# **SCHOLARSHIPS- Apply NOW!**

#### Let Ms. Poirier or Ms. Jones know if you have any questions!

#### **APS Scholarship Document:**

- <a href="https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1kUEv2Sd-Bv58den9pWIoEQnwj\_cR8IBoa1vR1">https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1kUEv2Sd-Bv58den9pWIoEQnwj\_cR8IBoa1vR1</a> SL8YHs/edit#gid=65341807

# **Grady Scholarship Document:**

- <a href="https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1VoKqY-I6rdrWDzABZCggh3joh84KHMj\_k1F">https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1VoKqY-I6rdrWDzABZCggh3joh84KHMj\_k1F</a> e wjgmCU/edit?usp=sharing

# **Community Foundation for Greater Atlanta Scholarships - For APS Students**

Apply to all of these scholarships below using this link:

http://cfgreateratlanta.org/community-impact/scholarships/

- Boys High Scholarship Fund- FOR GRADY SENIORS ONLY
  - To provide support for graduating high school seniors at Henry W. Grady High School in their pursuit of a college education.
- Dreams Squared Scholarship Fund
  - o GPA between 2 0-3 0
  - o Demonstrated financial need
- Nancy Penn Lyons Scholarship Fund
  - For students with financial need who have been accepted for enrollment at prestigious private or out-of-state universities
- The James M. & Virginia M. Smyth Scholarship Fund
  - To provide financial support to students enrolled at an accredited college pursuing an undergraduate degree.
  - o Cumulative 3.0 GPA
- Women's Chamber Of Commerce Scholarship Fund
  - A graduating senior at any metropolitan Atlanta high school
  - Cumulative high school grade point average of 3.0 or higher
  - Combined SAT score of 1000 or higher (critical reading and math only) or ACT composite of 22 or higher
  - Acceptance to a college or university to pursue an undergraduate degree
- George and Pearl Strickland Scholarship Fund
  - Enrolled or accepted for enrollment at Clark Atlanta University, Morehouse College, Spelman College
  - Demonstrated financial need
  - o Minimum 2 0 GPA

# More Scholarships for High School Students in GA

\*\* Remember- You are most likely to receive local, smaller scholarships than large national ones

# • Georgia Energy and Industrial Construction Consortium- Deadline 3/15

- Georgia Energy and Industrial Construction Consortium is offering up to five \$1000 scholarships for graduating seniors involved in STEM.
- o GPA of at least 2.5 required
- o <a href="http://www.geicc.org/scholarship/">http://www.geicc.org/scholarship/</a>

# • Dreams to Kings and Queens - Deadline 4/10

- Must be college-bound high school senior graduating from a Georgia high school.
- Must have a GPA of 2.75 or higher.
- Be accepted to and prepared to attend an accredited university, college, or technical school.
- o <a href="https://www.dreamstokingsandqueens.com/scholarship-giveaway">https://www.dreamstokingsandqueens.com/scholarship-giveaway</a>
- Application Process: Submit High School Transcript, Submit College Acceptance Letter, Submit a 2 page essay answering the following question: If you had the opportunity to change your community in a positive way, what specific changes would you make?

#### • Charles Harbin III Memorial Scholarship

https://charlesharbin.com/charles-harbin-scholarship/

- o Graduate from a high school or homeschool in Georgia
- Present a minimum secondary GPA of 2.75
- Exhibit integrity, self-discipline, and meaningful societal service
- Demonstrate unmet financial need

#### • Lettie Pate Whitehead Foundation Scholarship-Scholarship Website

- Female Students Residing in Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi,
   North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, or Virginia
- o Demonstrate significant unmet financial need
- Have academic merit with a minimum college GPA of 3.0

# • Charlotte Lemons Annual Student Scholarship (C.L.A.S.S.)- Application not open yet

- o http://www.madf.org/scholarship/apply
- Provides students in need of financial assistance, the opportunity to further their education at a two-year or four-year college or technical institution. This scholarship will support the education of future leaders, who will "make a difference" within their local community and the world at large.

# • Walter G. Harrison Scholarship-Deadline: 1/31

- Be accepted or enrolled in an undergraduate degree program at any accredited two-year or four-year university, college, or vocational-technical institute in Georgia.
- Complete the two-page Walter G. Harrison application.
- Write a two-page autobiographical sketch with references to plans and goals for the future.
- Live in a primary residence serviced by Central Georgia EMC.

- <a href="https://www.cgemc.com/content/walter-g-harrison-scholarship">https://www.cgemc.com/content/walter-g-harrison-scholarship</a>
- Atlanta Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority- Deadline-01/13/2020
  - o Scholarships for Atlanta Public School Seniors with a required 3.0 GPA
  - o <a href="https://www.atlantaalumnaedst.org/">https://www.atlantaalumnaedst.org/</a>
- 2020 SACAC Horizon Award Student Scholarship Deadline 1/17
  - https://www.sacac.org/knowledge-center/for-students-and-parents/horizon-award/
  - o GA High School Students
  - The Horizon Award will be awarded to five high school students in the amount of \$1,000 for one-time use.

# **Databases for GA Scholarships:**

- <a href="https://www.scholarships.com/financial-aid/college-scholarships/scholarships-by-state/ge-orgia-scholarships/">https://www.scholarships.com/financial-aid/college-scholarships/scholarships-by-state/ge-orgia-scholarships/</a>
- <a href="https://www.mycollegeoptions.org/GA/0/Georgia/search-results-scholarship-search-by-location.aspx">https://www.mycollegeoptions.org/GA/0/Georgia/search-results-scholarship-search-by-location.aspx</a>

#### **Popular Scholarship Websites:**

- Fastweb https://www.fastweb.com/
- Cappex <a href="https://www.cappex.com/">https://www.cappex.com/</a>
- Unigo <a href="https://www.unigo.com/">https://www.unigo.com/</a>
- Big Future- <a href="https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/">https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/</a>
- JLV- <a href="https://jlvcollegecounseling.com/scholarships/all-scholarships-2/">https://jlvcollegecounseling.com/scholarships/all-scholarships-2/</a>
- BrokeScholar: www.brokescholar.com
- Career One Stop- https://www.careeronestop.org/Toolkit/Training/find-scholarships.aspx

#### **More Scholarships:**

- **DECA Scholarships** https://www.deca.org/high-school-programs/scholarships/
- John F. Kennedy Library Foundation Essay Contest Scholarship-Deadline 01/17/2020
  - o <a href="https://www.jfklibrary.org/learn/education/profile-in-courage-essay-contest">https://www.jfklibrary.org/learn/education/profile-in-courage-essay-contest</a>
  - The Profile in Courage Essay Contest challenges students to write an original and creative essay that demonstrates an understanding of <u>political courage</u> as <u>described by John F. Kennedy in *Profiles in Courage*.
    </u>
  - Essay Topic- Describe and analyze an act of political courage by a U.S. elected official who served during or after 1917, the year John F. Kennedy was born.
    - Include an analysis of the obstacles, risks, and consequences associated with the act.
    - The essay may concern an issue at the local, state, national, or international level
- APIA SCHOLARS Deadline 1/22
  - Be of Asian and/or Pacific Islander ethnicity as defined by the U.S. Census

- Be enrolled as an undergraduate student in a U.S. accredited college or university in the Fall of 2020.
- Have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.7 on a 4.0 scale (unweighted or HOPE GPA)
- Must apply for the FAFSA (College Advisers can help you do this!).
- Submit one letter of recommendation online
- o <a href="https://apiascholars.org/scholarship/apia-scholarship/">https://apiascholars.org/scholarship/apia-scholarship/</a>

# • TheDream.US Opportunity Scholarship- Deadline- 1/30

- O Must have a 2.8/4.0 GPA
- You must have current DACA or TPS or certify that you meet the following immigration eligibility criteria:
  - Came to the United States before the age of 16;
  - Have continuously resided in the United States since November 1, 2014 up to the present time and have had no lawful status;
  - Are currently in high school or have graduated from a United States high school; and
  - Have not been convicted of a felony, significant misdemeanor, or three or more other misdemeanors in the categories which would have disqualified you for DACA, and do not otherwise pose a threat to national security or public safety.
- <a href="https://www.thedream.us/scholarships/opportunity-scholarship/apply-opportunity-scholarship">https://www.thedream.us/scholarships/opportunity-scholarship/apply-opportunity-scholarship</a>

#### • Jackie Robinson Foundation Scholarship- Deadline- 2/01

- Be a graduating high school senior;
- Plan to attend an accredited and approved four-year institution within the United States:
- Show leadership potential;
- Demonstrate a dedication to community service;
- Present evidence of financial need;
- Be a United States citizen:
- Have a minimum SAT score of 1,000 or a composite ACT score of 21
- o https://www.jackierobinson.org/apply/

# • UNCF Stem Scholars Program- HBCU- Deadline- 3/19/20

- o Eligibility Criteria
  - Be African American
  - Have a cumulative GPA of 3.0 on an unweighted 4.0 scale
  - Pursued a rigorous course of study in high school in math and science courses, including pre-calculus
  - Have demonstrated financial and unmet need as measured by the student's college or university
  - Show evidence of readiness for and commitment to pursue STEM majors

- Be enrolled for the first time at a U.S.-located, accredited college or university (with the exception of students concurrently pursuing a high school diploma while taking college-level courses) in the fall as a full-time, degree-seeking, first-year student
- <a href="https://scholarships.uncf.org/Program/Details/1db5d542-4b11-42b1-adee-c142fc0dea43">https://scholarships.uncf.org/Program/Details/1db5d542-4b11-42b1-adee-c142fc0dea43</a>

#### • ACS Scholarship Program- Deadline- 3/1

- https://www.acs.org/content/acs/en/funding-and-awards/scholarships/acsscholars.
   html
- Be a U.S. citizen or a legal permanent U.S. resident
- Be African-American/Black, Hispanic/Latino, or American Indian (please see below for more details)
- Intend to major or already major in chemistry, biochemistry, chemical engineering, chemical technology, or another chemistry-related science AND plant to pursue a career in a chemistry-related science as well
- Be a full-time student at a high school or accredited college, university, or community college
- Demonstrate high academic achievement in chemistry or science (Grade Point Average 3.0 or higher)

# • Beyond the Boroughs- Deadline- 3/16

- Applicants must be accepted to an accredited four-year college. A minimum GPA of 2.5 is required. Selection is primarily based on demonstration of financial need, academic achievement, work history and extracurricular involvement.
- http://www.beyondtheboroughs.org/
- http://www.beyondtheboroughs.org/the-scholarship/the-application/

#### • Burger King Scholars Program- Deadline- 12/15

- <a href="https://bkmclamorefoundation.org/who-we-are/programs/burger-king-scholars-program/application-information/">https://bkmclamorefoundation.org/who-we-are/programs/burger-king-scholars-programs/pullication-information/</a>
- Applicants may apply from public, private, vocational, technical, parochial, and alternative high schools in the US, Canada and Puerto Rico and must be US or Canadian residents. Applicants do NOT need to work at Burger King, but Burger King employees are eligible.
- Students who have a cumulative unweighted grade point average (GPA) of at least 3.3
- Students who have a minimum ACT Composite score of 25 or a minimum combined SAT score of 1220,
- Students who demonstrate an active leadership role in community service, athletics, and/or similar co-curricular activity (such as student government, team sports, fraternal life, etc); and,
- Students who demonstrate substantial work experience.

# • HBCU- William A. William III Scholarship Fund- Deadline- Last Friday of February

- <a href="http://www.wynn3scholars.com/application.html">http://www.wynn3scholars.com/application.html</a>
- The William A. William III Scholarship Fund was created to provide assistance to young men and women throughout the United States who desire to attend college. The intent of this fund is to assist in furthering education for those who will give back to their community as William did. The award will provide a \$1000 scholarship to recipients(s) pursuing an education at an HBCU while majoring in a business related field.