

# 2020-2021 Scholarship Document

- Below you will find a list of local and national scholarships. Please make sure that you carefully read the information that is provided for **EVERY** scholarship. Scholarships that require students to submit their completed application to Ms. Juli, **must be printed off or emailed to me completed with all supporting documents.**
- If you are interested in learning about the **different scholarships at 4-year colleges & universities in Virginia**, [click here](#). This link shows you the different scholarships each school provides (amounts and due dates vary).
- The **FAFSA is OPEN**, and every senior interested in any educational plan after high school should plan to complete it as soon as possible if you have not already. Students and parents can create their FSA IDs at any time at <http://fsaid.ed.gov>, and the **FAFSA** can be found at <http://fafsa.gov>.
- See me in my office next to guidance if you or your parents any questions, or as always email me at [juli.abbott@patrick.k12.va.us](mailto:juli.abbott@patrick.k12.va.us)
- If you are planning on attending Patrick Henry Community College check out scholarships specifically for them at this link: <https://www.patrickhenry.edu/financesbtn/125-scholarships>
- \*Will update when more information and scholarships become available\*
- There is a list of useful scholarship search engines at the bottom use them to explore scholarships other than these!
- Contact me for local scholarship application forms

Name	Amount	Due Date	Description	Application Link	Eligibility
Virginia Tuition Assistance Grant Program	Up to \$2,600	July 31, 2021	VTAG provides annual grants to Virginia residents who are full-time students at an eligible private college or university. Students will need to complete the application and submit it to their institution's financial aid office.	2021-2022 Application is not yet available.	Visit <a href="https://www.schev.edu/docs/default-source/tuition-aid-section/financial-aid/vtagfactsheet.pdf?sfvrsn=4">https://www.schev.edu/docs/default-source/tuition-aid-section/financial-aid/vtagfactsheet.pdf?sfvrsn=4</a> for eligible schools.

Virginia Guaranteed Assistance Program		TBD	VGAP provides an incentive to financially needy students now attending school in Virginia to raise their expectations and their academic performance to consider higher education an achievable objective in their future.	Contact the financial aid office at the college you plan to attend for application procedures and deadlines.	Visit <a href="https://www.schev.edu/docs/default-source/tuition-aid-section/undergrad-financial-aid/vgapfactsheet.pdf">https://www.schev.edu/docs/default-source/tuition-aid-section/undergrad-financial-aid/vgapfactsheet.pdf</a> for more information.
SOAR Virginia	Up to \$2,000	N/A	SOAR Virginia prepares eligible high school students across Virginia for success in post-secondary education through a combination of individual advising and encouragement.	<a href="http://eip.gmu.edu/wp-content/uploads/2019/11/SOAR-Virginia-Enrollment-Form-19-20.pdf">http://eip.gmu.edu/wp-content/uploads/2019/11/SOAR-Virginia-Enrollment-Form-19-20.pdf</a>	<a href="#">Learn more about SOAR here</a>
Virginia's Future Leaders Scholarship Program	TBD	March 2021	The Virginia's Future Leaders Scholarship program is a statewide education initiative of the Virginia broadband industry.	Not available until January 2021	<a href="https://www.vcta.com/">https://www.vcta.com/</a>
Virginia Commonwealth Award Program	From \$500 up to \$3,500	TBD	This is a need-based grant. Awards to undergraduate students are proportional to the student's need, so those students with the greatest need receive the largest grant amounts.	Contact your school's financial aid office for procedures and deadlines.	Learn more here: <a href="https://www.schev.edu/docs/default-source/tuition-aid-section/financial-aid/va-commonwealth-award-fact-sheet.pdf">https://www.schev.edu/docs/default-source/tuition-aid-section/financial-aid/va-commonwealth-award-fact-sheet.pdf</a>
The Lettie Pate Whitehead Foundation	TBD	TBD	The foundation's scholarship program awards annual grants for the education of deserving female students with financial need at more than 200 accredited institutions in Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee and Virginia. Applications are accepted directly through the university.	Contact your school's financial aid office.	Scroll to the bottom of the page to see which Virginia schools have this scholarship opportunity: <a href="https://lpwhitehead.org/grants-program/scholarship-program/">https://lpwhitehead.org/grants-program/scholarship-program/</a>

Be Bold scholarship	2,000	March 15 <sup>th</sup> , 2021	<p>“As a female founder, I want to encourage other young women, who are thinking about starting up a business, to just give it a go. You will learn so much, and gain so much more experience than starting at the bottom of the ladder at a large corporate. And if you discover that startup life isn’t for you, you’ll still stand out from other applicants when you re-enter the workforce.”</p>	<a href="https://www.goskills.com/scholarship">https://www.goskills.com/scholarship</a>	Any female high-school or college student, who wants to start her own online business.
Don’t Text & Drive scholarship	1,000	March 15 <sup>th</sup>	<p>Applicants must submit a 500+ word essay on the following topic: [Find the Last Text Conversation You Had When You Were Texting &amp; Driving. Screen-Cap It. All Of It. Include The Screen-Cap(s) In Your Submission.]</p> <p>Discuss The Importance Of That Text Conversation In Relation To The Risk You Took. Why Did You Feel The Urge To Take That Risk That Particular Time? Do You Text &amp; Drive Frequently? Why Is It Difficult For You To Stop Texting &amp; Driving? Can You Stop Texting &amp; Driving Completely? Will You?</p>	<a href="https://www.mjqlaw.com/scholarship/">https://www.mjqlaw.com/scholarship/</a>	Any student, 24 years old or younger, that is currently admitted or enrolled in a four-year college/university or graduate school or will be applying to one in the next calendar year is eligible.

Hughes Memorial Foundation scholarship	Amounts Vary	Opens Feb1- Deadline April 1	The Hughes Memorial Foundation is a charitable non-profit organization that seeks to aid deserving children in Virginia and North Carolina, and linear offspring of Hughes Memorial Home alumnae. Guided by the example of Jesus Christ and continuing the legacy of John E. Hughes, the Foundation will be prudent stewards of the resources entrusted to us and will provide scholarships and grants, support projects, and initiate programs which will provide care, training, and nurture.	<a href="https://www.hughesmemorialfoundation.org/">https://www.hughesmemorialfoundation.org/</a>	-2.5 GPA minimum -Plan to enroll in minimum of 12 credit hours
Innovation in Education scholarship	500	Every Month on the 20 <sup>th</sup>	-Must have designed an innovative project that makes a difference in the lives of others (This could be a website, series of blogs, an app, fundraising event, etc.) -Must submit an essay describing the goal of the particular project and provide supporting documentation. There is no minimum or maximum word/page count.	<a href="https://www.latutors123.com/scholarships/innovation-in-education/">https://www.latutors123.com/scholarships/innovation-in-education/</a>	-Must currently be enrolled as a high school or college/university student. -Must have a cumulative GPA of at least 3.0
Nuts & Bolts Scholarship	Up to 3,500	March 31 <sup>st</sup>	You must be enrolled in or entering a certificate or degree program that will lead to a career in manufacturing. Only full-time students (12 credit hours or more) currently enrolled in or who plan to attend a technical or trade school, community college, or university in the upcoming semester should apply.	<a href="https://www.nutsandboltsfoundation.org/scholarships#scholarship-deadlines">https://www.nutsandboltsfoundation.org/scholarships#scholarship-deadlines</a>	-Currently enrolled in or entering a certificate or degree program which leads to a manufacturing career on a full-time basis (12 or more credit hours).  -Have a 2.5 GPA for trade, community, or technical colleges or 3.0 GPA for universities.
Spencer-Penn Alumni Association George W Burton Scholarship	Amount Varies	April 1st	The applicant shall be a graduate or a senior eligible for graduation from high school who plans to enroll as a full-time student for the first time in an institution of higher learning. The institution to be attended shall be located within the United States and shall be accredited by the appropriate accrediting agency.	<a href="https://www.henry.k12.va.us/cms/lib/VA0100023/Centricity/ModuleInstance/22095/Spencer%20Penn%20Scholarship.pdf">https://www.henry.k12.va.us/cms/lib/VA0100023/Centricity/ModuleInstance/22095/Spencer%20Penn%20Scholarship.pdf</a>	The applicant shall have attended Spencer-Penn School for at least one year or shall be a direct descendant (child, grandchild) of a student of Spencer-Penn School.

Virginia's Sheriff Institute Scholarship	TBD	Jan 31 <sup>st</sup> - May 1st	The Virginia Sheriffs' Scholarship program was established to provide an opportunity for young people across Virginia to pursue an education in criminal justice. Accordingly, the Board of Directors has established the application process for students to receive scholarships to assist in their educational endeavors. The scholarships are available only to students in jurisdictions where sheriffs participated in scholarship fundraising efforts. This program is limited to students attending Virginia colleges and universities.	<a href="https://vasheriffsinstitute.org/scholarship/">https://vasheriffsinstitute.org/scholarship/</a>	<p>-Only majors in the criminal justice field will qualify for a scholarship.</p> <p>-A. Students must be a permanent resident in a Virginia county or city where their sheriff is a member of the Virginia Sheriffs' Institute (VSI) and has authorized the VSI to conduct a direct mail special appeal to raise funds for the scholarship program.</p> <p>B. Students, 18 and older, must be registered Virginia voters and provide a copy of their voter registration card. Students under the age of 18 are required to provide a copy of a government issued picture ID with their home address, providing proof of residency</p>
B Davis Scholarship	1,000	May 22nd	The generosity of our site sponsors have allowed us to offer a scholarship to help the students who visit our site	<a href="http://www.studentawardsearch.com/scholarships.htm">http://www.studentawardsearch.com/scholarships.htm</a>	This Scholarship is available to all high school juniors and seniors as well as all students currently registered in any post secondary institution.

Mattress Nerd Scholarship	1,000	April 1st	We'd love to hear from more students with a dedication to sustainability and conscientious buying so we can build on our own knowledge and be a contributor to offering an insight on how people can live more environmentally friendly. Write a 500-1,000-word essay	<a href="https://www.mattressnerd.com/scholarship/">https://www.mattressnerd.com/scholarship/</a>	Applicant must be someone who is promoting positive environmental change
Lisa Sechrist Memorial Foundation Scholarship	Up to 2,500	March 31st	The Lisa Sechrist Memorial Foundation Scholarship Fund provides educational funds to young women who would like to continue their education but require financial assistance. The goal is to provide experience for young women to gain self-confidence and job skills.	<a href="http://www.lisasechrist.com/scholarship_app.html">http://www.lisasechrist.com/scholarship_app.html</a>	Positive consideration will be given to female candidates who are members of honor societies, participate in sports, or other extra curricular activities, demonstrate citizenship and service within the community, and/or exhibit leadership skills within the school or community. 2.5 gpa or higher
Mattress Advisor Sleep scholarship	1,000	March 20 <sup>th</sup>	Applicants need to submit a written piece exploring their personal relationship with sleep health and the impact it's had on their education in an 800-1000 word essay. It should: Quote research from recent studies in this field and explain what resources are available to help reduce poor sleep health.	<a href="https://www.mattressadvisor.com/sleep-scholarships/">https://www.mattressadvisor.com/sleep-scholarships/</a>	Plan to enroll full-time to a 4yr university/college
H. H. Webb and Nora Midkiff Webb Benevolent Trust	3,000	April 1st	Scholarship awarded based on financial need and scholastic ability	<a href="#">Contact me for application*</a>	Have applied to college
2021 Granville P. Meade Scholarship	2,000	March 5 <sup>th</sup>	*Message me for further details*	<a href="#">Contact me for application details*</a>	

HRMS Alumni Association scholarship	300-1,000	March 26 <sup>th</sup>	*Message me for further details*	<a href="file:///C:/Users/VCAC-Adviser/Downloads/SKM_C458%20(S21010610280.pdf">file:///C:/Users/VCAC-Adviser/Downloads/SKM_C458%20(S21010610280.pdf</a>	Must have attended Hardin Reynolds or a family member did
Tammy Thompson Harrison Memorial scholarship	500	March 26 <sup>th</sup>	*Message me for further details	<a href="#">Contact me for application**</a>	Planning on pursuing studies in education
Doris Woods Scholarship	(2) 200	March 26 <sup>th</sup>	Mrs. Wood was the secretary at Patrick Springs Primary School for many years. This scholarship is for students who attended Patrick Springs Primary School. Message me for Application*	<a href="#">Contact me for application**</a>	Attended Patrick Springs primary school
Woolwine Elementary School Scholarship	500	March 26 <sup>th</sup>		<a href="#">Contact me for the application**</a>	Must have attended Woolwine Elementary school
Woolwine Elementary School PTO Scholarship	(2) 500	March 26 <sup>th</sup>		<a href="#">Contact me for the application**</a>	Must have attended Woolwine Elementary School
Stuart Rotary Scholarship Program	500-2,000	April 1st	Multiple Scholarships with awards ranging from 500-2,000. Non renewable	<a href="#">Contact me for the application**</a>	-Graduating seniors demonstrating good character, acceptable academic performance (GPA of 2.0 or higher), and financial need.

Stuart Rotary First-Generation Scholarship Program	2,000	April 1st	1 Scholarship that is renewable for all 4 years totaling 8,000. Stuart Rotary Loan and Scholarship Foundation is pleased to offer a new scholarship benefitting “first-generation” college-bound seniors. A first generation student is someone whose parent(s) or legal guardian(s) did not complete a bachelor’s degree or higher.	<a href="#">Contact me for the application**</a>	-Be a “first-generation” student -Minimum 3.0 Cumulative GPA
Meadows of Dan Womens Club scholarship	1,000	March 26 <sup>th</sup>		<a href="#">Contact me for the application**</a>	The student has to either live in Meadows of Dan or has attended Meadows of Dan elementary school.
Stuart Athletic Booster Club scholarship	(2) 250	March 26 <sup>th</sup>	The scholarship will be given to 1 male and 1 female athlete	<a href="#">Contact me for application**</a>	Must have attended Stuart Elementary School
Perry Family Scholarship	500	March 26 <sup>th</sup>	Priority given to students applying to Surry Community College, Virginia Tech, Appalachian State University, Radford University, Lees-McCrae College And For Graduates of Blue Ridge Elementary School or Live in the Dan River District of Patrick County.	<a href="#">Contact me for the application**</a>	Must write about some aspect of history that interests you
Nancy Susan Reynolds Scholarship	TBD	March 26 <sup>th</sup>	Must submit copy of FAFSA SAR*	<a href="#">Contact me for application**</a>	



Other local scholarships that are available	Amounts Vary	March 26 <sup>th</sup>	Scholarships include: Ararat Ruritan Club, Christopher Newton Cobbler Memorial Scholarship (Patrick County Master Gardeners Association), Delta Kappa Gamma, Dr. Houston B. Roberson Scholarship, Excellence in Nursing, Meadows of Dan Elementary School, Patrick County Fire & Rescue, Patrick County High School Class of '71, Patrick County Historical Society: Henry G. Ayers Memorial Scholarship, Patrick County Sheriff's Office, Patrick County Retired Teachers, Patrick Springs Ruritan Club, Ross-Harbour UMC, Stuart Elementary School, Stuart Elementary PTO	<a href="#">Contact me for the application**</a>	
Institute for Advanced Learning and Research	1,000	March 29 <sup>th</sup>	IALR will award up to sixteen STEM Scholarships to eight school divisions, each in the amount of \$1,000. The scholarship is intended to support a graduating senior who expresses a desire to continue her or his education, specifically in the areas of science, technology, engineering and/or math.	<a href="#">Contact me for the application**</a>	Student plans to major in a science (includes health), technology, engineering or math field.
Create a Greeting Card scholarship	10,000	March 9 <sup>th</sup>	Submit original photo, artwork or computer graphics for the front of a greeting card.	<a href="https://www.gallerycollecion.com/greeting-cards-scholarship.htm">https://www.gallerycollecion.com/greeting-cards-scholarship.htm</a>	Must be 14 years or older at time of entry and be enrolled in High School, College, University or Homeschool.
The Society of the Cincinnati History Essay Contest for College Scholarship	4,000-6,000	March 12 <sup>th</sup>	Essay topic: Washington's Spies and their influence on Our Revolutionary War. Entry should be limited to 1,500 words (excluding citations)	<a href="#">Contact me for the application*</a>	Any graduating Virginia High school student who has been admitted to a four-year college or university in the Commonwealth of Va and plans to attend fall of 2021

URW Scholarship	500	April 1st	The applicant will be selected on the basis of need, academic achievement, and merit.	<u>Contact me for the application**</u>	Applicant must have been a member of URW Community FCU for 12 months prior to submitting application
2021 Stan Parker Memorial Scholarship by Roanoke Valley Wrestling Association	1,000	March 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Applicants will be evaluated in the following areas: financial need, association with wrestling, citizenship and character including community service activities, and academic achievement	<u>Contact me for the application**</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Be active in wrestling and student activities</li> <li>OR son/daughter of coach, official or someone actively involved in the wrestling community</li> <li>-Maintain at least a C average</li> <li>-Letter of recommendation required from coach or someone in wrestling community</li> <li>-Submit a letter explaining financial need</li> </ul>

<p>GRASP Last Dollar Scholarship</p>	<p>1,000</p>	<p>April 16<sup>th</sup></p>	<p>Students who have met with the GRASP Adviser and demonstrate unmet financial need.</p> <p><b>Fill out the application and save your changes, then email as an attachment to <a href="mailto:scholarships@grasp4va.org">scholarships@grasp4va.org</a> along with the required documents.</b></p>	<p><a href="https://grasp4va.org/last-dollar-scholarship-application">https://grasp4va.org/last-dollar-scholarship-application</a></p> <p><u>If you have any questions, need any help or would like to meet with our GRASP adviser email Mrs. Deekens at <a href="mailto:carolyn.deekens@patrick.k12.va.us">carolyn.deekens@patrick.k12.va.us</a></u></p>	<p>Met with the high school GRASP advisor during his or her senior year</p> <p>Possess at least a 2.0 cumulative grade point average</p> <p>Will graduate from high school spring of 2021</p> <p>Demonstrate unmet financial need (A college financial aid award letter will be requested before the scholarship is granted.)</p> <p>Will attend a post-secondary school in Virginia (public or private)</p> <p>Have successfully filed a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)</p>
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<p>GRASP Community College Pathway Scholarships</p>	<p>1,000</p>	<p>April 16<sup>th</sup></p>	<p>GRASP will award scholarships to selected applicants for \$1,000 for their first year of community college. Scholarships <i>may</i> be renewed for a second year of the recipients' program. Eligible scholarship recipients will enroll at a <b>Virginia Community College</b> to either complete a career certificate or with the intent to transfer to a Virginia four-year public or private institution through a Virginia Guaranteed Admission Agreement.</p>	<p><a href="https://grasp4va.org/cc-pathway-scholarship">https://grasp4va.org/cc-pathway-scholarship</a></p> <p><u>If you have any questions, need any help or would like to meet with our GRASP adviser email Mrs. Deekens at <a href="mailto:carolyn.deekens@patrick.k12.va.us">carolyn.deekens@patrick.k12.va.us</a></u></p>	<p>Have met with the high school GRASP advisor to establish a post-secondary plan</p> <p>Possess at least a 2.0 cumulative high school grade point average</p> <p>Will graduate from high school spring of 2021</p> <p>Have filed a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)</p> <p>Have financial need (EFC of \$12,000 or less) as determined by the FAFSA</p>
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<p>Louie Family Foundation Scholarship</p>	<p>4,000</p>	<p>March 15<sup>th</sup></p>	<p>This scholarship is for high school seniors and students who will be attending a college or university in the United States as a freshman during the 2021-2022 academic year. Applicants who are currently not seniors in high school (e.g., students who are taking a gap year or adults returning to school), but applicants who will be considered incoming freshmen are eligible to apply. Applicants should have demonstrated outstanding personal achievements, academic merit, leadership qualities and/or community service.</p> <p>Special consideration will be noted for applicants:  A) who have parents that are United States veterans or are currently in the U.S. military;  B) with a demonstrated financial need; or  C) with parents who did not attend college.</p>	<p><a href="https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/10179.louie_family_foundation_scholarships_scholarship.php">https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/10179.louie_family_foundation_scholarships_scholarship.php</a></p>	<p>-Be a freshman in the 2021-2022 academic year and anticipate enrolling at a U.S. accredited college/university in the 2021-2022 academic year.  - Have a cumulative, un-weighted grade point average between 3.7 and 4.0 on a 4.0 scale (or equivalent)  - Have a minimum SAT score of 1300 (out of 1600) or a minimum ACT score of 27.  However, if you did not take the SAT or the ACT because the school you will be attending in the fall of 2021 does not require such test scores, please so indicate in the application form. The Foundation will verify this with the school prior to any award.</p>
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<p>Lockheed Martin STEM scholarships</p>	<p>10,000</p>	<p>April 1st</p>	<p>We are committed to providing access to pathways through education and into the STEM workforce for all students, particularly those from diverse backgrounds and communities historically underrepresented in STEM fields.</p> <p>Each year, the STEM Scholarship Program awards \$10,000 to 200 recipients studying engineering or computer science at a 4-year college or university. Recipients may renew the scholarship up to three times for a total potential value of \$40,000 per student.</p> <p>Scholarship recipients are selected based on consideration of academic performance, demonstrated leadership and participation in school and community activities, work experience, a statement of career and educational goals and objectives, unusual personal or family circumstances and an outside appraisal.</p> <p>Additional consideration will be given to applicants who self-identify as members of groups that are traditionally underrepresented in STEM careers, including: Women; Racial and ethnic minorities; Individuals with a disability (as defined by the Americans with Disabilities Act); Individuals that identify as LGBTQ; Individuals that are or will be first-generation college students.</p>	<p><a href="https://www.lockheedmartin.com/en-us/who-we-are/communities/stem-education/lm-scholarship-program.html">https://www.lockheedmartin.com/en-us/who-we-are/communities/stem-education/lm-scholarship-program.html</a></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-U.S. citizen</li> <li>-Demonstrated financial need</li> <li>-High school senior with a 2.5 or above GPA</li> <li>-Current or planned 4-year degree enrollment in the following major: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Aerospace Engineering</b></li> <li><b>Computer Engineering</b></li> <li><b>Computer Science</b></li> <li><b>Electrical Engineering</b></li> <li><b>Electrical and Computer Engineering</b></li> <li><b>Industrial Engineering</b></li> <li><b>Mechanical Engineering</b></li> <li><b>Physics</b></li> </ul> </li> <li>-Current or planned full-time attendance at an accredited U.S. four-year college or university</li> </ul>
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<p>Intertech Foundation STEM scholarship</p>	<p>2,500</p>	<p>April 15<sup>th</sup></p>	<p>Through our STEM Scholarships, The Intertech Foundation focuses on young people's inspiration and the building of their science, engineering, and technology skills. If you have excelled in Math and Science and will be graduating from high school this spring, and plan to pursue college studies in computer science in the fall of 2021, consider applying.</p>	<p><a href="https://www.intertech.com/stem-scholarships/">https://www.intertech.com/stem-scholarships/</a></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Cumulative high school GPA of 3.3 or higher</li> <li>-An intent to study computer science</li> <li>-Copy of official school transcript (a copy of your high school transcript will suffice)</li> <li>-Resume defining paid work and volunteer experience, as well as extracurricular activities</li> <li>-Two letters of recommendation (one of which should be from a Math or Science teacher familiar with the student)</li> <li>-Copy of official college/university acceptance letter (optional to apply but required prior to first payment)</li> <li>-350 to 500-word essay describing the students work ethic and what they hope to accomplish in the "real world" of computer science after graduation from college/university</li> </ul>
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Patrick Henry Community College Scholarships	Various amounts	Various Due dates	Students planning on attending Patrick Henry Community College	<a href="https://www.patrickhenry.edu/financialservices/btn/125-scholarships">https://www.patrickhenry.edu/financialservices/btn/125-scholarships</a>	
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**Scholarship search engines:** Use key phrases like “scholarships+ virginia, +your major of interest, + gpa from x-x, etc” If you need help finding some I'm happy to share other tips and tricks just ask me!

[scholarships.com](http://scholarships.com)

[scholarships360.com](http://scholarships360.com)

[cappex.com](http://cappex.com)

[fastweb.com](http://fastweb.com)

[chegg.com](http://chegg.com)

[niche.com](http://niche.com)

[collegeboard.org](http://collegeboard.org) ([bigfuture.collegeboard.org/scholarship-search](http://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/scholarship-search))

[myscholly.com](http://myscholly.com)

[petersons.com/scholarship-search.aspx](http://petersons.com/scholarship-search.aspx)

[finaid.org](http://finaid.org)

[military.com/education/money-for-school](http://military.com/education/money-for-school)

[unigo.com/scholarships#/fromscholarshipexperts](http://unigo.com/scholarships#/fromscholarshipexperts)

[studentscholarships.org](http://studentscholarships.org)

[studentscholarshipsearch.com](http://studentscholarshipsearch.com)

[goingmerry.com](http://goingmerry.com)

<https://www.careeronestop.org/Toolkit/Training/find-scholarships.aspx>

<https://www.anthonystoneal.com/scholarships>



<https://jlvcollegecounseling.com/scholarships/>

<http://www.smartscholar.com/>

[uncf.org](http://uncf.org)

[https://docs.google.com/document/d/1xQJahIE1BqENMy\\_QHPpXOHc5pI8pZUMj8HLFqI4m7o/edit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/document/d/1xQJahIE1BqENMy_QHPpXOHc5pI8pZUMj8HLFqI4m7o/edit?usp=sharing)

[bold.org](http://bold.org)

# PCHS Local Scholarship Cover Letter

This year, we will continue with requiring only one application for most local scholarships; however, we have edited the application to be **completed online** via pdf. Please read the following instructions very carefully to ensure you complete the application completely and correctly.

**Students make sure that you are completing this application online through DocHob, [www.dochub.com](http://www.dochub.com).** You will be able to save and make edits to the application.

**You are required to turn in a typed, signed, hard copy cover letter and application, with all required attachments (essay & hs transcript) printed out as well. All materials are due to Ms. Abbott no later than Friday, March 26th, 4:00 PM. Students are able to print off scholarship documents from the computer lab.**

Circle or highlight each scholarship you are applying for:

## **Ararat Ruritan Club**

*Must have attended BRES*

## **Christopher Newton Cobbler Memorial Scholarship (Patrick County Master Gardeners Association)**

*Must be pursuing a college degree in agriculture, botany, ecology, environmental science, forestry, greenhouse management, horticulture, permaculture, landscape design, soil and water conservation, or turf management*

## **Delta Kappa Gamma**

*Female student pursuing a degree in education*

## **Doris Wood**

*Must have attended Patrick Springs Primary School*

## **Dr. Houston B. Roberson Scholarship**

***Share an additional essay on the topic of diversity. How do you embrace the unique differences among individuals or groups based on ethnicity, race, age, socioeconomic status, gender, exceptionalities, language, religion, sexual orientation, or geographical locations? Describe how you could make a difference in your present community by bringing ALL people together and celebrating diversity.***

## **Excellence In Nursing**

*Must plan on pursuing a nursing degree at Patrick Henry CC. Priority consideration will be given on a needs basis.*

**Hardin Reynolds MS Alumni Association Scholarship**

*You or a family member must have attended Hardin Reynolds. Separate application\**

**Meadows of Dan Elementary School**

*Must have attended Meadows of Dan Elementary School*

**Meadows of Dan Woman's Club**

*Must either live in Meadows of Dan or have attended Meadows of Dan Elementary*

**Nancy Susan Reynolds**

*Students must select from **prompts 1-6 only**; attach **Student Aid Report (SAR)** from your FAFSA application*

**Nathaniel and Nannie Ruth Cooper Terry Scholarship**

*Include 250-650 word **handwritten** essay on the following topic: Where do you want to be in 10 years? What do you want to be doing? Why*

**Patrick County Fire & Rescue**

*Applicant and/or parent/guardian must be a member of a Patrick County Fire Dept or Rescue Squad (**Include name of person affiliated, department/squad, position(s)/rank, and years of service in Add. Info Section**)*

**Patrick County High School Class of '71**

*Include parent/ grandparent PCHS graduation year in Additional Info*

**Patrick County Historical Society: Henry G. Ayers Memorial Scholarship**

*Students are **required to include an additional one-page essay about:** The importance of studying or learning something about local history.*

**Patrick County Sheriff's Office**

**Patrick County Retired Teachers**

*Must be planning to study education*

**Patrick Springs Ruritan Club**

*Student must have attended Patrick Springs or Hardin Reynolds*

**Perry Family Scholarship**

*Separate Application. \* Must write an essay about some aspect of History that interests you*

**Ross- Harbour UMC Scholarship**

*Separate Application\**

**Stuart Athletics Booster Club**

*Separate application\**

**Stuart Elementary School**

*Must have attended Stuart Elementary*

**Stuart Elementary PTO**

*Must have attended Stuart Elementary*

**Tammy Thompson Harrison Scholarship**

*Must have attended Blue Ridge Elementary School and pursuing a degree in education*

**Woolwine PTO**

*Must have attended Woolwine Elementary*

**Woolwine Warrior**

*Must have attended Woolwine Elementary*

## Patrick County HS Local Scholarship Application



**Name:**

**Address:**

**Class rank:** of 180 **GPA:**

**Elementary School You Attended:**

**Do you feel there are any factors throughout your high school career that have unusually affected your GPA?**

**If you have taken the SAT or ACT, please list your highest scores.**

**SAT:**      *English:*      *Math:*      **ACT:**

**If you have not taken either test, please indicate why.**

**Describe where you plan to attend, major you are pursuing, and what you hope to gain from your higher education experience throughout college (approx. 100 words):**

**Personal statement of future career goals and objectives (approx. 100-200 words):**

**Do you work? If yes, where?**

**How do you spend your time outside school hours? Please include volunteering, work, athletics, clubs, family responsibilities, church you attend, church activities, etc.**

**Father/Guardian Name & Occupation:**

**Mother/Guardian Name & Occupation:**

**Annual family income (circle what applies) :** < \$20,000      \$20,000-\$30,000  
\$30,000-\$40,000      \$40,000-\$50,000      \$50,000-\$60,000      \$60,000-\$70,000  
\$70,000-\$80,000      >\$80,000

**How many people are supported by this income?**

**Please describe any situations causing financial hardship.**

**Have you completed the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid)?**

Yes No

**If you have not completed the FAFSA, please explain.**

**Additional Information: If you are applying to multiple scholarships, please use this space to include information required for the scholarship.**

**Please select and respond to one of the following prompts in 250-650 words:**

Some students have a background, identity, interest, or talent that is so meaningful they believe their application would be incomplete without it. If this sounds like you, then please share your story.

The lessons we take from obstacles we encounter can be fundamental to later success. Recount a time when you faced a challenge, setback, or failure. How did it affect you, and what did you learn from the experience?

Reflect on a time when you questioned or challenged a belief or idea. What prompted your thinking? What was the outcome?

Describe a problem you've solved or a problem you'd like to solve. It can be an intellectual challenge, a research query, an ethical dilemma - anything that is of personal importance, no matter the scale. Explain its significance to you and what steps you took or could be taken to identify a solution.

Discuss an accomplishment, event, or realization that sparked a period of personal growth and a new understanding of yourself or others.

Describe a topic, idea, or concept you find so engaging that it makes you lose all track of time. Why does it captivate you? What or who do you turn to when you want to learn more?

Share an essay on any topic of your choice. It can be one you've already written, one that responds to a different prompt, or one of your own design.

**In addition to the above application, you are required to submit your high school transcript (accessed through your Parchment account), an essay from the prompts above, and any additional documents requested.**

**By signing below, I affirm that I, \_\_\_\_\_, have completed this scholarship application and all other required components correctly and completely to the best of my ability.**

**Signature:**

**Date:**