) of 2.5 or higher**
- Financial need – The cost of college attendance exceeds the expected family contribution plus other scholarships and grants

Port Tobacco Players Memorial Scholarship DEADLINE: May 1, 2022

APPLY HERE: <https://www.ptplayers.com/ptp-memorial-scholarship-award.html>

A candidate must: Be graduating from high school in the spring of the current school year; public, private, parochial, and home schoolers are welcome to apply. Have been accepted by an accredited college or university. Be a resident of Charles, Calvert or St. Mary's County in Southern Maryland. Have a **minimum grade point average of 3.0** (B average) as verified by an official transcript, and grades from at least 2 grading periods of the applicant's senior year. Have participated in the performing arts in some capacity, a transcript will be required with application. Have been involved in community service in some capacity. All application materials must be submitted or postmarked by the deadline as noted on the application.

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Bel Alton High School Alumni Association Scholarship DUE DATE: Midnight on Friday, June 10, 2022

The Bel Alton High School Alumni Association is offering scholarships to four Charles County Students in the amount of \$500 each. The requirements for the scholarship are:

Graduating Charles County High School Senior in the Class of 2022 with a 2.5 GPA or higher.

Former Charles County High School graduate living in Charles County with a 2.5 GPA or higher. Must be between 18 and 25 years old.

Note: The Scholarship award is contingent upon enrollment in an accredited Historically Black College or University (HBCU), or enrollment in the College of Southern Maryland, or enrollment in a vocational or trade school.

BIG SUN SCHOLARSHIP FOR STUDENT ATHLETES – DEADLINE JUNE 19, 2022

Who is eligible?

All student athletes are eligible regardless of the sport they are engaged in or the capacity in which they participate. The student must be a high school senior or be attending a post-secondary institute.

Please remember to include your name and the name of the school that you are attending.

Please send us a short essay (500 - 1,000 words) answering the following questions:

- How did your participation in sports during your high school years influence you?
- Has your participation influenced your career goals?
- Has your participation influenced how you relate to your family?

How to submit

All essay submissions should be sent to: athleticawards@bigsunathletics.com